Surgery Codes

Esophagus C150–C159

(Except for M9732, 9741-9742, 9761-9809, 9820, 9826, 9831-9834, 9840-9920, 9931-9993)

Codes

- 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

No specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 10-14

- 20 Local tumor excision, NOS
 - 26 Polypectomy
 - 27 Excisional biopsy

Any combination of 20 or 26-27 WITH

- 21 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)
- 22 Electrocautery
- 23 Cryosurgery
- 24 Laser ablation
- 25 Laser excision
- 30 Partial esophagectomy
- 40 Total esophagectomy, NOS
- 50 Esophagectomy, NOS WITH laryngectomy and/or gastrectomy, NOS

[**SEER Note:** Codes 50-55 include partial esophagectomy, total esophagectomy, or esophagectomy, NOS]

- 51 WITH laryngectomy
- 52 WITH gastrectomy, NOS
- 53 Partial gastrectomy
- 54 Total gastrectomy
- 55 Combination of 51 WITH any of 52–54
- 80 Esophagectomy, NOS

Specimen sent to pathology from surgical events 20-80

- 90 Surgery, NOS
- 99 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY