



Quality Control Unit
Data Alert – Registrar 2021-13
Commission on Cancer (CoC) - Changes to Registry
Follow-Up 1988-2004 Information No Longer Required

The California Cancer Registry (CCR) has performed analysis on patient follow-up data and supports the Commission on Cancer in their decision to no longer require follow-up information on cases diagnosed between 1988 to 2004 for CoC accredited facilities.

NOTE: CCR follow-up requirements **have not changed** as the CCR currently does not impose CA specific follow-up requirements. For the California requirement, please see: VII.1 Follow-Up Information in the California Cancer Reporting System Standards, [Volume I: Abstracting and Coding Procedures for Hospitals](#).

Please see the press release from the [Commission on Cancer \(CoC\): Major Change in Registry Follow-up – 1988 to 2004 information no longer required](#) for further information.

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