Electrocardiogram—heart rhythm type, code N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Heart rhythm type |
| METEOR identifier: | 361626 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/10/2008 |
| Definition: | The type of rhythm associated with the beating of the heart as determined from the electrocardiogram (ECG), as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Electrocardiogram—heart rhythm type](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/361628) |
| Value Domain: | [Heart rhythm type code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/285133) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | N[N] | |
| Maximum character length: | 2 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Sinus rhythm |
|  | 2 | Atrial fibrillation |
|  | 3 | Atrial flutter |
|  | 4 | Second degree heart block |
|  | 5 | Complete heart block |
|  | 6 | Supraventricular tachycardia |
|  | 7 | Idioventricular rhythm |
|  | 8 | Ventricular tachycardia |
|  | 9 | Ventricular fibrillation |
|  | 10 | Paced |
|  | 11 | Other rhythm |
| Supplementary values: | 99 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Acute coronary syndrome data working group |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Person—heart rhythm type, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/285137)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 01/10/2008 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Electrocardiogram cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/351884)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/10/2008  ***DSS specific information:*** To be provided each time an ECG is performed. |