# Polyp histopathological grade code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	308384
Registration status:	Health, Standard 29/08/2014
Definition:	A code set representing the histopathological grade of a polyp.

#### **Representational attributes**

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	Ν	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Low grade dysplasia
	2	High grade dysplasia/in situ
	3	Suspicious for invasion
	4	Invasive carcinoma
	9	No dysplasia

## Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 1 Low grade dysplasia
	A growth in which cells which are very similar to cancer cells grow in an organ but which have a low chance of invading into tissue or metastasise.
	CODE 2 High grade dysplasia/in situ
	A growth in which cells which are very similar to cancer cells grow in an organ but which have a high chance of invading into tissue or metastasise.
	CODE 3 Suspicious for invasion
	A growth that may have the ability to invade into tissue or metastasise.
	CODE 4 Invasive carcinoma
	A growth that has the ability to invade into tissue or metastasise.
	CODE 9 No dysplasia
	A growth in which cells are not similar to cancer cells and are unable to invade other tissue or metastasise.

### **Relational attributes**

Data elements implementing this value domain:	Patient—grade of colorectal polyps found, code N Health, Superseded 06/09/2018
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