

Person—medication type, text [X(40)]

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Person—medication type, text [X(40)]

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Medication type
METEOR identifier:	624732
Registration status:	Health , Standard 28/04/2016
Definition:	The type of prescribed medication administered to a person, as represented by text.
Context:	Public health, health care and clinical settings.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Person—medication type
METEOR identifier:	365467
Registration status:	Health , Standard 25/08/2011 National Health Performance Authority (retired) , Retired 01/07/2016
Definition:	The type of prescribed medication administered to a person.
Context:	Public health, health care and clinical settings.
Object class:	Person
Property:	Medication type

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Text [X(40)]
METEOR identifier:	270803
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 01/03/2005 Health , Standard 01/03/2005 Housing assistance , Standard 20/06/2005 Indigenous , Standard 05/09/2014
Definition:	A combination of alphanumeric characters.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Text
Data type:	String
Format:	[X(40)]
Maximum character length:	40

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This data element should be used in conjunction with the data element: *Person—medication type, medication type (ATC/DDD) code A{[NN]AA{[NN]}* to specify Other types of prescribed medications administered to a person.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: See also [Person—medication type, medication type \(ATC/DDD\) code A{\[NN\]AA{\[NN\]}](#)
[Health](#), Standard 25/08/2011
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Prisoner health medication type dispensed cluster](#)
[Health](#), Qualified 06/07/2023

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on 'Other' being recorded on the Repeat Medications Form.

[Prisoners in custody prescription medications NBEDS](#)
[Health](#), Standard 28/04/2016

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on a code of 'Other' being recorded in the Prisoners in Custody—Repeat Medications form.

[Prisoners in custody prescription medications NBEDS 2018](#)
[Health](#), Qualified 06/07/2023

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on a code of 'Other' being recorded in the Prisoners in Custody—Repeat Medications form.

DSS specific information:

This data element corresponds to the following question of the Repeat Medications Form:

7. Medication type prescribed (repeats only):