
Multiple Primary and Histology Coding Manual

Appendix O of the Texas Cancer Registry 2012 Cancer Reporting Handbook contains the 2007 Multiple Primary and Histology (MP/H) coding rules including all revisions through November 2010. The MP/H coding rules are available in three formats: flowchart, matrix and text. The different formats were developed to meet the needs of registrars who have different learning styles. Appendix O contains only the text format and therefore pages have been re-numbered accordingly. The flowchart and matrix formats can be downloaded from the SEER website:
<http://seer.cancer.gov/tools/mphrules/>.

The TCR will not collect the following data items:

- Date of Conclusive Terminology
- Date of Conclusive Diagnosis Flag
- Multiplicity Counter
- Date of Multiple Tumors
- Date of Multiple Tumors Flag
- Type of Multiple Tumors Reported as One Primary