# Person with cancer—multiple primary tumours descriptor

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## Person with cancer—multiple primary tumours descriptor

#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

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**Definition:** Whether the multiple primary tumours in the person with cancer are synchronous or

metachronous.

#### **Object Class attributes**

#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: Person with cancer

**Definition:** A person who has been diagnosed with a cancer.

Specialisation of: Person/group of persons

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## **Property attributes**

#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: <u>Multiple primary tumours descriptor</u>

**Definition:** Whether the multiple primary tumours in the person with cancer are synchronous or

metachronous.

Synchronous primary tumours are detected simultaneously, either preoperatively or in the resected specimen. Metachronous primary tumours are detected after a time interval between detection of the first lesion and detection of a subsequent primary

lesion.

Property group: Impairment characteristic

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Cancer Australia

Reference documents: Breathnach OS & Skarin AT 2009. Multiple primary lung cancers. Wolters Kluwer

Health, UpToDate Inc., Waltham, MA. Viewed 8 March 2011, http://www.uptodate.com/contents/multiple-primary-lung-cancers

## Data element concept attributes

#### Relational attributes

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

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