

# Person with cancer—multiple primary tumours indicator, yes/no code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Multiple primary tumours indicator
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	519548
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 08/05/2014
<b>Definition:</b>	An indicator of whether a person with cancer has multiple primary tumours, as represented by a code.

## Data element concept attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Data element concept:</b>	<a href="#">Person with cancer—multiple primary tumours indicator</a>
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	519544
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 08/05/2014
<b>Definition:</b>	An indicator of whether a person with cancer has multiple primary tumours.
<b>Object class:</b>	<a href="#">Person with cancer</a>
<b>Property:</b>	<a href="#">Multiple primary tumours indicator</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Value domain:</b>	<a href="#">Yes/no code N</a>
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	270732
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 01/03/2005 <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 27/04/2007 <a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Standard 21/05/2010 <a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 23/08/2010 <a href="#">Homelessness</a> , Standard 23/08/2010 <a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a> , Standard 01/11/2012 <a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Standard 16/09/2014 <a href="#">Disability</a> , Standard 07/10/2014 <a href="#">WA Health</a> , Standard 19/03/2015 <a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a> , Retired 01/07/2016 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 27/05/2020
<b>Definition:</b>	A code set representing 'yes' and 'no'.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code				
<b>Data type:</b>	Boolean				
<b>Format:</b>	N				
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1				
<b>Permissible values:</b>	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1</td><td>Yes</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	1	Yes
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1	Yes				

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** Record whether a person with cancer has multiple primary tumours, regardless of whether they are synchronous or metachronous.

Patients with multiple primary tumours may have a worse prognosis or more extensive treatment than patients with a single tumour. In addition, the management and prognosis when multiple primary tumours are present may vary depending on whether the tumours are synchronous or metachronous.

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Cancer Australia

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** See also [Person with cancer—multiple primary tumours descriptor, code N Health!](#), Standard 08/05/2014

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [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  
[Lung cancer \(clinical\) NBPDS Health!](#), Standard 14/05/2015