

### **Data Acquisition Manual (DAM)**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
- For cases diagnosed 1988-1995
- On-line version not available and printed versions are difficult to find.

### **Registry Operations and Data Standards, 1996 (ROADS)**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
- For cases diagnosed in 1996-1997
- <http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/roads.html>

### **Registry Operations and Data Standards, 1998 (ROADS)**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
- For cases diagnosed 1998-2002
- Manual and updated pages are listed at <http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/roads.html>

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Published in 2002**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
- For cases diagnosed 2003
- Includes the complete original 2002 manual with updates posted through March 2003
- <http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html>

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2004**

- **Published 9/2005** by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
- For cases diagnosed 2004-2006
- Includes all revisions dated from 2002 through September 2004, plus updated/revised material for use in 2006
- <http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html>

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2007**

- **Published 4/2007** by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
- For cases diagnosed 2007-2008
- Includes all updates and revisions
- <http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html>

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2009**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
  - For cases diagnosed 1/1/2009 – 12/31/2009
  - Introduced the changes to staging rules introduced during 2008, clarifications for coding embolization, and revised rules for coding *in utero* diagnosis and treatment dates.
- [-http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html](http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html)

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2010**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
  - For cases diagnosed 1/1/2010 – 12/31/2010
  - Includes the new Collaborative Stage items for CS v2, new date transmission formats, and a number of new and converted data items.
- [-http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html](http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html)

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2011**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
  - For cases diagnosed 1/1/2011 – 12/31/2011
  - Modifications include discontinuation of eight items, addition of seven CS site-specific factor requirements, a new code option for primary site breast surgery, ICD-10-CM ranges for coding comorbidities and complications, and a number of clarifications
- [-http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html](http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html)

### **Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2012**

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
  - For cases diagnosed 2012 and forward
  - Modifications include grade, Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy coding under "Scope of Regional Lymph Node Surgery," clarification on coding cumulative repeat surgeries, new Radiation/Surgery Sequence and Systemic/Surgery Sequence codes
- [-Changes in Coding "Scope of Regional Lymph Node Surgery"](#)
- [-http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html](http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanualolder.html)

### Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2013

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
  - For cases diagnosed 2013 and forward
  - Modifications include discontinuation of seven data items and the addition of three sets of new data items for Country, Secondary Diagnoses and Override CS 1-19 flags.
  - Registries are strongly encouraged to read the Preface and review Appendix C for an overview of the changes.**
- [-http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanual.html](http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanual.html)

### Facility Oncology Registry Data Standards (FORDS): Revised for 2015

- Published by the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer
  - For cases **diagnosed 2015 and forward**
  - This version of FORDS replaces all previous versions**
  - Modifications include required clinical/pathological AJCC TNM and Stage group information; new 2014 grade/differentiation coding rules; clarification for coding biopsies followed by surgery and for reporting dose for photon treatment; new sex codes and the discontinuation of Grade Path System and Grade Path Value fields.
  - Registries are strongly encouraged to read the Preface and review Appendix C for an overview of the changes.**
- [-http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanual.html](http://www.facs.org/cancer/coc/fordsmanual.html)