

# Medical postgraduate and vocational trainee— medical specialty type, code N[N].N[N]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Medical speciality type (postgraduate and vocational trainees)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	585806
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a> , Retired 27/11/2017
<b>Definition:</b>	The medical speciality qualification for which a medical postgraduate and vocational trainee is studying, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Medical postgraduate and vocational trainee—medical specialty type</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Medical specialty type code N[N].N[N]</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N[N].N[N]
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	4

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1.0	Addiction medicine
	2.0	Anaesthesia
	3.0	Dermatology
	4.0	Emergency medicine
	5.0	General practice
	6.0	Intensive care medicine
	7.0	Medical administration
	8.0	Obstetrics and gynaecology
	9.0	Occupational and environmental medicine
	10.0	Ophthalmology
	11.0	Paediatrics and child health
	12.0	Pain medicine
	13.0	Palliative medicine
	14.0	Pathology
	15.0	Physician
	15.1	Physician - cardiology
	15.2	Physician - endocrinology
	15.3	Physician - gastroenterology and hepatology
	15.4	Physician - general medicine
	15.5	Physician - geriatric medicine
	15.6	Physician - medical oncology

	15.7	Physician - nephrology
	15.8	Physician - neurology
	15.88	Physician - other physician type
	16.0	Psychiatry
	17.0	Public health medicine
	18.0	Radiation oncology
	19.0	Radiology
	20.0	Rehabilitation medicine
	21.0	Sexual health medicine
	22.0	Sport and exercise medicine
	23.0	Surgery
	23.1	Surgery - general
	23.2	Surgery - orthopaedic
	23.3	Surgery - otolaryngology
	23.4	Surgery - plastic
	23.88	Surgery - other surgery type
	80.0	Medical profession certificate or diploma
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	99.9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** CODE 80.0 Medical profession certificate or diploma  
Includes medical certificate and diploma courses from specialist colleges with public hospital workplace based training requirements.

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**Submitting organisation:** Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Supersedes [Medical graduate trainee—medical specialty type, code N\[N\].N\[N\] Health!](#), Retired 31/10/2017  
[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Superseded 17/08/2015

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Health professional postgraduate and vocational trainee cluster](#)  
[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Retired 27/11/2017