Intention of cancer treatment code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 288678 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/05/2014 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the intention of the treatment for cancer.  |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Prophylactic |
|   | 2 | Curative |
|   | 3 | Non-curative or palliative |
| Supplementary values: | 0 | Did not have treatment |
|   | 9  | Not stated  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE 0     Did not have treatmentThis code is used when the patient did not have treatment as part of the initial management planCODE 1     ProphylacticThis code is used when the cancer has not developedCODE 2     CurativeThis code is used when treatment is given for control of the diseaseCODE 3     Non-curative or PalliativeThis code is used when the cure is unlikely to be achieved and treatment is given primarily for the purpose of pain control. Other benefits of the treatment are considered secondary contributions to the patient's quality of lifeCODE 9     Intention was not statedPatient had treatment for cancer but the intention was not stated. |

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| Relational attributes  |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Intention of treatment code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/440752)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 08/05/2014       [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 19/03/2015 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Cancer treatment—intention of treatment, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/288690)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Retired 12/05/2014 |