Person with cancer—lymphovascular invasion indicator, yes/no code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element	
Short name:	Lymphovascular invasion indicator	
METEOR identifier:	519212	
Registration status:	Health!, Standard 08/05/2014	
Definition:	An indicator of whether there is evidence of the invasion of cancer cells into blood vessels and/or the lymphatic system in the person with cancer, as represented by a code.	
Data Element Concept:	Person with cancer—lymphovascular invasion indicator	
Value Domain:	Yes/no code N	

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Boolean	
Format:	Ν	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

An indicator of whether there is evidence of invasion of cancer cells into blood vessels and/or the lymphatic system. Lymphovascular involvement usually precedes spread to the lymph nodes and hence is a predictor of lymph node metastases, although its value as a prognostic indicator is related to cancer type.

Relational attributes

Specifications:

Implementation in Data Set Gynaecological cancer (clinical) DSS Health!, Superseded 14/05/2015

> Gynaecological cancer (clinical) NBPDS Health!, Standard 14/05/2015

Lung cancer (clinical) DSS Health!, Superseded 14/05/2015

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