Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) prescription —therapeutic group

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Identifying and definitional attributes

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Definition: A narrowly defined group of drugs listed in the Schedule of Pharmaceutical

Benefits that are of similar safety and efficacy and provide similar health outcomes.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) prescription

Definition: An order for a medication, therapy or therapeutic device given by a properly

authorised person, which ultimately goes to a person properly authorised to dispense, supply or perform the order (in most situations, a pharmacist).

The prescribed medication, therapy or therapeutic device must be listed in the

Schedule of Pharmaceutical Benefits.

Context: Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS).

Specialisation of: <u>Service/care event</u>

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: <u>Therapeutic group</u>

Definition: A narrowly defined group of medicinal products that are of similar safety and

efficacy and provide similar health outcomes.

Context: Medicinal products listed within a therapeutic group are therapeutically

interchangeable with other medicinal products in the same group.

Property group: <u>Material resource characteristics</u>

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health

Data element concept attributes

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Relational attributes

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

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