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| Definition: | The experimental agent or intervention used in a [**clinical trial**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/522854).  A clinical trial is a controlled experiment involving a defined set of subjects and having a clinical event as an outcome measure. It is intended to yield scientifically valid information about the efficacy or safety of a medical intervention such as, for example, a drug, surgical procedure or diagnostic test. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Cancer Australia |
| Reference documents: | Stedman TL 2006. Stedman's Medical Dictionary. 28th edition. Maryland: Lippincott Williams & Wilkins |
| Relational attributes | |
| Data Element Concepts implementing this property: | [Person with cancer—clinical trial experimental agent or intervention](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/487334)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 14/05/2015 |