

Collaborative Staging Codes**Skin [excl. Skin of Eyelid] [excl. Malignant Melanoma, Kaposi Sarcoma, Mycosis Fungoides, Sezary Disease, and Other Lymphomas]**

C44.0, C44.2-C44.9

C44.0 Skin of lip, NOS

C44.2 External ear

C44.3 Skin of ear and unspecified parts of face

C44.4 Skin of scalp and neck

C44.5 Skin of trunk

C44.6 Skin of upper limb and shoulder

C44.7 Skin of lower limb and hip

C44.8 Overlapping lesion of skin

C44.9 Skin, NOS

Note: Laterality must be coded for C44.2-C44.3 and C44.5-C44.7. For codes C44.3 and C44.5, if the tumor is midline (e.g., chin), code as 9, midline, in the laterality field.

Skin [excl. Skin of Eyelid] [excl. Malignant Melanoma, Kaposi Sarcoma, Mycosis Fungoides, Sezary Disease, and Other Lymphomas]**CS Tumor Size****SEE STANDARD TABLE****Skin [excl. Skin of Eyelid] [excl. Malignant Melanoma, Kaposi Sarcoma, Mycosis Fungoides, Sezary Disease, and Other Lymphomas]****CS Extension (Revised: 12/10/2003)**

Note 1: In the case of multiple simultaneous tumors, code the tumor with greatest extension.

Note 2: Skin ulceration does not alter the Collaborative Stage classification.

Note 3: Skin of genital sites is not included in this schema. These sites are skin of vulva (C51.0-C51.2, C51.8-C51.9), skin of penis (C60.0-C60.1, C60.8, C60.9) and skin of scrotum (C63.2).

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS2000
00	In situ: noninvasive; intraepidermal; Bowen disease	Tis	IS	IS
10	Lesion(s) confined to dermis	*	L	L
40	Localized, NOS	*	L	L
50	Subcutaneous tissue (through entire dermis)	*	L	L
70	Underlying cartilage, bone, skeletal muscle	T4	D	RE
80	Further contiguous extension	T4	D	D
95	No evidence of primary tumor	T0	U	U

99	Unknown extension Primary tumor cannot be assessed Not documented in patient record	TX	U	U
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CS TS/Ext-Eval

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CS Lymph Nodes (Revised: 08/15/2006)

Note: Code only regional nodes and nodes, NOS, in this field. Distant nodes are coded in the field Mets at DX.

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS2000
00	None; no regional lymph node involvement	N0	NONE	NONE
10	Regional lymph node(s) by primary site (includes bilateral or contralateral nodes for head, neck, and trunk) HEAD AND NECK: All subsites: Cervical Lip: Mandibular, NOS: Submandibular (submaxillary) External ear/auditory canal: Mastoid (post-/retro-auricular) (occipital) Preauricular Face, Other (cheek, chin, forehead, jaw, nose and temple): Facial, NOS: Buccinator (buccal) Nasolabial Mandibular, NOS: Submandibular (submaxillary) Parotid, NOS: Infra-auricular Preauricular Scalp: Mastoid (post-/retro-auricular) (occipital) Parotid, NOS: Infra-auricular Preauricular	N1	RN	RN

10 cont'd	Spinal accessory (posterior cervical) Neck: Axillary Mandibular, NOS Mastoid (post-/retro-auricular) (occipital) Parotid, NOS: Infra-auricular Preauricular Spinal accessory (posterior cervical) Supraclavicular (transverse cervical) UPPER TRUNK: Axillary Cervical Internal mammary (parasternal) Supraclavicular (transverse cervical) LOWER TRUNK: Femoral (superficial inguinal) ARM/SHOULDER: Axillary Epitrochlear for hand/forearm Spinal accessory for shoulder LEG/HIP: Femoral (superficial inguinal) Popliteal for heel and calf ALL SITES: Regional lymph node(s), NOS	N1	RN	RN
20	HEAD AND NECK: Lip: Facial, NOS : Buccinator (buccal) Nasolabial Submental Parotid, NOS: Infra-auricular Preauricular Face, Other (cheek, chin, forehead, jaw, nose, and temple): Submental Neck: Submental	N1	D	RN
30	(10) + (20)	N1	D	RN
80	Lymph nodes, NOS	N1	RN	RN
99	Unknown; not stated; Not documented in patient record Regional lymph node(s) cannot be assessed	NX	U	U

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Reg LN Pos

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Reg LN Exam

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CS Mets at DX

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Collaborative Staging Codes**Skin of Eyelid****C44.1****C44.1 Eyelid**

Note: Laterality must be coded for this site.

Skin of Eyelid**CS Tumor Size****SEE STANDARD TABLE****Skin of Eyelid****CS Extension (Revised: 08/18/2006)**

Note 1: In the case of multiple simultaneous tumors, code the tumor with greatest extension.

