

Table 8.22

## Cancer of the Esophagus (Invasive)

Percent Distribution and Counts by Histology among Histologically Confirmed Cases, 2008-2012  
Both Sexes by Race

Histology <sup>a</sup>	All Races		White		Black		Asian/Pacific Islander		American Indian/ Alaska Native <sup>b</sup>		Hispanic <sup>c</sup>	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Carcinoma	18,629	99.0%	15,657	99.0%	1,957	99.2%	822	99.0%	78	100.0%	1,392	98.8%
Epidermoid carcinoma <sup>d</sup> (8051-8131)	6,214	33.0%	4,016	25.4%	1,571	79.7%	567	68.3%	26	33.3%	509	36.1%
Squamous cell carcinoma (8070-8078, 8083-8084)	6,195	32.9%	4,003	25.3%	1,565	79.4%	567	68.3%	26	33.3%	508	36.1%
Adenocarcinoma <sup>e</sup>	11,565	61.5%	10,912	69.0%	313	15.9%	221	26.6%	47	60.3%	818	58.1%
Other specific carcinomas <sup>f</sup>	282	1.5%	235	1.5%	31	1.6%	-	-	-	-	20	1.4%
Unspecified, Carcinoma, NOS (8010-8011,8020-8022)	568	3.0%	494	3.1%	42	2.1%	22	2.7%	-	-	45	3.2%
Other specific types <sup>g</sup>	59	0.3%	50	0.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unspecified (8000-8005)	121	0.6%	103	0.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	18,809	100.0%	15,810	100.0%	1,972	100.0%	830	100.0%	78	100.0%	1,409	100.0%

Source: SEER 18 areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, Atlanta, San Jose-Monterey, Los Angeles, Alaska Native Registry, Rural Georgia, California excluding SF/SJM/LA, Kentucky, Louisiana, New Jersey and Georgia excluding ATL/RG).

Percents may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

<sup>a</sup> Excludes Kaposi Sarcoma, mesothelioma, lymphomas, leukemias, myelomas, lymphoreticular, and immunoproliferative diseases.

<sup>b</sup> Estimates for American Indian/Alaska Native are based on the CHSDA (Contract Health Service Delivery Area) counties.

<sup>c</sup> Hispanic is not mutually exclusive from whites, blacks, Asian/Pacific Islanders, and American Indians/Alaska Natives.

<sup>d</sup> Underlying incidence data for Hispanics are based on NHIA and exclude cases from the Alaska Native Registry.

<sup>e</sup> Epidermoid carcinoma includes squamous, basal, and transitional cell carcinomas.

<sup>f</sup> Adenocarcinoma is defined as histologies 8050, 8140-8147, 8160-8162, 8180-8221, 8250-8507, 8514, 8520-8551, 8560, 8570-8574, 8576, 8940-8941.

<sup>g</sup> Other specific carcinomas is defined as histologies 8012-8015, 8030-8046, 8150-8155, 8170-8175, 8230-8249, 8508, 8510-8513, 8561-8562, 8575, 8580-8671.

Other specific types includes sarcomas and other soft tissue tumors.

Other specific types is defined as histologies 8680-8713, 8720-8790, 8800-8921, 8930-8936, 8950-9030, 9040-9044, 9060-9110, 9120-9136, 9150-9252, 9260-9365, 9370-9373, 9380-9539, 9540-9582.

- Statistic not shown due to fewer than 16 cases during the time period.