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What's New:

The following information is currently available on the FCDS website.

- Quality Control Abstract Record Review, Recording of Teleconference (42 minutes), with Slides and Handouts
- NAACCR Webinar: Data Quality and Data Use on 5/8/2008. Session #6 of 8 is being held at 3 Florida facilities and requires registration
- FCDS Register Vol. 39
- The winners of the Jean Byers Award for Excellence in Cancer Registration
- Florida Annual Cancer Report: Incidence and Mortality
- Pediatric Cancer in Florida 1981-2000
- FCDS Monograph of Cancer in Florida: Admissions (Total), Analytic Cases Only



Florida Cancer Data System 2008 Annual Meeting July 24-25, 2008

Sawgrass Mills Sunrise,
13400 W Sunrise Blvd,
Sunrise, FL 33323,
Phone: 954-851-1020

Website:

<http://www.sawgrasshotel.com>.

DAY 1

8:30 - 5:00 PM

GENERAL SESSION

- DOH - Update
- FCDS - State of the State
- FCDS Implementation Update
- Web-Based QC & Follow-back
- Data Usage & Research
- National Surveillance Partners

DAY 2

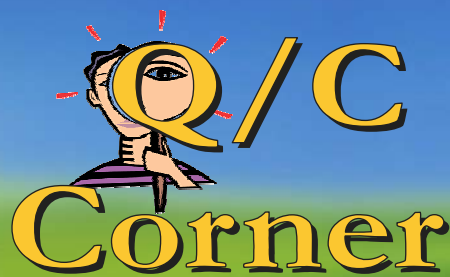
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EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS

(Concurrent sessions)

- Session 1 - Beginners / Intermediate Training
- Session 2 - Advanced Training





QUESTION:

MP/H Rules/Multiple Primaries--Bladder: The new multiple primary rule M7 states that tumors diagnosed more than three years apart are multiple primaries. Does this apply to in situ bladder tumors that occur more than three years apart and to an in situ tumor that occurs three years after an invasive tumor?

ANSWER:

Use the MP/H rules in order. Rule M6 comes before rule M7.

M6 states that bladder tumors with certain histologies are a single primary. It is a single primary regardless of timing if there is any combination of:

- papillary carcinoma [8050]
- transitional cell carcinoma [8120-8124]
- papillary transitional cell carcinoma [8130-8131]

Rule M7 only applies to bladder tumors with histologies other than those listed above. If you have such a case, rule M7 applies to in-situ tumors and to an in situ three years after an invasive.

REFERENCE:

2007 MP/H Rules (Urinary (M6, M7)), SINC, ID #20071016

QUESTION:

MP/H Rules--Lung: How many primaries should be abstracted for this 2007 diagnosis in the right lung?
Please see discussion

Discussion:

A RUL lung wedge resection and RML and RLL lobectomies were performed. The RUL resection showed invasive adenocarcinoma with bronchioalveolar-like features. Tumor size 9x.9x.8cm. The RLL lobectomy showed invasive non-small cell carcinoma with clear cell features. Tumor size 4.1x2.5x1.8cm. The RML lobectomy showed invasive adenocarcinoma. Tumor size 3.0x1.6x2.2cm.

Comment: Essentially three invasive tumors and a focus of bronchioalveolar carcinoma were identified in 3 specimens. All of the tumors appear somewhat histologically different. The larger tumors in the right and middle lobe were somewhat similar but still appear histologically different and therefore the pathologic staging is done based on all tumors being separate. The pathologic staging for this case is pT2(4) pN0 pMX. What histology code and what site code are to be used on each abstract?



ANSWER:

Abstract two primaries:

1. C341 (or C349) 8140 - invasive adenocarcinoma (RUL and RML)
2. C343 8310 - invasive non-small cell carcinoma with clear cell features (RLL)

There are three tumors in right lung.

RUL: invasive adenocarcinoma, bronchioalveolar-like features (8140, "-like" is not on the list of ambiguous terms used to code histology)

RLL: invasive non-small cell carcinoma with clear cell features (8310)

RML: invasive adenocarcinoma (8140)

Begin with rule M3 in the Multiple Tumors module. Stop at rule M11, multiple primaries for the tumor in the RLL (8310) compared to the tumors in the RUL and RML (8140 & 8140).

Now evaluate the tumors in the RUL and RML using the multiple primary rules. Start at rule M3 and stop at rule M12, single primary.

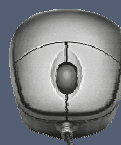
Reference:

2007 SEER Manual; pgs C-528 (Appendix C) rule M12, single primary, SING, ID #20071111

Clicks @ FCDS

The FCDS webinar, **QC ONLINE ABSTRACT REVIEW**, is now available on the FCDS website. Webinar is 42 minutes in length. Click link below.

