

# Person with cancer—pelvic lymph node dissection laterality, code A

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Pelvic lymph node dissection laterality
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	494386
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 14/05/2015
<b>Definition:</b>	The laterality of a pelvic lymph node dissection in a person with cancer, as represented by a code.
<b>Context:</b>	Pelvic lymph node dissection is used to determine the presence of lymph node metastasis in people with cancer in the pelvic region.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Person with cancer—pelvic lymph node dissection laterality</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Laterality code A</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	A	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	R	Right
	L	Left
	B	Bilateral
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	N	Not applicable
	U	Unknown

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Record the laterality of a pelvic lymph node dissection in a person with cancer. Where no pelvic lymph node dissection has occurred record "Not applicable".
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### Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Cancer Australia
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### Relational attributes

<b>Implementation in Data Set Specifications:</b>	<a href="#">Prostate cancer (clinical) NBPDS</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 14/05/2015
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