Diagnosis onset type code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 270764 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2008 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the onset of a diagnosed condition. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Primary condition |
|  | 2 | Post-admit condition |
| Supplementary values: | 9 | Unknown or uncertain |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1     Primary condition   * a condition present on admission such as the presenting problem, a comorbidity, chronic disease or disease status. In the case of neonates, the condition(s) present at birth. * a previously existing condition not diagnosed until the current episode of care in delivered obstetric cases, all conditions which arise from the beginning of labour to the end of second stage   CODE 2     Post-admit condition   * a condition which arises during the current episode of care and would not have been present on admission   CODE 9     Unknown or uncertain   * a condition where the documentation does not support assignment to 1 or 2 |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Condition onset flag code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/355703)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/02/2013 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis onset type, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270192)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2008 |