

Immunotherapy

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Glossary Item
Synonymous names:	Biological therapy, biotherapy, biological response modifier therapy
METEOR identifier:	437322
Registration status:	Health , Standard 07/12/2011
Definition:	The application of immunologic knowledge and techniques to prevent and treat disease.

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	Examples include the administration of increasing doses of allergens in the treatment of allergies, the use of immunostimulants and immunosuppressants, the transfer of immunocompetent cells and tissues from one person to another, and the use of interferon for its antiviral and antitumor properties.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Cancer Australia
Reference documents:	Myers T (Editor) 2009. Mosby's Medical Dictionary , 8th Edition. Missouri: Mosby Elsevier page 945

Relational attributes

**Metadata items which use
this glossary item:**

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