

Person with cancer—second-line treatment type, code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Second-line treatment type
Synonymous names:	Second-line therapy
METEOR identifier:	432433
Registration status:	Health , Standard 08/05/2014
Definition:	The type of cancer-directed second-line treatment administered to a person with cancer, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person with cancer—second-line treatment type
Value Domain:	Cancer treatment type code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N[N]	
Maximum character length:	2	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Surgery only
	2	Radiotherapy only
	3	Systemic agent therapy only
	4	Surgery and radiotherapy
	5	Surgery and systemic agent therapy
	6	Radiotherapy and systemic agent therapy
	7	Surgery, radiotherapy and systemic agent therapy
Supplementary values:	97	Not applicable—treatment was not administered
	98	Unknown whether treatment was administered
	99	Treatment was administered but the type was not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>More than one treatment type may be administered during a course of cancer treatment; select the appropriate code value.</p> <p>Systemic agent therapy refers to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • chemotherapy • hormone therapy • immunotherapy <p>Surgery includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • surgical procedure for cancer • systemic therapy procedure involving surgery <p>A systemic therapy procedure is a medical, surgical or radiation procedure that has an effect on the hormonal or immunologic balance of the patient.</p> <p>Treatments other than surgery, radiotherapy or systemic agent therapy administered as part of the treatment are recorded separately.</p>
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Cancer Australia
Reference documents:	American College of Surgeons 2002. Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS), 2009 revision. Commission on Cancer, 28E

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>Record cancer-directed second-line treatment for a person with cancer. Cancer-directed treatment is that which destroys or modifies cancer tissue anywhere in the body.</p> <p>Treatment may involve one or more modalities; record the code for each type of treatment administered.</p> <p>Systemic therapy procedures are medical, surgical or radiation procedures that have an effect on the hormonal or immunological balance of the patient, and refer to haematologic transplant and endocrine procedures.</p> <p>Note the distinction between the administration of systemic agents or drugs, and systemic therapy procedures that affect the hormonal or immunologic balance of the patient.</p>
Collection methods:	This information should be sought from the patient's medical record.
Comments:	The collection of specific treatment information is useful to evaluate patterns of care, the effectiveness of different treatment modalities, and treatment by patient outcome.

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

See also [Person with cancer—second-line treatment intention, code N Health](#), Standard 14/05/2015

See also [Person with cancer—second-line treatment intention, code N Health](#), Superseded 14/05/2015

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Lung cancer \(clinical\) DSS](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 14/05/2015

Conditional obligation: Conditional on the administration of second-line treatment for cancer.

[Lung cancer \(clinical\) NBPDS](#)

[Health](#), Standard 14/05/2015

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