

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