

SEER Inquiry System - Report

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References:

2007 SEER Manual, C-567. Appendix C

Question:

MP/H Rules/Histology--Melanoma: Regarding SINC #20081044, when would you apply Rule H6 rather than Rule H5 for a cutaneous malignant melanoma given that you normally always have a specific cell type mentioned?

Discussion:

Answer:

For cases diagnosed 2007 or later, Rule H6 is used when you do not have a specific cell type other than regressing melanoma, or malignant melanoma, regressing. If you have regressing melanoma with a specific cell type, apply rule H5.

Cancer Site Category:

Melanoma

Data Item Category:

Histology

Other Category:

N/A

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