Service event—number of Medicare services claimed, total number N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Number of Medicare services claimed
METEOR identifier:	610294
Registration status:	Commonwealth Department of Health, Retired 19/10/2023
Definition:	The total number of Medicare services that are claimed by a registered Medicare service provider for items in the Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) for which a claim has been processed.
Data Element Concept:	Service event—number of Medicare services claimed
Value Domain:	Total number N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Count
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Department of Health

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	This item is to report the number of services as MDV_NUMSERV, i.e. where bulk billing incentive and modifier items are counted. A count of the number of Medicare services that are provided by a registered provider for items in the MBS for which a claim has been processed plus services which can only be claimed in conjunction with other items, such as bulk-billing incentive items and modifier items.

Collection methods: This includes incentive or modifying MBS items that are not attendances or procedures in their own right.

For example MBS items:

10985, 10990, 10991, 10992, 64990, 64991, 74990, 74991, 74992, 74993, 74994, 74995, 74996, 74997, 74998, 74999, 17690, 63491, 63492, 63493, 63494, 63495, 63497, 63498 or 63499.

+1 - Valid service submitted for the first time or resubmitted (after the original has been cancelled)

-1 - Cancellations and negative adjustments (for example, returned or cancelled cheques)

0 - Underpayments, substantiations, substantiation adjustments and co-payment adjustments.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: See also Service/care provider—number of Medicare services provided, total number N
Commonwealth Department of Health, Retired 19/10/2023

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) state/territory data extract 2013-14
Commonwealth Department of Health, Retired 19/10/2023
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Implementation end date: 30/06/2014
DSS specific information:

Variable name = MDV_NUMSERV