

# Disease status:

Based on the data available to the clinician at the time of evaluation, categorize the patient's disease extent. Determination of disease progression is based on a number of complex variables which include objective measures like tumor growth, symptomatic criteria, patient reported information, and subjective evaluations.

Example:

#Disease status for the patient is #<status> #as of #09/01/2017 based on #<reason> and #<reason> compared to her last visit on #reference date #01/01/2010.

Process:

1. Must start with the #disease status tag.

2. After #disease status, specify one status value:

- #Complete Response
- #Complete Resection
- #Responding
- #Stable
- #Progressing
- #Inevaluable

3. After #disease status, one or more (but only once each) reason values must be specified:

- #Pathology
- #Imaging
- #Symptoms
- #Physical Exam
- #Markers

4. The #reference date is the date previous evaluations were performed, against which current evaluations are compared

Additional examples:

#Disease status is #stable based on #imaging, #symptoms, and #markers.

The #disease status (evidence is #pathology and #markers) is #responding.

Case of the #disease status tag can vary.

#<reason> values can appear before or after the #<status> value.