

# CARCINOMA OF CONJUNCTIVA DATA SHEET (ICD10 C69.0)

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

**No stage is at present recommended**

<b>TNM Clinical Classification</b>	
<b>T – Primary Tumour</b>	
<b>cTX</b>	Primary tumour cannot be assessed
<b>cT0</b>	No evidence of primary tumour
<b>cTis</b>	Carcinoma in situ
<b>cT1</b>	Tumour 5 mm or less in greatest dimension invades through the conjunctival basement membrane
<b>cT2</b>	Tumour more than 5 mm in greatest dimension, invades through the conjunctival basement membrane without invasion of adjacent structures*
<b>cT3</b>	Tumour invades adjacent structures*
<b>cT4</b>	Tumour invades the orbit or beyond <b>cT4a</b> - Tumour invades orbital soft tissues, without bone invasion <b>cT4b</b> - Tumour invades bone <b>cT4c</b> - Tumour invades adjacent paranasal sinuses <b>cT4d</b> - Tumour invades brain
Note * Adjacent structures include: the cornea (3, 6, 9, or 12 clock hours), intraocular compartments, forniceal conjunctiva (lower and/or upper), palpebral conjunctiva (lower and/or upper), tarsal conjunctiva (lower and/or upper), lacrimal punctum and canaliculi (lower and/or upper), plica, caruncle, posterior eyelid lamella, anterior eyelid lamella and/or eyelid margin (lower and/or upper).	

<b>N – Regional Lymph Nodes</b>	
<b>cNX</b>	Regional lymph nodes cannot be assessed
<b>cN0</b>	No regional lymph node metastasis
<b>cN1</b>	Regional lymph node metastasis

<b>M – Distant Metastasis</b>	
<b>cM0</b>	No distance metastasis
<b>cM1</b>	Distant metastasis

For more detailed information regarding TNM staging, please see pages 208-209 of the UICC TNM 9 book

## **pTNM Pathological Classification**

*The pT and pN categories correspond to the cT and N categories*