### **Surgery Codes**

## Bladder C670–C679

# (Except for M9727, 9732, 9741-9742, 9762-9809, 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
  - 15 Intravesical therapy
  - 16 Bacillus Calmette-Guerin (BCG) or other immunotherapy [*SEER Note:* Code BCG as both surgery and immunotherapy]

Also code the introduction of immunotherapy in the immunotherapy items. If immunotherapy is followed by surgery of the type coded 20-80, code that surgery instead and code the immunotherapy only as immunotherapy.

#### No specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 10-16

- 20 Local tumor excision, NOS
  - 26 Polypectomy
  - 27 Excisional biopsy [*SEER Note:* Code TURB as 27]

#### Combination of 20 or 26–27 WITH

- 21 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)
- 22 Electrocautery
- 23 Cryosurgery
- 24 Laser ablation
- 25 Laser excision
- 30 Partial cystectomy
- 50 Simple/total/complete cystectomy
- 60 Complete cystectomy with reconstruction

[SEER Note: Use code 71 for cystoprostatectomy.]

- 61 Radical cystectomy PLUS ileal conduit
- 62 Radical cystectomy PLUS continent reservoir or pouch, NOS
- 63 Radical cystectomy PLUS abdominal pouch (cutaneous)
- 64 Radical cystectomy PLUS in situ pouch (orthotopic)

When the procedure is described as a pelvic exenteration for males, but the prostate is not removed, the surgery should be coded as a cystectomy (code 60-64).

#### 70 Pelvic exenteration, NOS

71 Radical cystectomy including anterior exenteration

[SEER Note: Use code 71 for cystoprostatectomy.]

For females, includes removal of bladder, uterus, ovaries, entire vaginal wall, and entire urethra. For males, includes removal of the prostate. When a procedure is described as a pelvic exenteration for males, but the prostate is not removed, the surgery should be coded as a cystectomy (code 60-64).

#### 72 Posterior exenteration

For females, also includes removal of vagina, rectum and anus. For males, also includes prostate, rectum and anus.

73 Total exenteration

#### Includes all tissue and organs removed for an anterior and posterior exenteration

[*SEER Note:* Includes removal of all pelvic contents and pelvic lymph nodes. The lymph node dissection should also be coded under *Scope of Regional Lymph Node Surgery* (NAACCR item # 1292).]

#### 74 Extended exenteration

#### Includes pelvic blood vessels and/or bony pelvis

80 Cystectomy, NOS

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

- 90 Surgery, NOS
- 99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY