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*   Prepare one abstract. Use the histology coding rules to assign the appropriate histology code.
** Prepare two or more abstracts. Use the histology coding rules to assign the appropriate histology code to each case abstracted.

Rule	Site	Histology	Timing	Behavior	Notes/Examples	Primary
UNKNOWN IF SINGLE OR MULTIPLE TUMORS					Tumor(s) not described as metastasis	
M1					Use this rule only after all information sources have been exhausted.	Single*
SINGLE TUMOR					*1.* Tumor not described as metastasis *2:* Includes combinations of in situ and invasive	
M2	Single				Tumor may overlap onto or extend into adjacent/contiguous site or subsite	Single*
MULTIPLE TUMORS **Multiple tumors may be a single primary or multiple primaries**					*1.* Tumors not described as metastases *2:* Includes combinations of in situ and invasive	
M3		Wilms tumors				Single*
M4	Tumors with topography codes that differ at the second (C**x**xx) and/or third (Cx**x**x) character					Multiple**
M5	Tumors in both right and left kidneys				Abstract as a single primary when the tumors in one kidney are documented to be metastatic from the other kidney	Multiple**
M6			Diagnosed more than three (3) years apart			Multiple**

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M7			More than 60 days after diagnosis	An invasive tumor following an in situ tumor	*1:* The purpose of this rule is to ensure that the case is counted as an incident (invasive) case when incidence data are analyzed. *2:* Abstract as multiple primaries even if the medical record/physician states it is recurrence or progression of disease.	Multiple**
M8		A renal cell type in one tumor and a different specific renal cell type in another (Table 1)				Multiple**
M9		• Cancer/malignant neoplasm, NOS (8000) and another is a specific histology or • Carcinoma, NOS (8010) and another is a specific carcinoma or • Adenocarcinoma, NOS (8140) and another is a specific adenocarcinoma or • Renal cell carcinoma, NOS (8312) and the other is a single renal cell type (Table 1)			*1:* The specific histology for **in situ** tumors may be identified as pattern, architecture, type, subtype, predominantly, with features of, major, or with ____differentiation *2:* The specific histology for **invasive** tumors may be identified as type, subtype, predominantly, with features of, major, or with ____differentiation.	Single*
M10		Histology codes are different at the first (**x**xxx), second (x**x**xx), or third (xx**x**x) number				Multiple**

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M11	Does not meet any of the above criteria				When an invasive tumor follows an in situ tumor within 60 days, abstract as a single primary. **Rule M11 Examples** The following are examples of the types of cases that use Rule M11. This is NOT intended to be an exhaustive set of examples; there are other cases that may be classified as a single primary. ***Warning: Using only these case examples to determine the number of primaries can result in major errors.*** **Example 1**: Multiple tumors in one kidney with the same histology **Example 2**: An in situ and invasive tumor diagnosed within 60 days	Single*

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