

# Histopathological grade code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	457191
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 07/12/2011
<b>Definition:</b>	A code set representing how little the tumour resembles the normal tissue from which it arose.

## 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	Grade 1: Low grade; well differentiated, differentiated, NOS
	2	Grade 2: Intermediate grade, moderately differentiated, moderately well differentiated, intermediate differentiation
	3	Grade 3: High grade, poorly differentiated
	4	Grade 4: Undifferentiated, anaplastic
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Grade or differentiation not determined, not stated or not applicable

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Supersedes [Histopathological grade code N](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 07/12/2011

**Data elements implementing this value domain:** [Person with cancer—histopathological grade, code N](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 07/12/2011