

# Cancer treatment—residual (R) tumour type, code AX

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Residual tumour type
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	521153
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 08/05/2014</li></ul>
<b>Definition:</b>	The type of tumour that remains after the course of cancer treatment, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Cancer treatment—residual (R) tumour type</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code										
<b>Data type:</b>	String										
<b>Format:</b>	AX										
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2										
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### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Record the presence or absence of residual tumour after treatment.  Residual disease is based on the UICC TNM cancer staging system descriptor represented by the symbol R.
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### Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Cancer Australia
<b>Reference documents:</b>	Sobin LH, Gospodarowicz MK, Wittekind C (Editors) 2009. International Union Against Cancer (UICC): TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours. 7th ed. Hoboken, New Jersey: John Wiley & Sons

### Data element attributes

## Relational attributes

### Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Lung cancer \(clinical\) DSSHealth](#), Superseded 14/05/2015

***Conditional obligation:***

Collect when a person with cancer has completed their initial course of cancer treatment.

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

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