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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) group |
| Synonymous names: | MBS group |
| METEOR identifier: | 604142 |
| Registration status: | [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 19/10/2023 |
| Definition: | The groups which represent the service events within the Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS), as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) group](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/604139) |
| Value Domain: | [Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) group for the item code ANN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/604132) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | ANN | |
| Maximum character length: | 3 | |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Department of Health |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The service events within the Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) are structured into categories, groups and subgroups, with categories being the broadest level and subgroups being the finest level of detail. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Department of Health |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | See also [Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) category, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/604119)  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 19/10/2023  See also [Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) subgroup, code ANNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/604247)  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 19/10/2023 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) state/territory data extract 2013-14](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/603356)  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 19/10/2023  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014 ***DSS specific information:***  Variable name = MBSGROUP |