

# Person with cancer—perineural invasion indicator

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	429138
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 08/05/2014
Definition:	An indicator of whether perineural invasion is evident in a pathology specimen of the person with cancer.

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	<a href="#">Person with cancer</a>
Definition:	A person who has been diagnosed with a cancer.
Specialisation of:	<a href="#">Person/group of persons</a>

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	<a href="#">Perineural invasion indicator</a>
Definition:	<p>An indicator of whether perineural invasion is evident in a pathology specimen.</p> <p>Perineural invasion refers to cancer cells tracking along or around a nerve within the space surrounding a nerve.</p>
Property group:	<a href="#">Impairment characteristic</a>

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Cancer Australia
Reference documents:	Potter ST & Partin AW 2000. The significance of perineural invasion found on needle biopsy of the prostate: implications for definitive therapy. Reviews in Urology, Spring edition:87-88

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Person with cancer—perineural invasion indicator, yes/no/not applicable/not stated/inadequately described code N</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 08/05/2014
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