

# Appendix E: recommended staging to be collected by cancer registries

The National Staging Panel for Cancer Registration recommends that the staging systems recorded by the cancer registries follow the guidance issued by the Royal College of Pathologists and the Cancer Outcomes Services Dataset.

It is also important to note that both UICC and staging systems have updated to the 9<sup>th</sup> edition, please refer directly to the TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 9<sup>th</sup> edition book, for the most recent and accurate stage groupings /combination.

## Notes:

- Three additional sites added, missed in previous update (in green)
- TNM 8 changed to TNM9 from 1 January 2026
- FIGO 2021 for vulval cancer took effect from 1 January 2022
- FIGO 2018 for cervical cancer took effect from 1 January 2020
- Head and neck sites changed from TNM7 to TNM8 from 1 January 2019
- TNM 7 changed to TNM 8 (except head and neck) from 1 January 2018
- Lower GI changed from TNM5 to TNM8 from 1 January 2018

TUMOUR TYPE	STAGING SYSTEM (from 1 January 2022)	STAGING SYSTEM (from 1 January 2026)
ADRENAL CORTEX TUMOURS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
ADRENAL MEDULLA & EXTRA-ADRENAL PARAGANGLIA	ICD10 C74.1, C75.5	UICC TNM 9
AMPULLA OF VATER – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
AMPULLA OF VATER – NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM
ANAL CANAL	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
APPENDIX – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
APPENDIX – NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS	EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM	EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM
ATYPICAL TERATOID RHABDOID TUMOUR	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM (or UICC TNM 9)
BONE	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
BREAST	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
CERVIX	FIGO (2018)	FIGO (2018)

<b>TUMOUR TYPE</b>	<b>STAGING SYSTEM (from 1 January 2022)</b>	<b>STAGING SYSTEM (from 1 January 2026)</b>
CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKAEMIA	BINET	BINET
CNS EMBRYONAL TUMOURS (CNS PNET)	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM (or UICC TNM 9)
CNS GERM CELL TUMOURS	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM (or UICC TNM 9)
COLON AND RECTUM – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
COLON AND RECTUM – GIST	none recommended (if UICC TNM 8 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)	none recommended (if UICC TNM 9 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)
COLON AND RECTUM – NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM
CONJUNCTIVA – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
CONJUNCTIVA – MELANOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
CUTANEOUS SQUAMOUS CELL CARCINOMA AND OTHER CUTANEOUS CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
CUTANEOUS LYMPHOMA	ANN ARBOR STAGE	UICC TNM9 only
EPENDYMOMA	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM (or UICC TNM 9)
EXTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCT – PERIHILAR	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
EXTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCTS – DISTAL	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
FALLOPIAN TUBE	FIGO (2013)	FIGO (2013)
GALLBLADDER	UICC TNM8	UICC TNM 9
GESTATIONAL TROPHOBLASTIC DISEASE	FIGO (2009)	FIGO (2009)
GLOTTIS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
HODGKIN LYMPHOMA	ANN ARBOR STAGE	ANN ARBOR STAGE
HYPOPHARYNX	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
KIDNEY	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
KIDNEY, WILMS	WILMS TUMOUR STAGE (NWTSG)	WILMS TUMOUR STAGE (NWTSG)

