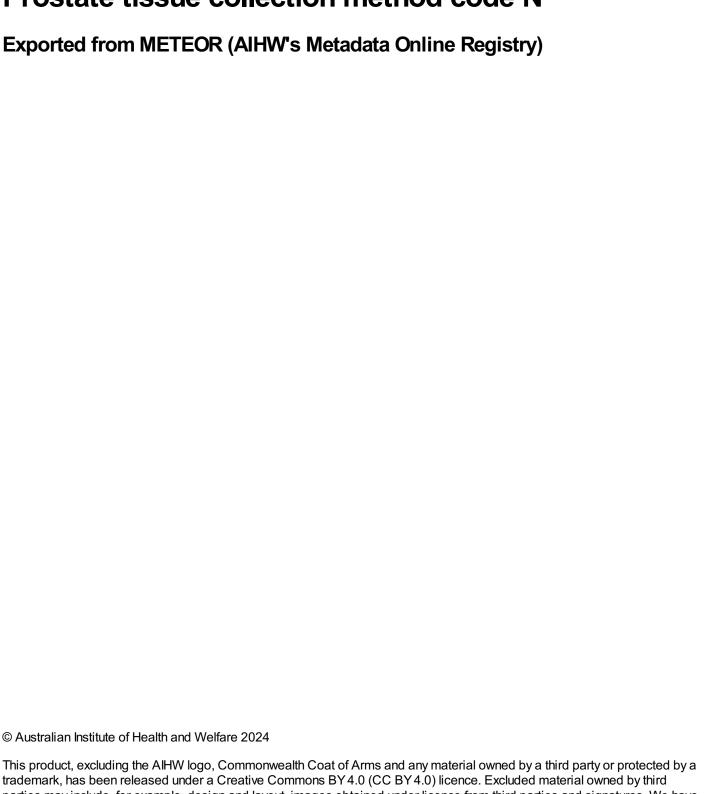
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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 482000

Registration status: <u>Health</u>, Standard 14/05/2015

Definition: A code outlining the method used to collect a tissue sample for diagnostic

pathology testing from a person with prostate cancer.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Average

Data type: Boolean

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

ValueMeaningPermissible values:1Transrectal ultrasound (TRUS) guided2Transperineal3Incidental8Unknown

9 Biopsy taken but technique not stated/inadequately

specified

Unit of measure precision:

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

This code outlines the different techniques for obtaining prostate tissue for

diagnostic purposes. The techniques outlined are:

• Transrectal ultrasound (TRUS) guided - A biopsy where a prostate tissue sample is taken from the prostate via a needle which is guided by an ultrasound probe that has been inserted into the rectum.

 Transperineal - A biopsy where a prostate tissue sample is removed with a thin needle that is inserted through the skin of the perenium.

 Incidental - Where the biopsy was obtained in a procedure that was not specifically for the purpose of cancer diagnosis, for example a transurethral resection of the prostate (TURP).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Cancer Australia

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value domain:

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