Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) prescription—record run date, YYYYMMDD

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | PBS record run date (year-first) |
| Synonymous names: | Run date (PBS) |
| METEOR identifier: | 637354 |
| Registration status: | [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Recorded 21/10/2016 |
| Definition: | The date on which the Department of Human Services (DHS) creates the file of Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) claim details for provision to the Department of Health, expressed as YYYYMMDD. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) prescription—record run date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/637340) |
| Value Domain: | [Date YYYYMMDD](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/601340) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | YYYYMMDD | |
| Maximum character length: | 8 | |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | This date format allows for easy numeric sorting of dates, e.g. the date '9 June 2015' would be represented as 20150609, whereas the date '10 June 2015' would be represented as 20150610. |

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

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| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) input header record](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/601252)  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Recorded 21/10/2016  ***DSS specific information:***  Variable name = RSTDH\_HDR\_RUN\_DATE |