Note 2: Skin ulceration does not alter the Collaborative Stage classification.

Note 3: Presence of tumor at eyelid margin takes priority over depth of invasion in dermis/tarsal plate; i.e., code 25 takes priority over codes 10-20.

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS2000
00	In situ; noninvasive; intraepithelial Bowen disease; intraepidermal	Tis	IS	IS
10	Lesion(s) confined to dermis Minimal infiltration of dermis (not invading tarsal plate)	T1	L	L
20	Infiltrates deeply into dermis (invading tarsal plate)	T2	L	L
25	Tumor at eyelid margin	*	L	L
30	Involves full eyelid thickness	T3	L	L
40	Localized, NOS	T1	L	L
50	Subcutaneous tissue (through entire dermis)	T3	L	L
60	Adjacent structures, including Bulbar conjunctiva Globe Perineural space Sclera Soft tissues of orbit	T4	D	RE
70	Bone/periosteum of orbit Skeletal muscle Underlying cartilage	T4	D	RE

72	Nasal cavity Paranasal sinuses	T4	D	D
74	Central nervous system	T4	D	D
75	Metastatic skin lesion(s)	T4	D	D
80	Further contiguous extension	T4	D	D
95	No evidence of primary tumor	T0	U	U
99	Unknown extension Primary tumor cannot be assessed Not documented in patient record	TX	U	U

Skin of Eyelid**CS TS/Ext-Eval****SEE STANDARD TABLE****Skin of Eyelid****CS Lymph Nodes (Revised: 04/12/2004)**

Note: Code only regional nodes and nodes, NOS, in this field. Distant nodes are coded in the field
Mets at DX.

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS200 0
00	None; no regional lymph node involvement	N0	NONE	NONE
10	Regional lymph node(s) Cervical, NOS Facial, NOS: Buccinator (buccal) Nasolabial Mandibular, NOS: Submandibular (submaxillary) Submental Parotid, NOS: Infra-auricular Preauricular Regional lymph node(s), NOS	N1	RN	RN
80	Lymph nodes, NOS	N1	RN	RN

99	Unknown; not stated Regional lymph node(s) cannot be assessed Not documented in patient record	NX	U	U
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Site Specific Surgery Codes**Skin****C440–C449**

(Except for M9750, 9760-9764, 9800-9820, 9826, 9831-9920, 9931-9964, 9980-9989)

Codes

- 00 None; no surgery of primary site; autopsy ONLY
- 10 Local tumor destruction, NOS
 - 11 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)
 - 12 Electrocautery; fulguration (includes use of hot forceps for tumor destruction)
 - 13 Cryosurgery
 - 14 Laser ablation

No specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 10–14

- 20 Local tumor excision, NOS
 - 26 Polypectomy
 - 27 Excisional biopsy

Any combination of 20 or 26–27 WITH

- 21 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)
- 22 Electrocautery
- 23 Cryosurgery
- 24 Laser ablation

[**SEER Note:** Codes 21 to 24 above combine 20 Local tumor excision, 26 Polypectomy or 27 Excisional biopsy with 21 PDT, 22 Electrocautery, 23 Cryosurgery, or 24 Laser ablation]

- 25 Laser excision

Specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 20–27

[**SEER Notes:** Code UVB phototherapy for mycosis fungoides primaries under Surgery of Primary Site for skin. Assign code 11 if there is no pathology specimen. Assign code 21 if there is a pathology specimen. Codes 20-27 include shave and wedge resection]

- 30 Biopsy of primary tumor followed by a gross excision of the lesion (does not have to be done under the same anesthesia)
 - 31 Shave biopsy followed by a gross excision of the lesion
 - 32 Punch biopsy followed by a gross excision of the lesion
 - 33 Incisional biopsy followed by a gross excision of the lesion
 - 34 Mohs surgery, NOS
 - 35 Mohs with 1-cm margin or less
 - 36 Mohs with more than 1-cm margin

[**SEER Notes:** Codes 30 to 33 include less than a wide excision, less than or equal to 1 cm margin or margins are unknown. If it is stated to be a wide excision or reexcision, but the margins are unknown, code to 30. Code 45 represents a wide excision in which it is known that the margins of excision are greater than 1 cm.]

- 45 Wide excision or reexcision of lesion or minor (local) amputation with margins more than 1 cm, NOS. Margins **MUST** be microscopically negative.
- 46 WITH margins more than 1 cm and less than or equal to 2 cm
- 47 WITH margins greater than 2 cm

If the excision does not have microscopically negative margins greater than 1 cm, use the appropriate code, 20-36.

- 60 Major amputation
- 90 Surgery, NOS
- 99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate **ONLY**