

# Cancer treatment—radiotherapy treatment type

Exported from METEOR (AIHW's Metadata Online Registry)

© Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2024

This product, excluding the AIHW logo, Commonwealth Coat of Arms and any material owned by a third party or protected by a trademark, has been released under a Creative Commons BY 4.0 (CC BY 4.0) licence. Excluded material owned by third parties may include, for example, design and layout, images obtained under licence from third parties and signatures. We have made all reasonable efforts to identify and label material owned by third parties.

You may distribute, remix and build on this website's material but must attribute the AIHW as the copyright holder, in line with our attribution policy. The full terms and conditions of this licence are available at <https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/>.

Enquiries relating to copyright should be addressed to [info@aihw.gov.au](mailto:info@aihw.gov.au).

Enquiries or comments on the METEOR metadata or download should be directed to the METEOR team at [meteor@aihw.gov.au](mailto:meteor@aihw.gov.au).

# Cancer treatment—radiotherapy treatment type

## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	416611
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 08/05/2014
Definition:	The type of <a href="#">radiotherapy</a> administered during the initial course of treatment for cancer.

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	<a href="#">Cancer treatment</a>
Definition:	The course of cancer directed treatment or treatments, with defined dates of commencement and cessation, given to the patient by a treatment provider or team of providers. It includes all treatments administered to the patient before disease progression or recurrence and applies to surgical treatment, radiation therapy and systemic agent therapy for cancer.
Context:	This metadata item is required to provide the basis for a standard approach to recording and monitoring patterns of initial treatment for cancer patients.
Specialisation of:	<a href="#">Service/care event</a>

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	Commission on Cancer, Standards of the Commission on Cancer Registry Operations and Data Standards (ROADS) Volume II (1998)  Commission on Cancer, Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (2002)

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	<a href="#">Radiotherapy treatment type</a>
Definition:	The type of radiation therapy used for treatment.
Property group:	<a href="#">Service provision event</a>

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
--------------------------	--------------------------------------------

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes <a href="#">Cancer treatment—radiotherapy treatment type</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 07/12/2011  Has been superseded by <a href="#">Cancer treatment—radiotherapy treatment type</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 08/05/2014
------------------------------	----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

**Data Elements  
implementing this Data  
Element Concept:**

[Cancer treatment—radiotherapy treatment type, code N\[N\]  
Health](#), Superseded 08/05/2014