

2014 FCDS Data Acquisition Manual (FCDS DAM)
Summary of Changes

NEW OR ADDED SECTION OR DATA ITEM(s)

SECTION II – Abstracting and Coding Instructions

- AJCC TNM Cancer Staging System Section – TNM is “Optional” for CoC-Accredited Facilities Only in 2014
 - Clinical T, N, M and AJCC Clinical Stage Group Items
 - Clinical TNM – Staged By
 - Pathologic TNM and AJCC Pathologic Stage Group Items
 - Pathologic TNM – Staged By
 - Prefix Descriptors (clinical and pathologic)
 - TNM Edition Number

APPENDICES

- Appendix N – Instructions for Coding Grade for 2014+ (from the CoC/SEER/NPCR Technical WG)
- Appendix O - ICD-10-CM Casefinding List for Reportable Tumors (MUST BE USED 10/1/2015 forward)

UPDATED OR CLARIFICATION OF SECTION or DATA ITEM(s)

SECTION I – General Instructions

- Section IA - Reportable Neoplasms (clarify reporting of GIST, Thymoma, cancers of genital sites, VAIN III, VIN III, PAIN III, AIN III, historical /0 and /1 brain and CNS tumors, and in utero cancer)
- Section IA - Annual Reporting Deadline – June 30th
- Section IB - Casefinding - Implementation of ICD-10-CM/PCS with Casefinding Instructions
- Section IB - Casefinding - Pathology Casefinding Is Required
- Section IB - ICD-10-CM Casefinding List for Reportable Tumors
- Section IC - FCDS Abstractor Code Policy and Testing Requirements
- Section IC - CoC RQRS and the FCDS 6-month Case Abstracting Requirement (Timeliness)
- Section IC - Required/Recommended Desktop References
- Section ID - Data Transmission and Quarterly Reporting to FCDS
- Section ID – Data Acceptance Policy – FCDS EDITS
- Section IJ – FCDS Data Quality Indicator Report (DQIR)
- Section IL – Awards – Pat Strait Award for Excellence in Cancer Registry Abstracting
- Section I – Sample 2014 FCDS Reporting Calendar
- Section I – Sample 2014 FCDS Abstract (do not send to FCDS)

SECTION II – Abstracting and Coding Instructions

- Several Data Item Definitions Were Updated/Clarified
 - Reporting Facility
 - Accession Number – Hospital
 - Sequence Number – Hospital
 - Date Case Completed/Date Abstracted
 - Social Security Number – No Partial SSNs Allowed
 - Birthplace State and Birthplace Country – clarification
 - Address at DX State and Address at DX Country – clarification
 - Address Current State and Address Current Country – clarification
 - Text Usual Occupation and Text Usual Industry
 - Primary Site
 - Use of C76.* as Primary Site Discouraged
 - Head and Neck Cancers with No Primary Site Identified
 - Metastatic Neoplasm of Specific Type with No Primary Site Identified
 - Grade/Differentiation/Immunophenotype
 - entire section rewritten for “Grade Coding Instructions for 2014+”
 - Lymph Vascular Invasion – clarified
 - Treatment – Clarification for coding Aspirin, Phlebotomy, and Transfusion

APPENDICES – NEW and UPDATED

- Appendix A – Updated - Facility Listings – Hospitals/Surgery Centers/Radiation Therapy Centers
- Appendix C – Updated – Breast Cancer Profile Explaining ER/PR/EHR2 Prognostic Factors
- Appendix G – Updated - 2014 FCDS Record Layout (NAACCR Version 14)
- Appendix H – Updated - 2014 FCDS Required CSv02.05 Site Specific Factors (SSFs)
- Appendix N – NEW – Grade Coding Instructions for 2014+ (from the CoC/SEER/NPCR Technical WG)
- Appendix O – Updated - ICD-10-CM Casefinding List for Reportable Tumors
- Appendix P – Updated - 2014 Resources for Registrars
- Appendix Q – Updated - FCDS Frequently Asked Questions
 - FCDS IDEA User Accounts
 - Facility Access Administrator (FAA) and Responsibilities
 - FCDS Abstractor Code

NO LONGER REQUIRED DATA ITEM(s)

- BREAST SSF10 (HER2 FISH Lab Value) No Longer Required
- BREAST SSF12 (HER2 CISH Lab Value) No Longer Required