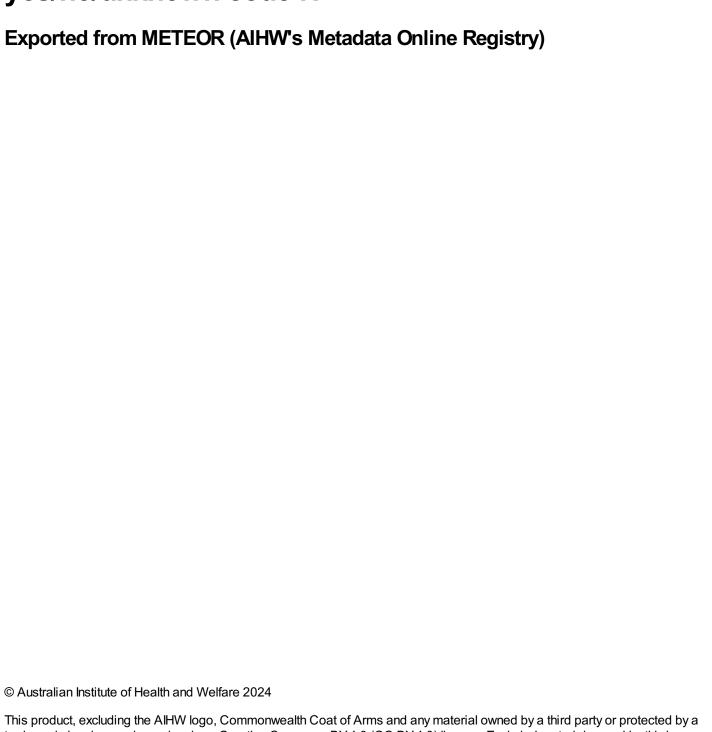
Person with cancer—molecular pathology indicator, yes/no/unknown code N



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Molecular pathology indicator

Synonymous names: Molecular pathology

METEOR identifier: 435150

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

Definition: An indicator of whether <u>molecular pathology</u> testing was performed to

characterise a person's cancer, as represented by a code.

Data Element Concept: Person with cancer—molecular pathology indicator

Value Domain: Yes/no/unknown code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N
Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Yes

2 No

Supplementary values: 8 Unknown

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Record whether or not molecular testing was performed on the biospecimen

sample of a person with cancer. This should be collected for people with cancer

where pathology data is available.

Collection methods: This information should be sought from the patient's pathology report or a pathology

database.

Comments: Collected to identify the number of patients who undergo molecular testing. The

presence of genetic or molecular abnormalities may be of clinical significance and

influence treatment decisions.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Cancer Australia

Reference documents: Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia 2010. Lung cancer structured

reporting protocol. 1st Edition (Version 1.0). Surry Hills, NSW: Royal College of

Pathologists of Australasia

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

See also Person with cancer—lung cancer molecular pathology test results, code

<u>N[N]</u>

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See also Person with cancer—molecular pathology test date, DDMMYYYY

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See also Person with cancer—molecular pathology test results, (other) code

X[X(19)]

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Implementation in Data Set Lung cancer (clinical) DSS

Specifications:

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