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References:

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Question:

EOD-Extension--Lung: If a CT scan indicates that a patient has evidence of "long-standing pneumonia," is that synonymous with "pneumonitis" for the purposes of coding extension for lung primaries?

Discussion:

Answer:

No. These terms are not synonymous. For cases diagnosed 1998-2003, disregard the pneumonia and use the other available information to code extension.

Cancer Site Category:

Lung

Data Item Category: N/A

Other Category: N/A

Year: 2000