

# Radiation dose administered

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Property
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	433489
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 07/12/2011
<b>Definition:</b>	<p>The amount of radiation administered.</p> <p>Radiotherapy is the treatment of disease by means of ionizing radiation.</p> <p>The amount or dose of radiation administered is measured in grays. The gray (Gy) is the SI (International System of Units) unit of absorbed radiation dose of ionizing radiation (for example, X-rays), and is defined as the absorption of one joule of ionizing radiation by one kilogram of matter (usually human tissue).</p>
<b>Property group:</b>	<a href="#">Service provision event</a>

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Reference documents:</b>	<p>Dorland I, Newman WA 2003. Dorland's illustrated medical dictionary (30th edn). Philadelphia: Saunders p1564</p> <p>Myers T (Editor) 2009. Mosby's Medical Dictionary , 8<sup>th</sup> Edition. Missouri: Mosby Elsevier page 820</p>

## Relational attributes

<b>Data Element Concepts implementing this property:</b>	<p><a href="#">Cancer treatment—radiation dose administered</a> <a href="#">Health!</a>, Standard 08/05/2014</p> <p><a href="#">Cancer treatment—radiation dose administered</a> <a href="#">Health!</a>, Superseded 08/05/2014</p>
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