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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 598026 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 12/06/2015 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the clinical assessment of the urgency with which a patient requires a procedure. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Procedures that are clinically indicated within 30 days |
|   | 2 | Procedures that are clinically indicated within 90 days |
|   | 3  | Procedures that are clinically indicated within 365 days  |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | National Health Information Standards and Statistics Committee |
| Reference documents: | AIHW (Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) 2013. National definitions for elective surgery urgency categories: proposal for the Standing Council on Health. Cat. no. HSE 138. Canberra: AIHW. Viewed 30 July 2015. <http://www.aihw.gov.au/publication-detail/?id=60129543979> |

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| Relational attributes  |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Clinical urgency code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270635)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/06/2015       [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/8), Retired 01/07/2016 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Elective surgery waiting list episode—clinical urgency, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/732423)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/02/2021[Elective surgery waiting list episode—clinical urgency, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/598034)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2021 |