

SEER Inquiry System - Report

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References:

#1: SEER Program Code Man,3rd Ed, 7

#2: 2004 SEER Manual, 14

Question:

Multiple Primaries (Pre-2007)--Ovary/Endometrium: Is endometrioid adenocarcinoma occurring simultaneously in the left ovary and the endometrium one primary or two? See discussion.

Discussion:

Pathology Final Diagnosis:

Left Ovary: Moderately differentiated endometrioid adenocarcinoma squamous differentiation grade 2 (scale of 3)

Uterus: Moderately differentiated endometrioid adenocarcinoma with squamous differentiation, grade II (scale of III). Focal, very superficial invasion to inner third myometrium with extension to lower uterine segment. Endocervix, cervix, right ovary and fallopian tubes negative for tumor.

Answer:

For tumors diagnosed prior to 2007:

Code the case you describe as two primaries. The endometrioid adenocarcinoma can arise in the endometrium without a concomitant ovarian carcinoma.

For tumors diagnosed 2007 or later, refer to the MP/H rules. If there are still questions about how this type of tumor should be coded, submit a new question to SINQ and include the difficulties you are encountering in applying the MP/H rules.

Cancer Site Category:

N/A

Data Item Category:

Histology

Other Category:

Multiple primaries

Year:

2000