

# California Cancer Registry

## Production Automation and Quality Control Unit

### Data Alert

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A new format revision of Volume I has been developed by the California Cancer Registry (CCR). Only formatting changes have been made to this revision. **There are no content changes.**

The following has been released on the CCR webpage:

- 2013 reformatted HTML version of CCR Volume I, Cancer Reporting in California, Abstracting and Coding Procedures for Hospitals.
  - Index page now usable and has search capabilities (easier to search here rather than the entire volume – this is the easiest way to locate information)
  - Includes a Glossary that lists all field/terminology related topics in alphabetical order.
    - The Glossary was added for ease of locating a data item/field by topic rather than number.
    - Where appropriate, collapsible headings are included in Glossary entries (i.e., Examples and Notes, Definitions, as well as Codes. See Ambiguous Terminology as an example).
    - Each entry in the Glossary also includes a link to the related topic page
  - Contents section is now collapsible (heirarchical) for visual ease
  - Additional “next” and “previous” links added to the bottom of each topic to facilitate navigating forward and backwards in the volume
- Self-extracting 2013 version of CCR Volume I, Cancer Reporting in California, Abstracting and Coding Procedures for Hospitals.
  - Benefits of the self-extracting version include:
    - Easy download to desktop or laptop with instruction guidance.
    - Look and function exactly like the reformatted HTML version without having to have internet connection.
- The PDF version of CCR Volume I.

The following link will take you to the ccral.org’s Registrar Resource/Reporting Cancer Page for downloading:

[http://www.ccrca.org/Cancer\\_Reporting/Registrar\\_Resources/Reporting\\_Cancer\\_Cal.shtml](http://www.ccrca.org/Cancer_Reporting/Registrar_Resources/Reporting_Cancer_Cal.shtml)