

Same-day endoscopy – which Australian Coding Standard do I follow?

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The following flow chart has been developed to summarise the Australian Coding Standards applicable to same-day endoscopy episodes. It does not contain any additional information than what is documented in each standard. Please refer to the specific standards for more detail.

- Endoscopic investigation of any body system symptom (laryngoscopy, gastroscopy, laparoscopy, colonoscopy, arthroscopy, cystoscopy)
- Same-day patients
- Intent for same-day, either discharged day after or admitted day before
- Excludes where the principal diagnosis and/or additional diagnoses are clearly documented

- Endoscopic surveillance of any body system
- Follow-up
- Screening
- Chronic incurable conditions

