1. **Systemic/Surgery Sequence** code is required for all cases dx ≥ 2006. For older cases, this field should be left BLANK.

2. **Casefinding Source** code is required for all cases dx ≥ 2007.

3. **Completion of MPH New Data Item** fields are required for all cases dx ≥ 2007. For older cases, these fields should be left BLANK.

4. Collaborative Stage Site Specific Coding Issues:

    **BREAST**: CS LN, SSF4 & SSF5 coding issues
    - **SSF4 Note 1**: Use codes 000-009 only to report results of IHC on otherwise histologically negative lymph nodes on routine H and E stains, i.e., only when CS Lymph Nodes is coded 00. Otherwise code 888 in this field.
    - **SSF5 Note 1**: Use codes 000-002 only to report results of molecular studies on otherwise histologically negative lymph nodes on routine H and E stains, i.e., only when CS Lymph Nodes is coded 00. Otherwise code 888 in this field.
    - Meaning you should not be coding SSFs 4-5 to 888 if CS LN=00.

    **PROSTATE**: CS TS/Ext-Eval coding issues for TURP & RRP procedures
    - **CS TS/Ext-Eval Note 4**: According to AJCC, staging basis for transurethral resection of prostate (TURP) is clinical and is recorded as CS TS/Ext-Eval "1."
    - For **RRP**, CS TS/Ext-Eval should be coded to "4" as a surgical resection was performed which meets the criteria for AJCC pathological staging.

    **BLADDER**: CS TS/Ext-Eval coding issue for TURBT procedures
    - **CS TS/Ext-Eval Note**: According to AJCC, staging basis for transurethral resection of bladder tumor (TURBT) is clinical and is recorded as CS TS/Ext-Eval "1."

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