

**CANCER REPORTING IN CALIFORNIA: ABSTRACTING
AND CODING PROCEDURES FOR HOSPITALS**
California Cancer Reporting System Standards, Volume I

SUMMARY OF YEAR 2005 DATA CHANGES

This document will provide a summary of data changes for 2005 for hospitals, abstracting vendors, and regional registry data collectors. The change pages to Volume I will be available in March 2005.

Address at Diagnosis State (NAACCR #80) and Contact State (NAACCR #1820)

Addition of code ZZ – Resident of the US, NOS (including it's territories, commonwealths, or possessions); Canada, NOS; residence unknown. The current definitions of XX and YY change to match the NAACCR/CoC codes. Historical data will be converted.

Old Definitions:

- XX Unknown or USA or Canada, where state or province is unknown, or U.S. Territory, NOS
- YY Not USA and not Canada (used if you know the country)

New Definitions:

- XX Resident of country other than US (including its territories, commonwealths, or possessions) or Canada, and country is known
- YY Resident of country other than the US (including its territories, commonwealths, or possessions) or Canada, and country is unknown
- ZZ Resident of the US, NOS (including it's territories, commonwealths, or possessions); Canada, NOS; residence unknown

Rationale: To conform to the NAACCR/CoC standards

Spanish/Hispanic Origin (NAACCR #190)

New code added for cases diagnosed on or after January 1, 2005:

8 Dominican Republic

Cases diagnosed prior to 2005 should continue to be coded 5 for Dominican Republic.

Rationale: New SEER data requirement for cases diagnosed on or after January 1, 2005.

Coding Procedure (CNExT # F00115)

Coding Procedure will change to 23.