
Tumour thickness at diagnosis - melanoma

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD
Knowledgebase ID: 000779 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
Effective date: 01-MAR-05
Definition: The measured thickness of a melanoma in millimetres.
Context: Patient management, population cancer statistics and research.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: QUANTITATIVE VALUE
Representation layout: NNN.NN
Minimum Size: 6
Maximum Size: 6
Data Domain: 999.99 Unknown
 NOVAL Size in millimetres - valid values are: 000.01 to 997.99

Guide For Use: The reporting standard for the thickness of melanoma is:
Primary cutaneous melanoma - the depth of penetration of tumour cells below the basal layer of the skin; measured to a precision of 0.01mm.

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:
Source Organisation:

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Request for / entry into service event

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

DSS - Cancer (clinical) From 04-Jun-04 to

