# ICD O CODE IN CANCER REGISTRY

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#### Data source

#### Pathology report:

- A. the pathologic specimen from the surgical procedure
- B. Cytology report:

From body fluids (bone marrow, PBS, pleural...)

#### No pathology or cytology report:

The mention of type of cancer (histology) in the medical record (Clinics, Imaging center, dead certificate...).

ICD-0-3 Manual Format

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## ICD O 3th Edition

Topography
Morphology
Rules
Error

Topography Codes (C codes)

✓ Site of origin ✓ Subsite

C00- C80.9



Upper inner

## Special rules in topography

C76/-

Ill define site

If a topographic site is modified

by a prefix such as peri-, para- or the like, which is not specifically listed in ICD-O, code to the appropriate ill-defined subcategory C76 (ill-defined site), unless the type of tumor indicates origin from a particular tissue.

## Special rules in topography

#### **Overlappings**

Tumors involving more than one topographic category or subcategory Use subcategory "8" when a single tumor overlaps the boundaries of two or more categories or subcategories and its point of origin cannot be determined

**C21.8** Overlapping lesion of rectum, anus and anal canal

☐ **C67.8** Overlapping lesion of bladder

#### Special rules in topography

#### Topography codes for lymphomas

- ✓ If multiple lymph node regions are involved by lymphoma, code to C77.8
- ✓ Code extranodal lymphomas to the site of origin, which may not be the site of Biopsy
- If no site is indicated for a lymphoma, code to C77.9 (lymph node, NOS)

### Special rules in topography

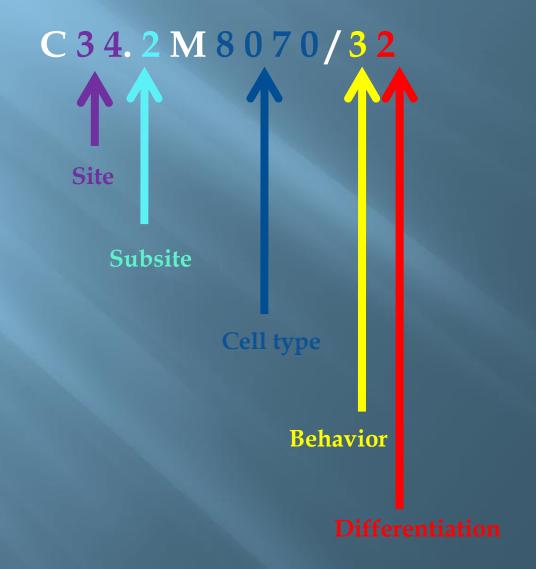
C42/1

Code all leukemias except myeloid sarcoma (9930/3) to C42.1(bone marrow)

C80/9

Unknown primary site

- Morphology Codes (M codes)
- M8000-M9989
  - ☐ Type of cell (first 4 digit)
  - ☐ Behavior(5<sup>th</sup> digit)
  - ☐ Grade(6<sup>th</sup> digit)



#### Behavior code in morphology (5th digit)

- ✓ /0 Benign
- ✓ /1 Uncertain whether benign or malignant; borderline
- ✓ /2 In situ; non-invasive
- ✓ /3 Malignant; Invasive
- ✓ /6 Malignant; metastatic site
- ✓ /9 Malignant, uncertain whether primary or metastatic
- ✓ Note: 6 not used in cancer registery

Liver biopsy:

Metastatic Adenocarcinoma

If patient is known case of lung Adenocarcinoma

C34.9 M-8140/39

If unknown primary site

C80.9 M8140/39

#### TABLE 27. WHO GRADING SYSTEM (MALIGNANCY SCALE) FOR CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM TUMORS

Tumor Type to be Coded	WHO Grade	iĈD-Ō Code	ICD-O Behavior Code (5th digit)
Astrocytic tumors (Astrocytoma) Subependymal glant cell Pilocytic Low grade Pleomorphic xanthoastrocytoma Anaplastic Glioblastoma	      -         V	9384 9421 9400 9424 9401 9440	1 1 3 3 3
Oligodendrogliomas Low grade Anaplastic		9450 9451	3 3
Oligoastrocytomas Low grade Anaplastic	#	9382 9382	3 3

