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: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), 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

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| Object class: | [Person with cancer](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268990) |
| Definition: | A person who has been diagnosed with a cancer. |
| Specialisation of: | [Person/group of persons](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/281123) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Perineural invasion indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/429128) |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether perineural invasion is evident  in a pathology specimen.  Perineural invasion refers to cancer cells tracking along or around a nerve within the space surrounding a nerve. |
| Property group: | [Impairment characteristic](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/525483) |
| 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



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| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Person with cancer—perineural invasion indicator, yes/no/not applicable/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/429134)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 08/05/2014 |