

## Appendix 1.

*Classification of Surgical Operations and Procedures 4<sup>th</sup> Revision (OPCS-4)* codes used to define a 'cleft-related procedure' admission for patients with a cleft diagnosis and history of a primary surgical cleft repair

OPCS 3-char code	Description
Chapter D:	EAR
D14	Repair of eardrum
D15	Drainage of middle ear
D20	Other operations on middle ear
Chapter E:	RESPIRATORY TRACT
E02	Plastic operations on nose
E03	Plastic operations on nose
E07	Other plastic operations on nose
E08	Other operations on internal nose
E09	Operations on external nose
E10	Other operations on nose
E21	Repair of pharynx
Chapter F:	MOUTH
F01	Partial excision of lip
F02	Extirpation of lesion of lip
F03	Correction of deformity of lip
F04	Other reconstruction of lip
F05	Other repair of lip
F06	Other operations on lip
F09	Surgical removal of tooth
F10	Simple extraction of tooth
F11	Preprosthetic oral surgery
F14	Orthodontic operations
F29	Correction of deformity of palate
F30	Other repair of palate
F32	Other operations on palate
F42	Other operations on mouth