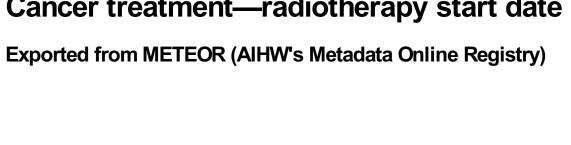
Cancer treatment—radiotherapy start date



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 393481

Registration status: Health!, Superseded 08/05/2014

Definition: The start date of the <u>radiotherapy</u> administered during the initial course of

treatment for cancer.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: <u>Cancer treatment</u>

Definition: The course of cancer directed treatment or treatments, with defined dates of

commencement and cessation, given to the patient by a treatment provider or team of providers. It includes all treatments administered to the patient before disease progression or recurrence and applies to surgical treatment, radiation therapy and

systemic agent therapy for cancer.

Context: This metadata item is required to provide the basis for a standard approach to

recording and monitoring patterns of initial treatment for cancer patients.

Specialisation of: Service/care event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Origin: Commission on Cancer, Standards of the Commission on Cancer Registry

Operations and Data Standards (ROADS) Volume II (1998)

Commission on Cancer, Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (2002)

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: Radiotherapy start date

Definition: The date on which radiotherapy_commenced.

Radiotherapy is the treatment of disease by means of ionizing radiation.

Property group: Entry into service event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Cancer Australia

Reference documents: Dorland I, Newman WA 2003. Dorland's illustrated medical dictionary (30th edn).

Philadelphia: Saunders p1564

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Related metadata Has been superseded by Cancer treatment—radiotherapy start date

references: Health!, Standard 08/05/2014

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

<u>Cancer treatment—radiotherapy start date, DDMMYYYY</u>
<u>Health!</u>, Superseded 08/05/2014