

ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS Twelfth Edition education fact sheet



The Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority (IHACPA) is responsible for the development of the ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS classification system that comprises the:

- International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM)
- Australian Classification of Health Interventions (ACHI)
- Australian Coding Standards (ACS).

ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS Twelfth Edition is used for classifying admitted patient care for separations from 1 July 2022. This education fact sheet supports the classification guidelines included in Twelfth Edition.

Classifying coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) vaccine types

This education fact sheet assists in the application of classification codes related to COVID-19 vaccine types using ICD-10-AM and the ACHI Twelfth Edition.






COVID-19 vaccines in Australia

The vaccines listed below have been recognised or approved for use in Australia as sourced from the [Therapeutic Goods Administration website](#), and are identified by vaccine type.

Company	Vaccine Name	Vaccine Type
AstraZeneca / Serum Institute of India	Covishield	Viral vector
AstraZeneca Pty Ltd	Vaxzevria (previously COVID-19 Vaccine AstraZeneca)	Viral vector
Bharat Biotech	Covaxin	Whole Virus
Gamaleya Research Institute	Sputnik V	Viral vector
Janssen-Cilag Pty Ltd	COVID-19 Vaccine Janssen	Viral vector
Moderna Australia Pty Ltd	Spikevax (elasomeran) or Takeda	Nucleic acid
Novavax Inc as Biocelect Pty Ltd	Nuvaxovid (NVX-CoV2373)	Subunit
Pfizer Australia Pty Ltd	Comirnaty (BNT162b2 [mRNA])	Nucleic acid
Sinopharm China	BBIBP-CoV	Whole virus
Sinovac	Coronavac	Whole virus

Classification codes for COVID-19 vaccine types

The vaccine types can be classified using ICD-10-AM and ACHI Twelfth Edition as follows:


Vaccine Type	ICD-10-AM codes used for adverse effects	ACHI codes used for administration of vaccine
 Viral Vector	U07.71 Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19] vaccine, using viral vector, causing adverse effect in therapeutic use	92157-03 [1882] Vaccination using viral vector against coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19]
 Whole Virus	U07.72 Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19] vaccine, using whole virus, causing adverse effect in therapeutic use	92157-04 [1882] Vaccination using whole virus against coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19]
 Subunit	U07.73 Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19] vaccine, using subunit, causing adverse effect in therapeutic use	92157-05 [1882] Vaccination using subunit against coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19]
 Nucleic acid	U07.74 Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19] vaccine, using nucleic acid, causing adverse effect in therapeutic use	92157-06 [1882] Vaccination using nucleic acid against coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19]
 Unspecified	U07.70 Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19] vaccines, not elsewhere classified, causing adverse effect in therapeutic use	Seek clinical clarification to confirm the type of vaccine administered.

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