

# Date of cancer staging

## Identifying and definitional attributes

**Metadata item type:** Property

**METEOR identifier:** 568595

**Registration status:**

- [Health](#), Standard 04/02/2015

**Definition:** The date on which cancer staging is completed.

Cancer staging is a system of determining the extent or stage of cancer. This date should be equal to the date that the latest pathological or clinical testing required to determine staging occurred. Should the staging be based on surgical findings the date should be equal to the date of the relevant surgery.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Cancer Australia

## Relational attributes

**Data Element Concepts implementing this property:** [Cancer staging— date of cancer staging](#)

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