Follow-up interval code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 508278 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/09/2014 |
| Definition: | A code set representing when a recommended follow-up consultation or action should occur. |

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| 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 |
|  | 9 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| 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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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Patient—audiology follow-up interval, code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/508287)  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/09/2014  [Patient—primary health follow-up interval, code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/508244)  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/09/2014 |