Non-admitted patient nature of main injury code NN{.N}

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	270665
Registration status:	Health, Standard 01/03/2005
Definition:	A code set representing the nature of an injury.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	String	
Format:	NN{.N}	
Maximum character length:	4	
	Value	**Meaning**
Permissible values:	01	Superficial (excludes eye injury code 13)
	02	Open wound (excludes eye injury code 13)
	03	Fracture (excludes dental injury code 21)
	04	Dislocation (includes ruptured disc, cartilage, ligament)
	05	Sprain or strain
	06	Injury to nerve (includes spinal cord; excludes intracranial injury code 20)
	07	Injury to blood vessel
	08	Injury to muscle or tendon
	09	Crushing injury
	10	Traumatic amputation (includes partial amputation)
	11	Injury to internal organ
	12	Burn or corrosion (excludes eye injury code 13)
	13	Eye injury (includes burns, excludes foreign body in external eye code 14.1)
	14.1	Foreign body in external eye
	14.2	Foreign body in ear canal
	14.3	Foreign body in nose
	14.4	Foreign body in respiratory tract (excludes foreign body in nose code 14.3)
	14.5	Foreign body in alimentary tract
	14.6	Foreign body in genitourinary tract
	14.7	Foreign body in soft tissue
	14.9	Foreign body, other/unspecified
	20	Intracranial injury (includes concussion)
	21	Dental injury (includes fractured tooth)
	22	Drowning, immersion

23	Asphyxia or other threat to breathing (excludes drowning immersion code 22)
24	Electrical injury
25	Poisoning, toxic effect (excludes effect of venom, or any insect bite code 26)
26	Effect of venom, or any insect bite
27	Other specified nature of injury
28	Injury of unspecified nature
29	Multiple injuries of more than one 'nature'
30	No injury detected

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value domain:

Injury event—nature of main injury, non-admitted patient code NN{.N}
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