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Person with cancer—morphology of cancer

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 269647

Registration status: Health!, Standard 01/03/2005

Definition: The morphology of a cancer refers to the histological classification of the cancer

tissue (histopathological type) and a description of the course of development that a tumour is likely to take: benign or malignant (behaviour). The designation is based on a microscopic diagnosis of morphology by the pathologist (Esteban,

Whelan, Laudico & Parkin 1995).

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

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: Morphology of cancer

Definition: The histology and likely course of development of a tumour.

Property group: Assessment event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

Person with cancer—morphology of cancer, code (ICD-O-3) NNNN/N

Health!, Standard 07/12/2011

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