

# Person (male)—erectile dysfunction, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Erectile dysfunction
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	270132
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 01/03/2005
<b>Definition:</b>	Whether a male individual has a history of erection failure or has received treatment to achieve erection sufficient for penetration in the last 12 months and prior, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Person (male)—erectile dysfunction</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Erectile dysfunction code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Erectile dysfunction- developed in the last 12 months
	2	Erectile dysfunction- developed prior to the last 12 months
	3	No erectile dysfunction
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Determine whether this developed within or prior to the last 12 months.
<b>Collection methods:</b>	Ask the individual if he has a history of treatment or failure to achieve or maintain erection sufficient for penetration.

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes


<b>Guide for use:</b>	Record for male patients only.
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	National Diabetes Data Working Group
<b>Origin:</b>	National Diabetes Outcomes Quality Review Initiative (NDOQRIN) data dictionary.

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

Is re-engineered from  [Erectile dysfunction, version 1, DE, NHDD, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](#) (15.1 KB)  
*No registration status*

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Diabetes \(clinical\) DSS](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 21/09/2005

**DSS specific information:** Erectile problems occur in up to 50% of men with diabetes who are over 40 years old.

[Diabetes \(clinical\) NBPDS](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 21/09/2005

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Erectile dysfunction may be due to psychological causes, macrovascular disease or pelvic autonomic neuropathy. An organic cause is more likely in the presence of other macro or micro vascular complications.