

# ANAL CANAL AND PERIANAL SKIN DATA SHEET (ICD10 C21)

## UICC TNM 9<sup>th</sup> EDITION STAGING SUMMARY

Stage Group	T stage	N stage	M stage
Stage 0	Tis	N0	M0
Stage I	T1	N0	M0
Stage IIA	T2	N0	M0
Stage IIB	T1, T2	N1	M0
Stage IIIA	T3	N0, N1	M0
Stage IIIB	T4	N0	M0
Stage IIIC	T4	N1	M0
Stage IV	Any T	Any N	M1

### TNM Clinical Classification

#### T – Primary Tumour

<b>cTX</b>	Primary tumour cannot be assessed
<b>cT0</b>	No evidence of primary tumour
<b>cTis</b>	Carcinoma in situ, high-grade squamous intraepithelial lesion (HSIL), anal intraepithelial neoplasia II–III (AIN II–III) anal squamous intraepithelial neoplasia H (ASIN-H) <sup>1</sup>
<b>cT1</b>	Tumour 2 cm or less in greatest dimension
<b>cT2</b>	Tumour more than 2 cm but not more than 5 cm in greatest dimension
<b>cT3</b>	Tumour more than 5 cm in greatest dimension
<b>cT4</b>	Tumour of any size invades adjacent organ(s), e.g., vagina, urethra, bladder <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> AJCC does not include Tis

<sup>2</sup> Direct invasion of the rectal wall, perianal skin, subcutaneous tissue, or the sphincter muscle(s) alone is not classified as T4

#### N – Regional Lymph Nodes

<b>cNX</b>	Regional lymph nodes cannot be assessed
<b>cN0</b>	No regional lymph node metastasis
<b>cN1</b>	Metastasis in regional lymph node(s)

	<p><b>cN1a</b> - Metastases in inguinal, mesorectal, and/or internal iliac nodes</p> <p><b>cN1b</b> - Metastases in external iliac nodes</p> <p><b>cN1c</b> - Metastases in external iliac and in inguinal, mesorectal and/or internal iliac nodes</p>
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<b>M – Distant Metastasis</b>	
<b>M0</b>	No distant metastasis
<b>M1</b>	Distant metastasis

<b>TNM Pathological Classification</b>	
<i>The pT and pN categories correspond to the cT and cN categories</i>	
<b>pN0</b>	Histological examination of a regional peri-rectal/pelvic lymphadenectomy specimen should ordinarily include 12 or more lymph nodes; histological examination of an inguinal lymphadenectomy specimen should ordinarily include 6 or more lymph nodes. If the lymph nodes are negative, but the number ordinarily examined is not met, classify as pN0.