Cancer treatment—non-surgical cancer treatment start date, DDMMYYYY

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Cancer initial treatment starting date
METEOR identifier:	288103
Registration status:	Health, Retired 11/06/2014
Definition:	The start date of the initial course of non-surgical treatment for cancer.
Data Element Concept:	Cancer treatment—non-surgical cancer treatment start date
Value Domain:	Date DDMMYYYY

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Date
Data type:	Date/Time
Format:	DDMMYYYY
Maximum character length:	8

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The start date of the treatment is recorded regardless of whether treatment is completed as intended or not. Treatment subsequent to a recurrence will not be recorded.
	Collected for radiation therapy and systemic therapy.
	Date of surgical treatment is collected as a separate item.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Cancer Control Institute
Origin:	Commission on Cancer, Standards of the Commission on Cancer Registry Operations and Data Standards (ROADS) Volume II (1998).

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Is re-engineered from Cancer initial treatment - starting date, version 1, DE, NHDD, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf (14.1 KB) *No registration status*

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	Cancer (clinical) DSS

Health, Superseded 07/12/2005

DSS specific information:

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- be greater than or equal to the date of initial cancer diagnosis, and
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Collecting dates for radiotherapy treatment and systemic therapy agent treatment will allow evaluation of treatments delivered and of time intervals from diagnosis to treatment, from treatment to recurrence and from treatment to death.

Cancer (clinical) DSS

Health, Superseded 06/03/2009

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Health, Superseded 22/12/2009

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