

**Site Specific Surgery Codes****BRAIN [and other parts of central nervous system]****Meninges C700-C709, Brain C710–C719,****Spinal Cord, Cranial Nerves and Other Parts of Central Nervous System C720-C729**

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

**Do not code laminectomies for spinal cord primaries****Codes**

00 None; no surgery of primary site; autopsy ONLY

10 Tumor destruction, NOS

**[SEER Note:** Local tumor destruction, NOS]**No specimen sent to pathology from surgical event 10****Do not record stereotactic radiosurgery as tumor destruction. It should be recorded in the radiation treatment item.**

20 Local excision, gross total excision of tumor or mass, debulking

**(Note:** Most resections for brain tumors are coded to 20)**Specimen sent to pathology from surgical event 20**

40 Partial resection (of lobe or meninges)

**[SEER Note:** Partial resection, NOS]

55 Gross total resection (radical resection)

90 Surgery, NOS

99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY