

60 cont'd	Subcutaneous fat	T4a	RE	RE
61	Esophagus	T4a	RE	RE
62	Thyroid gland	T4a	D	RE
63	Cricoid cartilage Thyroid cartilage	T4a	D	RE
64	Prevertebral fascia/muscle(s)	T4b	RE	RE
65	Carotid artery	T4b	D	RE
66	Hyoid bone	T4a	D	D
70	Mediastinal structures	T4b	D	D
80	Further contiguous extension	T4b	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

*For extension codes 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, and 51 ONLY, the T category is assigned based on the value of CS Tumor Size and CS Extension as shown in the Specific Extension Codes with Size Table for this site.

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CS Lymph Nodes (Revised: 08/21/2006)

Note 1: For head and neck schemas, this field includes all lymph nodes defined as Levels I-VII and Other by AJCC.

Note 2: For head and neck schemas, additional information about lymph nodes (size of involved nodes, extracapsular extension, and levels involved) is coded in Site-Specific Factors 1-6.

Note 3: If laterality of lymph nodes is not specified, assume nodes are ipsilateral. Midline nodes are considered ipsilateral.

Note 4: For head and neck cancers, if lymph nodes are described only as "supraclavicular", try to determine if they are in Level IV (deep to the sternocleidomastoid muscle, in the lower jugular chain) or Level V (in the posterior triangle, inferior to the transverse cervical artery) and code appropriately. If the specific level cannot be determined, consider them as Level V nodes.

Code	Description	TNM	SS77	SS2000
00	None; no regional lymph node involvement	N0	NONE	NONE