
Surgical treatment procedure for cancer

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD
Knowledgebase ID: 001082 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
Effective date: 01-MAR-05
Definition: The surgical procedure(s) used in the primary treatment of the cancer.
Context: This item is collected for determining outcome by treatment type.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: CODE
Representation layout: NNNNN-NN
Minimum Size:
Maximum Size: 8
Data Domain: NOVAL Current edition of ICD-10-AM procedure codes
Guide For Use: Each surgical treatment procedure used in the initial treatment of the cancer should be recorded. Surgical procedures performed for palliative purposes only should not be included.
For surgical procedures involved in the administration of another modality (eg., implantation of infusion pump, isolated limb perfusion/infusion, intra-operative radiotherapy) record both the surgery and the other modality.
Any systemic treatment which can be coded as a procedure through ICD-10-AM should be so coded (eg., stem cell or bone marrow infusion).
The Australian Classification of Health Interventions (ACHI), which is a part of ICD-10-AM, can be used to classify procedures.
Related metadata: relates to the data element Date of surgical treatment for cancer version 1
relates to the data element concept Initial treatment episode for cancer version 1

relates to the data element Intention of treatment for cancer version 1

Administrative Attributes

Source Document: Current edition of International Classification of Diseases, Australian Modification, National Centre for Classification in Health, Sydney (ICD 10 AM).
NSW Department of Health NSW Clinical Cancer Data Collection for Outcomes and Quality. Data Dictionary Version 1 (2001).

Source Organisation: National Centre for Classification in Health.
NSW Department of Health, Public Health Division.

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Physical wellbeing

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

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