Polyp histopathological grade code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 308384 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/08/2014 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the histopathological grade of a polyp. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| 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 |

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| 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. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Patient—grade of colorectal polyps found, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/530490)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/09/2018  [Patient—grade of colorectal polyps found, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/696001)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2018 |