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# **HIM-2560: ONCOLOGY DATABASE AND MANUALS**

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HIM - Health Information Management

Course Number:

2560

Title:

Oncology Database and Manuals

## **Catalog Description:**

Investigating and exploring the coding rules in the Multiple Primary Histology (MP/H) Manual and the Hematopoietic database. The course will also provide study in hematopoietic and lymphoid neoplasms.

# Credit Hour(s):

3

### Lecture Hour(s):

3

# Requisites

# **Prerequisite and Corequisite**

HIM-2500 Introduction to Cancer Registry and Disease Management.

# Outcomes

## Course Outcome(s):

Utilize the Hematopoietic and Lymphoid Database and Coding Manual in identifying and correctly coding malignant neoplasms and their treatment.

# Objective(s):

- 1. Explain the disease process of various neoplasms diagnosed in the hematopoietic and lymphatic systems of the human body
- 2. Research treatment options and outcomes associated with hematopoietic and lymphoid neoplasms.
- 3. Identify cancer diagnoses affiliated with hematopoietic and lymphoid system.
- 4. Utilize tools in the Hematopoietic and Lymphoid Database to identify sequence, transition and subsequent primaries.

# Course Outcome(s):

Investigate and explore the coding rules found in the Multiple Primary Histology (MP/H) Manual.

### Objective(s):

- 1. Explain the coding rules found in the Multiple Primary Histology (MP/H) Manual.
- 2. Describe the microscopic composition of cells and/or tissue for a specific primary tumor type (histology) which will be a basis for staging and determination of treatment options
- 3. Demonstrate accurate coding utilizing the rules found in the MP/H Manual.
- 4. Accurately identify and define the anatomical terms associated with the Multiple Primary Histology (MP/H) database

# Course Outcome(s):

Investigate and explore the coding rules found in the Hematopoietic Database.

## Objective(s):

- 1. Compare and contrast the difference between chronic and acute cell types in hematopoietic neoplasms
- 2. Compare and contrast leukemia, lymphoma and myeloid neoplasms.
- 3. Describe treatments utilized in hematopoietic and lymphoid neoplasms
- 4. Demonstrate effective use of the Hematopoietic Database (Heme DB) and correct coding and staging
- 5. Explain the coding rules found in Hematopoietic database
- 6. Interpret the information written by pathologists and clinicians in order to classify leukemias and lymphomas utilizing the rules found in the Hematopoietic database.

### Methods of Evaluation:

- 1. Discussions in online forums or in the classroom
- 2. Written and oral assignments
- 3. Glossary assignments
- 4. Cancer and diagnostic activities utilizing the internet
- 5. Quizzes, tests, and a final exam.

### **Course Content Outline:**

- 1. Equivalent or Equal Terms
  - a. Adenocarcinoma, Glandular carcinoma
  - b. Multicentric multifocal
  - c. Tumor, mass, lesion neoplasm
- 2. Definitions
  - a. Bilateral
  - b. Clinical Diagnosis
  - c. Contiguous Tumor
  - d. Focal
  - e. Foci
  - f. Focus
  - g. Laterality
  - h. Most representative specimen
  - i. Multiple primaries
  - j. Overlapping tumor
  - k. Paired organ/site
  - I. Recurrence (two meanings)
  - m. Single Primary
  - n. Unilateral
- 3. Determining Multiple Primaries for Solid Malignant Tumors
  - a. General Information/Rules
    - i. Rules to determine number of reportable primaries
    - ii. Rules for use of documentation
  - b. How to use the Multiple Primary Rules
    - i. Make decisions on the number of primary malignancies reportable as "solid" malignant tumors
    - ii. Site-specific rules for the following sites:
      - 1. Brain, malignant (intracranial and Central Nervous System (CNS))
      - 2. Breast
      - 3. Colon
      - 4. Head and neck
      - Kidney
      - 6. Lung
      - 7. Malignant melanoma of the skin
      - 8. Renal pelvis, ureter, bladder and other urinary
    - iii. Other sites rule for solid malignant tumors that occur in primary sites not covered by site-specific rules.
    - iv. Complete modules for unknown, single or multiple tumors in an independent, complete set of coding rules.
      - 1. Determine which set of primary site rules use in various situations
    - v. Prepare abstract for single tumors
    - vi. Prepare abstracts for multiple primary tumors/sites
    - vii. Hierarchal order of coding rules
  - c. Histologic Type ICD-0-3 (International Classification of Diseases for Oncology, Third Edition)

- i. Microscopic composition of cells and/or tissues for a specific primary tumor
- ii. Tumor type/histology basis for staging
- iii. Determination of treatment options
- iv. Prognosis and course of disease
- v. Histology coding rules
  - 1. Site specific rules for
    - a. Brain, malignant (intracranial and CNS)
    - b. Breast
    - c. Colon
    - d. Head and neck
    - e. Kidney
    - f. Lung
    - g. Malignant melanoma of the skin
    - h. Renal pelvis, ureter, bladder and other urinary
  - 2. Other-sites rules
  - 3. Single and multiple tumors
- vi. Priority order for using Documents to Code Histology
  - 1. Patient records
  - 2. Pathology reports
  - 3. Cytology reports
- vii. Ambiguous terms used to code Histology
  - Apparent(ly)
  - 2. Appears
  - 3. Comparable with
  - 4. Compatible with
  - 5. Consistent with
  - 6. Favor(s)
  - 7. Most likely
  - 8. Presumed
  - 9. Probable
  - 10. Suspect(ed)
  - 11. Suspicious (for)
  - 12. Typical (of)
- d. Hematopoietic and Lymphoid Database
  - i. Exploration of the database
  - ii. Home page explanation and field definition
  - iii. Searching the Database
  - iv. Multiple Primaries Calculator
  - v. Using the ICD Code Lists
  - vi. Viewing the information for a specific disease
  - vii. Viewing the information for an obsolete disease

## Resources

National Association of Cancer Registrars. Cancer Registry Management: Principles and Practices for Hospitals and Central Registries. Third. Dubuque: Kendall Hunt, 2011.

Ruhl J, Adamo M, Dickie L. Hematopoietic and Lymphoid Neoplasm Coding Manual. (ts '2014-12-29 00:00:00').

National Cancer Institute Surveillance Epidemiology and End Results Program. *Multiple Primary and Histology.* {ts '2006-12-28 00:00:00'}.

# **Resources Other**

- 1. Various websites i.e.:
  - a. http://seer.cancer.gov
  - b. Center for disease control website

c. Internet research related to the cancers and treatments related to this course content in hematopoietic, lymphoid and myeloid neoplasms
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