Number of colorectal polyps found

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Property |
| METEOR identifier: | 695207 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2018 |
| Definition: | A count of [**colorectal polyps**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/564110) found in an individual.  A colorectal polyp is a small growth of colon tissue that protrudes into the colonic or rectal lumen. It is usually asymptomatic, but sometimes it causes visible rectal bleeding, and, rarely, other symptoms. |
| Property group: | [Illness and/or Injury event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/524414) |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Number of colorectal polyps found](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/530374)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/09/2018 |
| Data Element Concepts implementing this property: | [Patient—number of colorectal polyps found](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/695209)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2018 |