

# Person—dementia comorbidities, diagnosis code (ICD-10-AM Twelfth edition) ANN{.N[N]}

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Dementia comorbidities
METEOR identifier:	737988
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 05/10/2022
Definition:	Diseases or health conditions (apart from dementia) present or recorded at <a href="#">diagnosis</a> of <a href="#">dementia</a> in a person, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Person—dementia comorbidities</a>
Value Domain:	<a href="#">Diagnosis code (ICD-10-AM Twelfth edition) ANN{.N[N]}</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Classification scheme:	<a href="#">International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification Twelfth edition</a>
Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	ANN{.N[N]}
Maximum character length:	6

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority
Origin:	Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	Dementia comorbidities refer to any diagnosed diseases or health conditions (apart from dementia), that are present or recorded at diagnosis of dementia. There is no limit on the number of conditions that can be specified.
Collection methods:	Information collected about comorbidities should be based on interviews or reports from the person with dementia or their carers, sourced from notes in the person's records or by observation.

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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## Relational attributes

***DSS specific information:***

Any diseases or health conditions diagnosed (apart from dementia) should be recorded, using appropriate ICD-10-AM diagnosis codes assigned following the conventions of the ICD-10-AM. Exclude ICD-10-AM codes used to assign dementia types in [Person—clinical type of dementia, code NN](#).