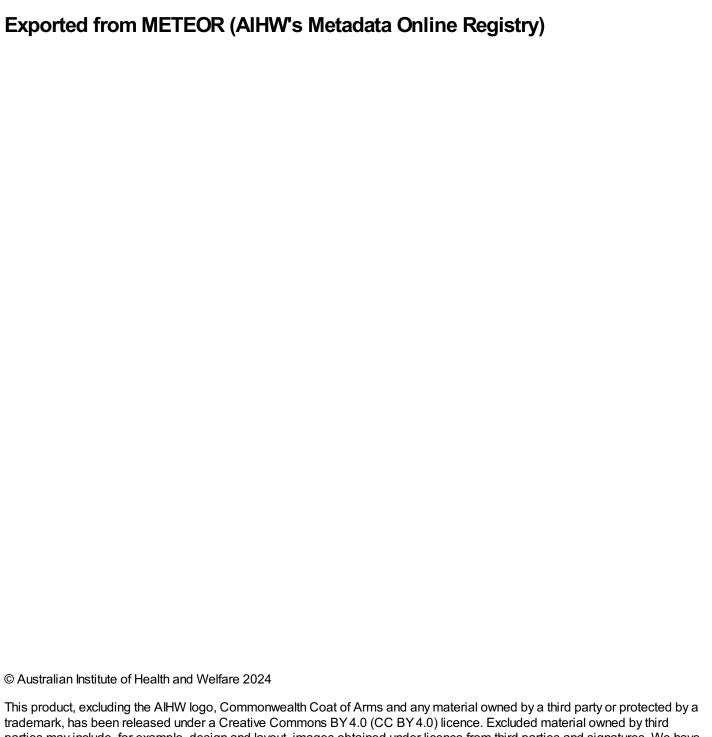
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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: UCOD ICD-10 First Edition

METEOR identifier: 778798

Registration status: Health, Qualified 03/08/2023

Definition: The disease or injury which initiated the train of morbid events leading directly to a

person's death or the circumstances of the accident or violence which produced the

fatal injury, as represented by a code. (WHO 2004)

Data Element Concept: Person—underlying cause of death

Value Domain: Underlying cause of death code (ICD-10 First Edition) ANN-ANN

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Classification scheme: International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health

Problems, 10th Revision, First Edition

Representation class: Code

Data type: String

Format: ANN-ANN

Maximum character length: 7

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Underlying cause of death is central to mortality coding and comparable

international mortality reporting.

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