

## **Margin status (Core)**

For endoscopic resection (ER) gastric carcinomas, margins include mucosal and deep margins. ER can be en bloc or piecemeal resection. Mucosal margin status is impossible to assess if it is a piecemeal resection with no orientation provided. At this stage no clear consensus on the definition of margin positivity has been reached. Presence or absence of low grade and high grade dysplasia at the mucosal margin should also be recorded.