

**Parotid and Other Unspecified Glands**

**Parotid Gland C079, Major Salivary Glands C080–C089**

(Except for M9727, 9733, 9741-9742, 9764-9809, 9832, 9840-9931, 9945-9946, 9950-9967, 9975-9992)

**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

**No specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 10–14**

20 Local tumor excision, NOS

26 Polypectomy

27 Excisional biopsy

**Any combination of 20 or 26–27 WITH**

21 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)

22 Electrocautery

23 Cryosurgery

24 Laser ablation

25 Laser excision

[**SEER Note:** Codes 30-80 include major salivary gland, NOS]

30 Less than total parotidectomy, NOS; less than total removal of major salivary gland, NOS

31 Facial nerve spared

32 Facial nerve sacrificed

33 Superficial lobe ONLY

34 Facial nerve spared

35 Facial nerve sacrificed

36 Deep lobe (Total)

[**SEER Note:** Codes 30-36 are with or without superficial lobe]

37 Facial nerve spared

38 Facial nerve sacrificed

[**SEER Note:** Codes 40-80 may include submandibulectomy and submaxillectomy]

40 Total parotidectomy, NOS; total removal of major salivary gland, NOS

41 Facial nerve spared

42 Facial nerve sacrificed

50 Radical parotidectomy, NOS; radical removal of major salivary gland, NOS

51 WITHOUT removal of temporal bone

52 WITH removal of temporal bone

53 WITH removal of overlying skin (requires graft or flap coverage)

80 Parotidectomy, NOS

**Specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 20-80**

90 Surgery, NOS

99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY