

Person with cancer—tumour focality indicator

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Person with cancer—tumour focality indicator

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	495286
Registration status:	Health , Standard 14/05/2015
Definition:	Whether multiple tumour foci are present in a single cancer primary in a person with cancer.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Person with cancer
Definition:	A person who has been diagnosed with a cancer.
Specialisation of:	Person/group of persons

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Tumour focality indicator
Definition:	<p>An indicator of whether a primary tumour is reported to have a single (unifocal) or multiple (multifocal) foci.</p> <p>Patients with multiple foci reported as a single primary may have a worse prognosis or more extensive treatment than patients with a single foci.</p>

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.

Data element concept attributes

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Relational attributes

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:	Person with cancer—tumour focality indicator, code N Health , Standard 14/05/2015
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