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FOR Division/Group Code	Group	FOR Fields Code	2008 FOR Name
0104	STATISTICS	010401	Applied Statistics
		010402	Biostatistics
0299	OTHER PHYSICAL SCIENCES	029901	Biological Physics
		029903	Medical Physics
		029904	Synchrotrons; Accelerators; Instruments and Techniques
		029999	Physical Sciences not elsewhere classified
0304	MEDICINAL AND BIOMOLECULAR CHEMISTRY	030401	Biologically Active Molecules
		030402	Biomolecular Modelling and Design
		030403	Characterisation of Biological Macromolecules
		030404	Cheminformatics and Quantitative Structure-Activity Relationships
		030405	Molecular Medicine
		030406	Proteins and Peptides
		030499	Medicinal and Biomolecular Chemistry not elsewhere classified
0601	BIOCHEMISTRY AND CELL BIOLOGY	060101	Analytical Biochemistry
		060102	Bioinformatics
		060103	Cell Development, Proliferation and Death
		060104	Cell Metabolism
		060105	Cell Neurochemistry
		060106	Cellular Interactions (incl. Adhesion, Matrix, Cell Wall)
		060107	Enzymes
		060108	Protein Trafficking
		060110	Receptors and Membrane Biology
		060111	Signal Transduction
		060112	Structural Biology (incl. Macromolecular Modelling)

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		060113	Synthetic Biology
		060114	Systems Biology
		060199	Biochemistry and Cell Biology not elsewhere classified
0604	GENETICS	060402	Cell and Nuclear Division
		060403	Developmental Genetics (incl. Sex Determination)
		060404	Epigenetics (incl. Genome Methylation and Epigenomics)
		060405	Gene Expression (incl. Microarray and other genome-wide approaches)
		060406	Genetic Immunology
		060407	Genome Structure and Regulation
		060408	Genomics
		060409	Molecular Evolution
		060410	Neurogenetics
		060411	Population, Ecological and Evolutionary Genetics
		060412	Quantitative Genetics (incl. Disease and Trait Mapping Genetics)
		060499	Genetics not elsewhere classified
0903	BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING	090301	Biomaterials
		090302	Biomechanical Engineering
		090303	Biomedical Instrumentation
		090304	Medical Devices
		090399	Biomedical Engineering nec
1001	AGRICULTURAL BIOTECHNOLOGY	100109	Transgenesis
1003	INDUSTRIAL BIOTECHNOLOGY	100301	Biocatalysis and Enzyme Technology
1004	MEDICAL BIOTECHNOLOGY	100401	Gene and Molecular Therapy
		100402	Medical Biotechnology Diagnostics (incl. Biosensors)
		100403	Medical Molecular Engineering of Nucleic Acids and Proteins
		100404	Regenerative Medicine (incl. Stem Cells and Tissue Engineering)
		100499	Medical Biotechnology not elsewhere classified
1007	NANOTECHNOLOGY	100703	Nanobiotechnology
		100709	Nanomedicine
		100713	Nanotoxicology, Health and Safety
		100799	Nanotechnology not elsewhere classified
1101	MEDICAL BIOCHEMISTRY AND METABOLOMICS	110101	Medical Biochemistry: Amino Acids and Metabolites
		110102	Medical Biochemistry: Carbohydrates
		110103	Medical Biochemistry: Inorganic Elements and Compounds
		110104	Medical Biochemistry: Lipids
		110105	Medical Biochemistry: Nucleic Acids
		110106	Medical Biochemistry: Proteins and Peptides (incl. Medical Proteomics)
		110107	Metabolic Medicine
		110199	Medical Biochemistry and Metabolomics not elsewhere classified
1102	CARDIOVASCULAR MEDICINE AN HAEMOTOLOGY	110201	Cardiology (incl. Cardiovascular Diseases)
		110202	Haematology
		110203	Respiratory Diseases
		110204	Cardiovascular medicine and Haematology nec

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1103	CLINICAL SCIENCES	110301	Anaesthesiology
		110302	Clinical Chemistry (diagnostics)
		110303	Clinical Microbiology
		110304	Dermatology
		110305	Emergency Medicine
		110306	Endocrinology
		110307	Gastroenterology and Hepatology
		110308	Geriatrics and Gerontology
		110309	Infectious Diseases
		110310	Intensive Care
		110311	Medical Genetics (excl. Cancer Genetics)
		110312	Nephrology and Urology
		110313	Nuclear Medicine
		110314	Orthopaedics
		110315	Otorhinolaryngology
		110316	Pathology
		110317	Physiotherapy
		110318	Podiatry
		110319	Psychiatry (incl. Psychotherapy)
		110320	Radiology and Organ Imaging
110321	Rehabilitation and Therapy (excl. Physiotherapy)		
110322	Rheumatology and Arthritis		
110323	Surgery		
110324	Venereology		
110399	Clinical Sciences not elsewhere classified		
1104	COMPLEMENTARY/ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE	110401	Chiropractic
		110402	Naturopathy
		110403	Traditional Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Medicine and Treatments
		110404	Traditional Chinese Medicine and Treatments
		110499	Complementary and Alternative Medicine not elsewhere classified
1105	DENTISTRY	110501	Dental Materials and Equipment
		110502	Dental Therapeutics, Pharmacology and Toxicology
		110503	Endodontics
		110504	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
		110505	Oral Medicine and Pathology
		110506	Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics
		110507	Paedodontics
		110508	Periodontics
		110509	Special Needs Dentistry
		110599	Dentistry not elsewhere classified
1106	HUMAN MOVEMENT AND SPORTS SCIENCE	110601	Biomechanics
		110602	Exercise Physiology
		110603	Motor Control

