Patient—primary health follow-up interval, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Primary health follow-up interval (code)
METEOR identifier:	508244
Registration status:	Indigenous, Standard 05/09/2014
Definition:	A recommended period of time until a patient's next consultation or action follow-up with a primary health professional, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Patient—primary health follow-up interval
METEOR identifier:	508221
Registration status:	Indigenous, Standard 05/09/2014
Definition:	A recommended period of time until a patient's next consultation or action follow-up with a primary health professional.
Object class:	Patient
Property:	Primary health follow-up interval

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Follow-up interval code N
METEOR identifier:	508278
Registration status:	Indigenous, Standard 05/09/2014
Definition:	A code set representing when a recommended follow-up consultation or action should occur.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	**Meaning**
Permissible values:	1	3 months
	2	6 months
	3	1 year
	4	As needed (PRN)
Supplementary values:	8	Unknown

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: PRN is an abbreviation for pro re nata which is a Latin phrase meaning "as
                              needed". The amount of time until a follow-up consultation or action is determined
                              by the patient's needs.

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Relational attributes

Related metadata   See also [Patient—primary health course of action prior to review, code N](#)
references: [Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

                                See also [Patient—primary health follow-up indicator, yes/no code N](#)
                                    [Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

Implementation in Data Set   [Follow-up required cluster](#)
Specifications: [Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014
                                Implementation start date: 01/04/2012
                                Conditional obligation: Conditional on a 'yes' response to Patient - primary health
                                follow-up indicator data element.