Proteinuria status code N{.N}

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 270852 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the status of protein in the urine. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N{.N} | |
| Maximum character length: | 2 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Negative for protein |
|  | 1.1 | Microalbuminuria present |
|  | 1.2 | Microalbuminuria not present |
|  | 1.3 | Microalbuminuria not tested |
|  | 2 | Proteinuria |
|  | 3 | Not tested |
| Supplementary values: | 9 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1     Negative for protein  Negative for proteinuria - less than 1 plus on dipstick-testing or excretion of 300 mg or less of protein from 24-hour urine collection.  CODE 1.1   Microalbuminuria present  Microalbuminuria present  CODE 1.2   Microalbuminuria not present  Microalbuminuria not present  CODE 1.3   Microalbuminuria not tested  Microalbuminuria not tested  CODE 2      Proteinuria  Proteinuria - one or more pluses of protein in dipstick urinalysis or for a 24-hour urine collection, where the patient excretes more than 300 mg/per day of protein.  CODE 3      Not tested  Not tested - no urinalysis for proteinuria was taken. |
| Collection Methods: | Where laboratory testing is used to determine Proteinuria status the categorisation must be substantiated by clinical documentation such as an official laboratory report. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person—proteinuria status, code N{.N}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270346)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005 |