- 6<sup>th</sup> digit : Differentiation
- ✓ 1: well differentiation
- ✓ 2: moderately differentiation
- ✓ 3: poorly differentiation
- ✓ 4: Undifferentiation, anaplastic
- ✓ 5: T-cell
- **√** 6: B cell
- ✓ 7:Null cell (Non T Non B)
- ✓ 8: NK cell
- ✓ 9: Not determined

Gleason grade for Prostate cancer

Gleason grade	6 <sup>th</sup> digit code
2-4	1
5-7	2
8-10	3

# The most prevalent error

- Copy and paste
- ✓ No coding
- ✓ 6<sup>th</sup> digit of M code
- ✓ C code of gastric cancer: 16/1 to 16/9
- ✓ C code of skin cancer: 44/1 to 44/9 except penis(60/9) and vulva(51/9) and scrotum(63/2)
- ✓ C code of colon cancer: 18/1 to 18/9 except rectosigmoid(19/9) and rectum(20/9)
- $\checkmark$  C code of metastatic tumor (80/9)

- Squamous cell carcinoma, grade II
- Squamous cell carcinoma, moderately to well differentiated

8070/32

MD SCC with PD areas

8070/33

Anaplastic SCC

8070/34

 $\checkmark$  Non-small cell carcinoma, most likely adenocarcinoma.

Code: adenocarcinoma.

✓ SCC(8070/3), SCC Keratinizing type(8071/3), SCC non- keratinizing(8072/3)

Thyroid, Papillary Carcinoma



Follicular variant(8340/3) Columnar cell(8344)

Basal cell Carcinoma

8090/31,8090/32,8090/33,...



✓ BCC (subtype)

NOS (8090)

Superficial (8091)

Desmoplastic (8092)

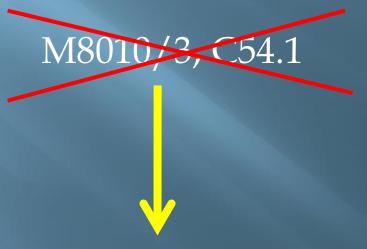
Nodular(8097)

Basosquamous(8094)

8090/39



**Endometroid Carcinoma** 



M8380/3, C56.9 or C54.1

- ✓ Undifferentiated carcinoma: 8020/34
- ✓ Anaplastic carcinoma: M8021/34
- ✓ Malignant neoplasm: 8000/39
- ✓ Spindle cell malignant tumor: 8004/39
- ✓ Neoplasm malignant, uncertain whether primary or metastatic: 8000/39

#### **Metastasis**

- ✓ Dx: Liver biopsy
- ✓ metastatic adenocarcinoma
- ✓ C80/9 M8140/39
- ✓ Dx: Liver biopsy(Known case of gastric adenocarcinoma)
- Metastatic adenocarcinoma
- ✓ C16/9 M8140/39
- ✓ Dx: Liver biopsy
- Adenocarcinoma, uncertain whether primary or metastatic
- ✓ C22/0 M8140/39
- ✓ Dx: Liver biopsy
- Malignant neoplasm, uncertain whether primary or metastatic
- ✓ C22/0 M8000/39

#### Bladder

- ✓ Transitional cell carcinoma: 8120/39
- ✓ Papillary transitional cell carcinoma: M8130/39

#### These terms don't need ICD O code in pap smear

- ✓ Sugggestive for malignancy
- ✓ suspicious for malignancy
- ✓ CIN II, CIN I
- ✓ LSIL (Low grade squamous intraepithelial lesion)

#### These term need to ICD O code

- ✓ CINШ(Cervical intraepithelial neoplasia, gradeШ)
- **✓** HSIL (high grade squamouas intraepithelial lesion)
- **✓** Posititive for malignancy
- **✓** Consistent with malignancy
- **✓** Compatible with malignancy
- **✓** Malignant cells
- ✓ Malignant spindle cells

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