

**DATA STANDARDS AND QUALITY CONTROL
MEMORANDUM
DSQC #2007-03**

CATEGORY: CLARIFICATIONS
SUBJECT: 2007 Data Changes Training Questions
EFFECTIVE: Cases Diagnosed 1/1/2007 Forward

The attached questions and answer documents are a result of the 2007 Data Changes Training Sessions held throughout California, focusing on the SEER Multiple Primary and Histology (MPH) Coding Rules and the New Data Items. The question and answer documents are divided into the following categories:

- General Instructions for the Multiple Primary and Histology Coding Rules
- Breast – Multiple Primary and Histology Coding Rules
- Colon - Multiple Primary and Histology Coding Rules
- 2007 New Data Items

Some questions were submitted to the SEER SING. For those questions, the SEER SING identification number is included in the answer. Several MPH questions have also been added to the SEER SING, thus registrars are strongly encouraged to search the SING for MPH related questions, along with questions regarding the New Data Items. The SEER SING may be accessed at <http://seer.cancer.gov/> The SEER Multiple Primary and Histology Coding Rules FAQ document and the referenced Breeze Sessions are also located on the SEER web site at <http://seer.cancer.gov/tools/mphrules/> Registrars are encouraged to make use of these education and training resources.