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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 270754 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | A code set representing laterality. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | A | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | R | Right |
|  | L | Left |
|  | B | Bilateral |
| Supplementary values: | N | Not applicable |
|  | U | Unknown |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person with cancer—laterality of primary cancer, code [N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270177)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/12/2011  [Person with cancer—laterality of primary cancer, code A](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/422769)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 07/12/2011  [Person with cancer—pelvic lymph node dissection laterality, code A](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/494386)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 14/05/2015 |