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# PT3c Stage Finding

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National Cancer Institute. *pT3c Stage Finding*. NCI Thesaurus. Code C48771.

A pathologic primary tumor TNM stage finding. The definition of pT3c stage finding depends on the particular type of cancer that it refers to; for example, for kidney cancer, pT3c stage finding is defined as follows: cancer with tumor grossly extending into the vena cava above the diaphragm, or invading the wall of the vena cava; for fallopian tube cancer, pT3c stage finding is defined as follows: cancer with peritoneal metastasis outside the pelvis and more than 2 cm in diameter. (from AJCC 7th Ed.)