<b>TUMOUR TYPE</b>	<b>STAGING SYSTEM (from 1 January 2022)</b>	<b>STAGING SYSTEM (from 1 January 2026)</b>
LACRIMAL GLAND – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
LIP – MUCOSAL LIP	UICC TNM 8 (LIP)	UICC TNM 9 (ORAL CAVITY AND MUCOSAL LIP)
LIP – NON-MUCOSAL	UICC TNM 8 (LIP)	UICC TNM 9 (CARCINOMA OF SKIN OF HEAD AND NECK REGION)
LIVER – INTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCTS	UICC TNM 8 & BARCELONA STAGE	UICC TNM 9 & BARCELONA STAGE
LIVER – HEPATOCELLULAR	UICC TNM 8 & BARCELONA STAGE	UICC TNM 9 & BARCELONA STAGE
LIVER – HEPATOBLASTOMA (CTYA)	PRETEXT STAGING SYSTEM STAGE	PRETEXT STAGING SYSTEM STAGE
LUNG	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
MAJOR SALIVARY GLANDS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
MAXILLARY SINUS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
MEDULLOBLASTOMA	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM	CHANG STAGING SYSTEM (or UICC TNM 9)
MYELOMA	REVISED INTERNATIONAL STAGING SYSTEM (R-ISS)	REVISED INTERNATIONAL STAGING SYSTEM (R-ISS)
NASAL CAVITY AND PARANASAL SINUSES	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
NASOPHARYNX	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
NEUROBLASTOMA	INTERNATIONAL NEUROBLASTOMA RISK GROUP (INRG) STAGING SYSTEM	INTERNATIONAL NEUROBLASTOMA RISK GROUP (INRG) STAGING SYSTEM
NON-HODGKIN LYMPHOMA (ADULT)	ANN ARBOR STAGE	ANN ARBOR STAGE
NON-HODGKIN LYMPHOMA (CHILDREN)	MURPHY ST. JUDE STAGING SYSTEM	MURPHY ST. JUDE STAGING SYSTEM
OESOPHAGUS INCLUDING OESOPHAGOGASTRIC JUNCTION – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
OESOPHAGUS INCLUDING OESOPHAGOGASTRIC JUNCTION – GIST	none recommended (if UICC TNM 8 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)	none recommended (if UICC TNM 9 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)
ORAL CAVITY	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
OROPHARYNX	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9

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OMENTUM AND MESENTERY – GIST	none recommended (if UICC TNM 8 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)	none recommended (if UICC TNM 9 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)
OVARY AND PERITONEUM	FIGO (2013)	FIGO (2013)
PANCREAS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
PANCREAS – NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM
PARATHYROID GLAND	ICD10 C75.0	UICC TNM 9
PENIS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
PERITONEAL CARCINOMA	FIGO (2013)	FIGO (2013)
PLEURAL MESOTHELIOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
PROSTATE	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
RENAL PELVIS AND URETER	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
RETINOBLASTOMA	UICC TNM 8 and INTERNATIONAL STAGING SYSTEM FOR RETINOBLASTOMA	UICC TNM 9 and INTERNATIONAL STAGING SYSTEM FOR RETINOBLASTOMA
RHABDOMYOSARCOMA and OTHER SOFT TISSUE SARCOMAS (CTYA)	UICC TNM 8 & IRS POST SURGICAL GROUP	UICC TNM 9 & IRS POST SURGICAL GROUP
SARCOMA OF ORBIT	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
SKIN – MALIGNANT MELANOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
SKIN – MERKEL CELL CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
SKIN OF EYELID – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
SMALL INTESTINE – GIST	none recommended (if UICC TNM 8 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)	none recommended (if UICC TNM 9 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)
SMALL INTESTINE – NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM
SMALL INTESTINE – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
SOFT TISSUE	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
STOMACH – CARCINOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9

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STOMACH – GIST	none recommended (if UICC TNM 8 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)	none recommended (if UICC TNM 9 is submitted this will be recorded by the NCRAS)
STOMACH – NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOURS	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM	ENETS - EUROPEAN NEUROENDOCRINE TUMOUR SOCIETY TNM
SUBGLOTTIS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
SUPRAGLOTTIS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
TESTIS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
THYMUS	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
THYROID	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
UNKNOWN PRIMARY – CERVICAL NODES	ICD10 C77.0	UICC TNM 9
UPPER AERODIGESTIVE TRACT – MALIGNANT MELANOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
URETHRA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
URINARY BLADDER	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
UTERUS – ENDOMETRIUM	FIGO (2009)	FIGO (2009)
UTERUS – UTERINE SARCOMA	FIGO (2009)	FIGO (2009)
UVEA – MALIGNANT MELANOMA	UICC TNM 8	UICC TNM 9
VAGINA	FIGO (2009)	FIGO (2009)
VULVA	FIGO (2009)	FIGO (2021)
VULVA – MALIGNANT MELANOMA	UICC TNM 8 (SKIN MELANOMA STAGING)	UICC TNM 9 (SKIN MELANOMA STAGING)

**Notes:**

- the use of preferred staging systems (which should be used), is under frequent review and may change in the future
  - this list was accurate at the time of publication
- ENETS - European Neuroendocrine Tumour Society TNM, can now be recorded in the 'CORE – Staging' section, along with all other TNM stage (where applicable)