

## eVitals.22 - Glasgow Coma Score-Qualifier

## Definition

Documentation of factors which make the GCS score more meaningful.

National Element	Yes	Pertinent Negatives (PN)	No
State Element	Yes	NOT Values	Yes
Version 2 Element	E14_18	Is Nillable	Yes
Usage	Required	Recurrence	1 : M

## Associated Performance Measure Initiatives

Airway    Cardiac Arrest    Pediatric    STEMI    Stroke    Trauma

## Attributes

**NOT Values (NV)**

7701001 - Not Applicable

7701003 - Not Recorded

## Code List

**Code      Description**

3322001    Eye Obstruction Prevents Eye Assessment  
 3322003    Initial GCS has legitimate values without interventions such as intubation and sedation  
 3322005    Patient Chemically Paralyzed  
 3322007    Patient Chemically Sedated  
 3322009    Patient Intubated

## Data Element Comment

Definitions now based on the National Trauma Data Standard (NTDS).

## Associated Validation Rules

Rule ID	Level	Message
nemSch_e001	Error	When Glasgow Coma Score-Qualifier is empty, it should have a Not Value (Not Applicable, Not Recorded, or Not Reporting, if allowed for the element) or a Pertinent Negative (if allowed for the element), or it should be omitted (if the element is optional).
nemSch_e002	Error	When Glasgow Coma Score-Qualifier has a Not Value (Not Applicable, Not Recorded, or Not Reporting), it should be empty.
nemSch_e009	Warning	When Glasgow Coma Score-Qualifier has a Not Value, no other value should be recorded.
nemSch_e135	Warning	When Glasgow Coma Score-Qualifier is "Initial GCS has legitimate values without interventions such as intubation and sedation", no other value should be recorded.