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		110604	Sports Medicine
		110699	Human Movement and Sports Science not elsewhere classified
1107	IMMUNOLOGY	110701	Allergy
		110702	Applied Immunology (incl. Antibody Engineering, Xenotransplantation and T-cell Therapies)
		110703	Autoimmunity
		110704	Cellular Immunology
		110705	Humoural Immunology and Immunochemistry
		110706	Immunogenetics (incl. Genetic Immunology)
		110707	Innate Immunity
		110708	Transplantation Immunology
		110709	Tumour Immunology
		110799	Immunology not elsewhere classified
1108	MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY	110801	Medical Bacteriology
		110802	Medical Infection Agents (incl. Prions)
		110803	Medical Parasitology
		110804	Medical Virology
		110899	Medical Microbiology not elsewhere classified
1109	NEUROSCIENCES	110901	Autonomic Nervous System
		110902	Cellular Nervous System
		110903	Central Nervous System
		110904	Neurology and Neuromuscular Diseases
		110905	Peripheral Nervous System
		110906	Sensory Systems
		110999	Neurosciences not elsewhere classified
1110	NURSING	111001	Aged Care Nursing
		111002	Clinical Nursing: Primary (Preventative)
		111003	Clinical Nursing: Secondary (Acute Care)
		111004	Clinical Nursing: Tertiary (Rehabilitative)
		111005	Mental Health Nursing
		111006	Midwifery
		111099	Nursing not elsewhere classified
1111	NUTRITION AND DIETICS	111101	Clinical and Sports Nutrition
		111102	Dietetics and Nutrigenomics
		111103	Nutritional Physiology
		111104	Public Nutrition Intervention
		111199	Nutrition and Dietetics not elsewhere classified
1112	ONCOLOGY AND CARCINOGENESIS	111201	Cancer Cell Biology
		111202	Cancer Diagnosis
		111203	Cancer Genetics
		111204	Cancer Therapy (excl. Chemotherapy and Radiation Therapy)
		111205	Chemotherapy
		111206	Haematological Tumours
		111207	Molecular Targets
		111208	Radiation Therapy

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		111209	Solid Tumours
		111299	Oncology and Carcinogenesis not elsewhere classified
1113	OPHTHALMOLOGY AND OPTOMETRY	111301	Ophthalmology
		111302	Optical Technology
		111303	Vision Science
		111399	Optometry and Ophthalmology not elsewhere classified
1114	PAEDIATRICS AND REPRODUCTIVE MEDICINE	111401	Foetal Development and Medicine
		111402	Obstetrics and Gynaecology
		111403	Paediatrics
		111404	Reproduction
		111499	Paediatrics and Reproductive Medicine not elsewhere classified
1115	PHARMACOLOGY AND PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES	111501	Basic Pharmacology
		111502	Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics
		111503	Clinical Pharmacy and Pharmacy Practice
		111504	Pharmaceutical Sciences
		111505	Pharmacogenomics
		111506	Toxicology (incl. Clinical Toxicology)
		111599	Pharmacology and Pharmaceutical Sciences not elsewhere classified
1116	MEDICAL PHYSIOLOGY	111601	Cell Physiology
		111602	Human Biophysics
		111603	Systems Physiology
		111699	Medical Physiology not elsewhere classified
1117	PUBLIC HEALTH AND HEALTH SERVICES	111701	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health
		111702	Aged Health Care
		111703	Care for Disabled
		111704	Community Child Health
		111705	Environmental and Occupational Health and Safety
		111706	Epidemiology
		111707	Family Care
		111708	Health and Community Services
		111709	Health Care Administration
		111710	Health Counselling
		111711	Health Information Systems (incl. Surveillance)
		111712	Health Promotion
		111714	Mental Health
		111715	Pacific Peoples Health
		111716	Preventive Medicine
		111717	Primary Health Care
		111718	Residential Client Care
		111799	Public Health and Health Services not elsewhere classified
1199	OTHER MEDICAL AND HEALTH SCIENCES	119999	Medical and Health Sciences not elsewhere classified

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1402	APPLIED ECONOMICS	140208	Health Economics
1403	ECONOMETRICS	140302	Econometric and Statistical Methods
		140303	Economic Models and Forecasting
1701	PSYCHOLOGY	170101	Biological Psychology (Neuropsychology, Psychopharmacology, Physiological Psychology)
		170102	Developmental Psychology and Ageing
		170103	Educational Psychology
		170104	Forensic Psychology
		170105	Gender Psychology
		170106	Health, Clinical and Counselling Psychology
		170107	Industrial and Organisational Psychology
		170109	Personality, Abilities and Assessment
		170110	Psychological Methodology, Design and Analysis
		170112	Sensory Processes, Perception and Performance
		170113	Social and Community Psychology
		170114	Sport and Exercise Psychology
		170199	Psychology not elsewhere classified
1702	COGNITIVE SCIENCE	170201	Computer Perception, Memory and Attention
		170202	Decision Making
		170203	Knowledge Representation and Machine Learning
		170204	Linguistic Processes (incl. Speech Production and Comprehension)
		170205	Neurocognitive Patterns and Neural Networks
		170299	Cognitive Science not elsewhere classified
1799	OTHER PSYCHOLOGY AND COGNITIVE SCIENCES	179999	Psychology and Cognitive Sciences not elsewhere classified
2201	APPLIED ETHICS	220101	Bioethics (Human and Animal)
		220103	Ethical Use of New Technology (e.g. Nanotechnology, Biotechnology)
		220106	Medical Ethics

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