<http://fcds.med.miami.edu/downloads/teleconferences/Quality%20Control%20Abstract%20Record%20Review.html>



Principles and Practice of Cancer Registration, Surveillance, and Control



May 5-7, 2008

ADVANCED COURSE

CANCER SURVEILLANCE: EPIDEMIOLOGY AND DATA UTILIZATION

Cancer Surveillance: Epidemiology and Data Utilization is designed to help participants learn the basics of cancer epidemiology and more effective ways to utilize cancer data. Topics will include descriptive epidemiology, analytic epidemiology, survival analysis, administrative/clinical uses of registry data, data presentation, advanced data editing, data analysis and cancer abstracting

July 21-25, 2008 and Oct 13-17, 2008

BASIC COURSE

PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES OF CANCER REGISTRATION, SURVEILLANCE AND CONTROL

- Intensive review of ICD-O coding and Collaborative Staging
- Basic review of multiple primary rules & other staging schemes
- Anatomy, physiology & medical terminology of cancer sites
- Extensive hands-on abstracting using mock medical records
- And much, much, more.....

REGISTER ONLINE AND OBTAIN MORE INFORMATION AT:
<http://www.sph.emory.edu/GCCS/training/practice/index.html>
or **GOOGLE : Georgia Center for Cancer Statistics**

Courses fill up quickly!
Payment must be received to guarantee space.



Edit Update:

FCDS Edit 450 Update:

WARNING: The zip code, county, and/or city name spelling combination is not valid according to the United States Postal Service (USPS).

Edit 450 is currently a "Warning." The City Name must be spelled in conformance with the United States Postal Service (USPS) list of acceptability. This edit will validate the city spelling, the zip and county code within the city. FCDS has added 193 extra zip-city-county combinations thanks to the new 'comprehensive' zip4 data file from USPS. This should lessen the error 450 problems. This edit will become mandatory on July 1st, 2008.

ANNUAL MAIL FILE REVIEW

Please be sure to review and return the FCDS Annual Mail File Review form. In an effort to efficiently correspond with you, make any and all corrections to the information provided directly on the form itself and return it to FCDS at your earliest convenience. You must provide us with the National Provider Identification number for your facility and the email addresses for both the facility Administrator and the Registrar, if blank. This information is required. You may fax the form to 305-243-4871. Please feel free to contact FCDS anytime throughout the year to inform us of any changes.

DEADLINES- SERIOUSLY DELINQUENT LETTER

Hospitals that have fewer than 55% of their 2007 total annual caseload reported to FCDS by the end of April will receive a Seriously Delinquent letter. The letter will be mailed the first week of May 2008 to the hospital Administrator with a copy to the Tumor Registrar or Health Information Management Director. The intent of the letter is to inform the facility that state mandated reporting of cancer cases to the Florida Cancer Data System (FCDS) is seriously delinquent and that the facility has 60 days in which to complete the reporting.

Facilities failing to meet state cancer reporting requirements by June 30, 2008 will be referred to the Florida Department of Health for non-compliance. Please contact your Field Coordinator immediately at (305) 243-4600 to discuss your plans to meet the reporting deadline of June 30, 2008. FCDS continues to work with individual facilities under extenuating circumstances.

RADIATION THERAPY CENTERS CANCER CASE IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM

Free-standing Radiation Therapy Centers are responsible for identifying and reporting all of their cancer cases to the Florida Cancer Data System using the FCDS-IDEA Single Entry or the File Upload modules. The deadline to submit the 2007 cases is June 30, 2008. Please contact your Field Coordinator, Betty Hallo, CTR at 305-243-2627 for more information.



FCDS Mailing Information

US Postal Service mail including Express mail, Priority mail and Certified mail should be sent to the following PO Box address:

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Florida Cancer Data System Cancer Reporting Completeness Report

TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES IN THE FCDS MASTERFILE AS OF MARCH 31, 2007

Total number of *New Cases* added to the FCDS Master file in March 2008: **18,723**

The figures shown below reflect initial patient encounters (admissions) for cancer by year.

ADMISSION YEAR	HOSPITAL	RADIATION	AMBI/SURG	PHYSICIAN OFFICE	DERM PATH	DCO	TOTAL CASES	NEW CASES
2007	88,371	3,266	197	0	589	Pending	92,477	16,695
2006	160,101	8,191	578	0	1,035	Pending	170,045	1,822
2005	159,818	8,868	2,846	385	1,006	2,694	175,745	206

		<u>Actual</u>	<u>Expected</u>
% Complete for:	2007	56%	75%
	2006	100%	100%
	2005	100%	100%

**Expected % based on 165,000 reported cases/year*