

Skin Excision Evaluation Program Request Form

How to Correctly Complete the Request Form

All histology samples must be submitted with correctly completed purple request form. Correct completion means CODING must be used on the reverse side of the form as demonstrated below.

KEY

Body Region	Code	Body Region	Code	Provisional Diagnosis or Previous Result	Code	Provisional Diagnosis or Previous Result	Code	Biopsy Type	Code
Nose	NO	Palm	PM					Punch	P
Lip	LI	Finger	FI	Fibroepithelial polyp / skin tag	FE	Naevus, Blue	NL	Shave	S
Ear	EA	Upper Leg (above knee)	UL	Haemangioma	HA	Naevus, Dysplastic	ND	Incisional	I
Eyelid	EY	Leg (knee & below)	LE	Inflammatory lesion	IL	Naevus, Spitz	NS	Curettage	C
Other face	OF	Foot	FT	Keratoacanthoma	KA	Neurofibroma	NF	Other	O
Scalp	SC	Toe	TO	Keratosis, benign	KB	Pilar cyst	PC		
Neck	NE	Sole	SO	Lentigo	LE	Scar	SR	Excision Type	Code
Shoulder	SH			Lipoma	LI	SCC in situ / Bowens / intraepidermal carcinoma	SI	Conventional full thickness excision	CE
Chest	CH	Provisional Diagnosis or Previous Result	Code	Malignant other	MO	Seborrheic keratosis	SB	Punch excision	PE
Abdomen	AB	Atypical Fibroxanthoma	AF	Melanoma in situ / HMF / lentigo maligna	MS	Solar keratosis	SO	Shave excision	SE
Back	BA	Basal Cell carcinoma	BC	Melanoma, invasive	MM	Squamous Cell Carcinoma, invasive	SC	Other excision	OE
Buttock	BU	Benign other	BO	Merkel Cell Carcinoma	MC				
Genitalia	GE	Dermatofibroma	DF	Naevus, Benign melanocytic	NB				
Arm	AR	Epidermal cyst	EC						
Forearm (elbow & below)	FO								
Hand	HA								

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CORRECT – Coding is used for each column

	Body Region See key	Provisional Diagnosis See key	New Lesion
1	AR	NB	Y
2			
3			



WRONG – Free text is used for each column

	Body Region See key	Provisional Diagnosis See key	New Lesion
1	arm		
2			
3			

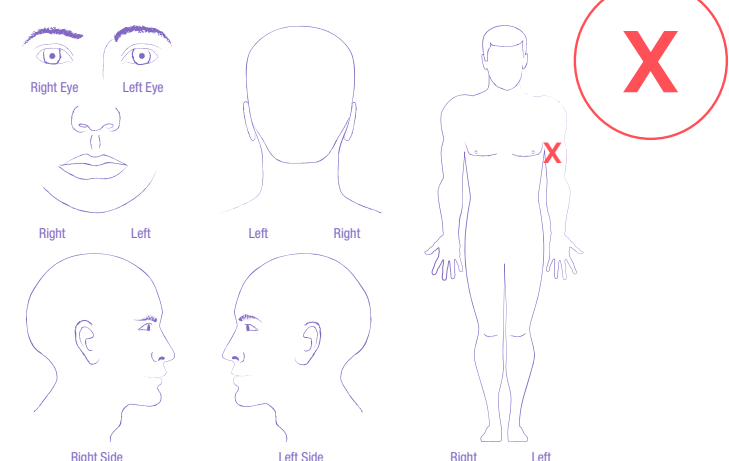


WRONG – Blank columns with no coding at all

	Body Region See key	Provisional Diagnosis See key	New Lesion
1			
2			
3			



WRONG – Only marked diagram is used with no coding at all



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