

# Hand hygiene moment—hand hygiene moment type, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Hand hygiene moment type
METEOR identifier:	768667
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 06/09/2023
Definition:	The type of <a href="#">hand hygiene moment</a> , as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Hand hygiene moment—hand hygiene moment type</a>
Value Domain:	<a href="#">Hand hygiene moment type code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Before touching a patient
	2	Before a procedure
	3	After a procedure or body fluid exposure risk
	4	After touching a patient
	5	After touching a patient's surroundings

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	ACSQHC (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care) 2019. <a href="#">National hand hygiene initiative manual</a> . ACSQHC: Sydney, accessed 8 December 2022.

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## Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	<a href="#">Hand hygiene moments type observed cluster</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 06/09/2023
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**Implementation in  
Indicators:**

**Used as Disaggregation**

[National Hand Hygiene Initiative compliance rate, 2012–  
Health](#), Standard 06/09/2023