

Collaborative Staging Codes**Renal Pelvis and Ureter****C65.9, C66.9**

C65.9 Renal pelvis

C66.9 Ureter

Note: Laterality must be coded for this site.**Renal Pelvis and Ureter****CS Tumor Size****SEE STANDARD TABLE****Renal Pelvis and Ureter****CS Extension (Revised: 08/15/2006)****Note:** If Extension code is 00 or 05, Behavior Code must be 2. If Extension code is 10, Behavior Code must be 3.

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS2000
00	Carcinoma in situ, NOS Non-invasive, intraepithelial	Tis	IS	IS
05	Papillary noninvasive carcinoma	Ta	IS	IS
10	Subepithelial connective tissue (lamina propria, submucosa) invaded	T1	L	L
20	Muscularis invaded	T2	L	L
30	Localized, NOS	T1	L	L
35	Extension to ureter from renal pelvis	T2	RE	RE
40	Extension to adjacent (connective) tissue: Peripelvic/periureteric tissue Retroperitoneal soft/connective tissue	T3	RE	RE
60	For renal pelvis only: Ipsilateral kidney parenchyma and kidney, NOS	T3	RE	RE
62	OBSOLETE: Extension to ureter from renal pelvis Note: cases coded to 35, 40 or 60	T2	RE	RE
63	Psoas muscle from ureter	T4	RE	RE
65	Extension to bladder from ureter Implants in ureter	T4	RE	RE
66	Extension to major blood vessel(s): Aorta	T4	RE	RE

66 cont'd	Renal artery/vein Vena cava (inferior) Tumor thrombus in a renal vein, NOS	T4	RE	RE
67	Adrenal (suprarenal) gland from renal pelvis	T4	RE	RE
68	Duodenum from right renal pelvis or right ureter	T4	RE	RE
70	Extension to: Ascending colon from right renal pelvis Bladder (wall or mucosa) from renal pelvis Colon, NOS Descending colon from left renal pelvis Ipsilateral kidney parenchyma from ureter Liver Pancreas Perinephric fat via kidney Spleen	T4	D	D
75	Ascending colon from right ureter Descending colon from left ureter	T4	RE	D
80	Further contiguous extension, including: For ureter: Prostate Uterus	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

Renal Pelvis and Ureter**CS TS/Ext-Eval****SEE STANDARD TABLE**

NOTE: For these primary sites code CS Tumor Size/Ext Eval on the basis of the CS Extension field only.

Renal Pelvis and Ureter**CS Lymph Nodes (Revised: 08/18/2006)**

Note: Measure the size of the metastasis in the lymph node to determine codes 10-30, not the size of the lymph node itself.

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS2000
00	No regional lymph node involvement	N0	NONE	NONE

10	<p>Single regional lymph node, less than or equal to 2 cm:</p> <p>Renal pelvis:</p> <p>Aortic, NOS:</p> <p> Lateral (lumbar)</p> <p> Para-aortic</p> <p> Periaortic</p> <p>Paracaval</p> <p>Renal hilar</p> <p>Retroperitoneal, NOS</p> <p>Regional lymph node(s), NOS</p> <p>Ureter:</p> <p>Iliac, NOS:</p> <p> Common</p> <p> External</p> <p> Internal (hypogastric), NOS</p> <p> Obturator</p> <p>Lateral aortic (lumbar)</p> <p>Paracaval</p> <p>Pelvic, NOS</p> <p>Periureteral</p> <p>Renal hilar</p> <p>Retroperitoneal, NOS</p> <p>Regional lymph node(s), NOS</p>	N1	RN	RN
20	<p>Regional lymph nodes as listed in code 10</p> <p>Single regional lymph node greater than 2 - 5 cm</p> <p>OR multiple regional nodes, none greater than 5 cm</p>	N2	RN	RN
30	<p>Regional lymph nodes as listed in code 10</p> <p>Regional lymph node(s), at least one greater than 5 cm</p>	N3	RN	RN
50	<p>Regional lymph node(s), NOS (size and/or number not stated)</p>	N1	RN	RN
80	<p>Lymph nodes, NOS</p>	N1	RN	RN
99	<p>Unknown; not stated</p> <p>Regional lymph node(s) cannot be assessed</p> <p>Not documented in patient record</p>	NX	U	U

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Reg LN Pos
SEE STANDARD TABLE

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Reg LN Exam
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CS Mets at DX
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Site Specific Surgery Codes**Kidney, Renal Pelvis, and Ureter**

Kidney C649, Renal Pelvis C659, Ureter C669

(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
 - 15 Thermal ablation

No specimen sent to pathology from this surgical event 10–15

- 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

- 30 Partial or subtotal nephrectomy (kidney or renal pelvis) or partial ureterectomy (ureter)
Procedures coded 30 include, but are not limited to:
 - Segmental resection
 - Wedge resection
- 40 Complete/total/simple nephrectomy—for kidney parenchyma
Nephroureterectomy
Includes bladder cuff for renal pelvis or ureter
- 50 Radical nephrectomy
May include removal of a portion of vena cava, adrenal gland(s), Gerota's fascia, perinephric fat, or partial/total ureter

70 Any nephrectomy (simple, subtotal, complete, partial, total, radical) in continuity with the resection of other organ(s) (colon, bladder)

The other organs, such as colon or bladder, may be partially or totally removed

[**SEER Note:** In continuity with or “en bloc” means that all of the tissues were removed during the same procedure, but not necessarily in a single specimen]

80 Nephrectomy, NOS
Ureterectomy, NOS

90 Surgery, NOS

99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY