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# Cancer: register

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# Indicator NM234

The contractor establishes and maintains a register of all cancer patients excluding non-melanotic skin cancers.

## Indicator type

General practice indicator suitable for use in the Quality and Outcomes Framework.

## Rationale

This indicator establishes a register of people with cancer with the aim of facilitating support and management. People with non-melanotic skin cancer are excluded as they are unlikely to require continuing support after treatment.

## Source guidance

This register indicator is intended to support implementation of NICE guidelines on cancer and patient experience.

## Specification

A register of people diagnosed with cancer.

Exclusions: People diagnosed with non-melanotic skin cancers.

## Further information

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