

Person—~~asbestos~~ exposure setting, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Asbestos exposure setting
METEOR identifier:	520724
Registration status:	Health , Standard 08/05/2014
Definition:	The setting in which a person's exposure to asbestos is known to have occurred, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person—asbestos exposure setting
Value Domain:	Asbestos exposure setting code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Occupational exposure to asbestos
	2	Domestic exposure to asbestos
Supplementary values:	9	Exposure to asbestos occurred but where not stated/inadequately described

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Cancer Australia.
Reference documents:	Cancer Council Victoria 2010. Victorian Consensus Data Set: Lung Cancer Data Dictionary. Version 1.0. Melbourne, Victoria: Cancer Council Victoria.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	Record the setting in which a person's exposure to asbestos is known to have occurred. This data element should be recorded when Person—asbestos exposure indicator, yes/no/unknown code N indicates that a person has been exposed to asbestos (equals 1).
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Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Lung cancer \(clinical\) DSS](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 14/05/2015

Conditional obligation: Conditional on the person having known exposure to asbestos.

[Lung cancer \(clinical\) NBPDS](#)
[Health](#), Standard 14/05/2015

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