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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Androgen deprivation therapy indicator

METEOR identifier: 505444

Registration status: Health, Standard 14/05/2015

Definition: An indicator of the use of <u>androgen deprivation therapy</u> to reduce of androgen

hormones as part of cancer treatment, as represented by a code.

This includes both chemical and surgical treatments.

Context: Androgen deprivation therapy is used to treat people with prostate cancer.

Data Element Concept: Cancer treatment—androgen deprivation therapy indicator

Value Domain: Yes/no/unknown code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N
Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Yes

2 No

Supplementary values: 8 Unknown

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Record whether androgen deprivation therapy was used in the treatment of a

person with prostate cancer.

Androgen hormones stimulate the growth of prostate cancer cells, and so the reduction of androgen hormones aims to reduce the spread of prostate cancer. This includes both chemical treatments, such as hormone agonists and

antagonists, and surgical treatment, such as an orchiectomy.

Collection methods: Collect from patient medical records.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Cancer Australia

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data SetProstate cancer (clinical) NBPDSSpecifications:Health, Standard 14/05/2015