

**RECTOSIGMOID** (Revised 01/10, 2/10)**C19.9**

(Except for M-9727, 9733, 9741-9742, 9764-9809, 9832, 9840-9931, 9945-9946, 9950-9967, and 9975-9992)

**Code** removal/surgical ablation of single or multiple liver metastases under the data item *Surgical Procedure/Other Site* (NAACCR Item #1294).

**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

Combination of 20 or 26–27 WITH

21 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)

22 Electrocautery

23 Cryosurgery

24 Laser ablation

25 Laser excision

30 Wedge or segmental resection; partial proctosigmoidectomy, NOS

31 Plus resection of contiguous organs; example: small bowel, bladder

**Procedures coded 30 include, but are not limited to:**

Anterior resection

Hartmann operation

Low anterior resection (LAR)

Partial colectomy, NOS

Rectosigmoidectomy, NOS

Sigmoidectomy

40 Pull through WITH sphincter preservation (colo-anal anastomosis)

[**SEER Note:** Procedures coded 40 include but are not limited to: Altemeier's operation, Duhamel's operation, Soave's submucosal resection, Swenson's operation, Turnbull's operation]

50 Total proctectomy

[**SEER Note:** Procedures coded 50 include but are not limited to: Abdominoperineal resection (A&P resection), anterior/posterior resection (A/P resection)/Miles' operation, Rankin's operation]

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**51 Total colectomy**

[**SEER Note:** Removal of the colon from cecum to rectosigmoid or portion of rectum]

**55 Total colectomy WITH ileostomy, NOS**

56 Ileorectal reconstruction

57 Total colectomy WITH other pouch; example: Koch pouch

**60 Total proctocolectomy, NOS**

65 Total proctocolectomy WITH ileostomy, NOS

66 Total proctocolectomy WITH ileostomy and pouch

**Removal of the colon from cecum to the rectosigmoid or a portion of the rectum.****70 Colectomy or proctocolectomy resection in continuity with other organs; pelvic exenteration**

[**SEER Note:** Procedures that may be part of an en bloc resection include, but are not limited to: an oophorectomy and a rectal mucosectomy. Code 70 includes any colectomy (partial, hemicolectomy or total) with an en bloc resection of any other organs. There may be partial or total removal of other organs in continuity with the primary. 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 Colectomy, NOS; Proctectomy, NOS****Specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 20–80.****90 Surgery, NOS****99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY**