

Intention of cancer treatment code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	288678
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 12/05/2014
Definition:	A code set representing the intention of the treatment for cancer.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Prophylactic
	2	Curative
	3	Non-curative or palliative
Supplementary values:	0	Did not have treatment
	9	Not stated

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 0 Did not have treatment
	This code is used when the patient did not have treatment as part of the initial management plan
	CODE 1 Prophylactic
	This code is used when the cancer has not developed
	CODE 2 Curative
	This code is used when treatment is given for control of the disease
	CODE 3 Non-curative or Palliative
	This code is used when the cure is unlikely to be achieved and treatment is given primarily for the purpose of pain control. Other benefits of the treatment are considered secondary contributions to the patient's quality of life
	CODE 9 Intention was not stated
	Patient had treatment for cancer but the intention was not stated.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Intention of treatment code N Health , Standard 08/05/2014 WA Health , Standard 19/03/2015
Data elements implementing this value domain:	Cancer treatment—intention of treatment, code N Health , Retired 12/05/2014

