



Quality Control Unit
Data Alert – 2026-13
Notice of Decommission:
California Cancer Registry Inquiry System (CCRIS)

The California Cancer Registry Inquiry System (CCRIS) has been decommissioned as of 7/31/2026.

CCRIS was developed over 20 years ago to support communication among the 10 regional registries reporting to the California Cancer Registry (CCR) at that time. The system provided a centralized repository of frequently asked questions and responses that users could search and reference. Since then, the registry structure has evolved to the current three Regional Registries: Greater Bay Area Cancer Registry (GBACR), Cancer Surveillance Program Los Angeles (CSP); and the Cancer Registry of Greater California (CRGC).

Over time the CCRIS platform has become outdated and increasingly difficult to maintain. In addition, utilization of the system has declined significantly as our Oncology Data Specialists (ODS) now commonly seek guidance directly from their Regional Registry staff and from primary source organizations such as SEER, CoC, and AJCC.

Upon the decommission of CCRIS, the following resources remain available to support coding, abstracting, and reporting questions:

- California Cancer Reporting Systems Standards, Volume 1: Abstracting and Coding Procedures
- Site and topic-specific training by CCR staff, as well as NAACCR webinars and Q-Tips available in the CCR Learning Management System (FLccSC).
- Source standard setters such as Ask a SEER Registrar, CoC, AJCC, and the CAnswer Forum

If additional assistance is needed, ODS can contact their Regional Registry for guidance. Regional Registries staff may continue to escalate questions to the CCR as appropriate.

Regional Registry Contacts:

- **Greater Bay Area Cancer Registry (GBACR):** Anjanette.Bellard@ucsf.edu
- **Cancer Surveillance Program Los Angeles (CSP):** wilsonsa@usc.edu
- **Cancer Registry of Greater California (CRGC):** jmauer@crgc-cancer.org

CCR appreciates the ongoing collaboration of California's Oncology Data Specialists and Regional Registries in maintaining high-quality cancer surveillance data and encourages continued use of the resources listed above for coding and reporting support.

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