

# Primary site of cancer code (ICD-10-AM 5th edn) ANN{.N[N]}

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### Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	333902
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 05/02/2008
<b>Definition:</b>	The ICD-10-AM (5th edition) code set representing the site of origin of a tumour, as opposed to the secondary or metastatic sites.

### Representational attributes

<b>Classification scheme:</b>	<a href="#">International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification 5th edition</a>
<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	ANN{.N[N]}
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	6

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Report the primary site of cancer, if known, for patients who have been diagnosed with a cancer. In ICD-10-AM (5th edition), primary site is identified using a single 4 digit code Cxx.x or Dxx.x.
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### Source and reference attributes

<b>Reference documents:</b>	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision (ICD-10)
<b>Revision status:</b>	ICD-10-AM 5th Ed supersedes the fourth edition of ICD-10-AM.  ICD-10-AM was developed by the National Centre for Classification in Health (NCCH). During the development, the NCCH was advised by members of the NCCH Coding Standards Advisory Committee (CSAC) and the Clinical Classification and Coding Groups (CCCG), consisting of expert clinical coders and clinicians nominated by the Clinical Casemix Committee of Australia.

### Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Supersedes <a href="#">Primary site of cancer code (ICD-10-AM 4th edn) ANN{.N[N]}</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 07/12/2005  Has been superseded by <a href="#">Primary site of cancer code (ICD-10-AM 6th edn) ANN{.N[N]}</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 22/12/2009
<b>Data elements implementing this value domain:</b>	<a href="#">Person with cancer—primary site of cancer, code (ICD-10-AM 5th edn) ANN{.N[N]}</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 05/02/2008