Cancer treatment—primary course of chemotherapy delay indicator, yes/no/unknown code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Delay in primary course of chemotherapy indicator |
| METEOR identifier: | 542950 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 08/05/2014 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether the primary course of  [**chemotherapy**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/436811) for cancer treatment has been delayed, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Cancer treatment—primary course of chemotherapy delay indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/542948) |
| Value Domain: | [Yes/no/unknown code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/428208) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Yes |
|  | 2 | No |
| Supplementary values: | 8 | Unknown |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Record if the planned course of primary chemotherapy has been delayed. |
| Collection methods: | Collect from patient medical records.  Record for a person undergoing chemotherapy as part of their cancer treatment. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Cancer Australia |
| Reference documents: | Cancer Australia Working Group, 2010. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Gynaecological cancer (clinical) DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/421105)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 14/05/2015  ***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is to be recorded for patients who have undergone chemotherapy as part of their cancer treatment.  [Gynaecological cancer (clinical) NBPDS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/599620)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 14/05/2015  ***Conditional obligation:***  This data element is to be recorded for patients who have undergone chemotherapy as part of their cancer treatment. |