**Missouri Cancer Registry**

October 2024

*Fellow Registrars,*

*Happy Fall! Welcome cooler weather! We are actively preparing for the annual Call for Data which requires us to report cases to NPCR and NAACCR. Please send in 2022 and 2023 cases as soon as possible.*

*October is Breast and Liver Cancer Awareness month. The attached one-pager provides statistical information on breast cancers in Missouri.*



DUE DATES

To be on track, large hospitals (>500 cases/yr.) typically would be expected to have abstracted February 2024 diagnosis cases by September 15, 2024. Smaller facilities (<300 cases /yr.) were expected to report the 1st Quarter of 2024 by October 15, 2024.

**Meet us at the MOODS EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE – October 4th-It’s not too late!**

**Missouri Cancer Registry is hosting a MOODS Educational Conference (Missouri ODS) at Boone Hospital Center on Friday, October 4, 2024. We will be offering 6 CE hours with this free one-day educational opportunity. Presenters include physicians from Boone Health, University of Missouri, MCR staff and the well-known ODS Educator Louanne Currence. If you are interested in attending, email me directly at lahf5p@health.missouri.edu.  Free box lunches will be provided.**

EDUCATION

**MCR Helpline**

Reach us at 1-800-392-2829 during regular office hours or leave a message; a member of our QA team will return your call within one business day.

**FlccSC-New Course Available!**

**Earn 3 CE’s** NAACCR Webinar – **Coding Pitfalls 2024** presented September 2024

***The Florida Cancer Data System (FLccSC) is currently offline.* FLccSC is working diligently to resolve the issue and restore service as quickly as possible. We apologize for the inconvenience.**

**NAACCR Webinars:**

**NAACCR Webinar: Larynx and Base of Tongue 2024**

**October 3, 2024,** 8-11 a.m. This webinar will cover anatomy, solid tumor rules, staging and treatment of laryngeal and base of tongue primary malignancies. Examples, quizzes, and case scenarios will be provided. **To attend the live broadcast in Columbia, Mo,** sign up here: [**https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0E4BA9A823A6FB6-51734141-larynx**](https://nam02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.signupgenius.com%2Fgo%2F30E0E4BA9A823A6FB6-51734141-larynx&data=05%7C02%7Clahf5p%40health.missouri.edu%7Ce666664a96334e17908f08dcde2a4692%7Ce3fefdbef7e9401ba51a355e01b05a89%7C0%7C0%7C638629520365203288%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=p2bCNOkMy%2FzHu%2FAc6pa5J%2BeArilwTI8LNYPrBhwEL%2B8%3D&reserved=0)

**Visitor Parking at Parking Structure 7 (PS7) for NAACCR Webinars**

Only those with a valid PS7 visitor permission pass will be allowed to park there. A daily visitor permit is $7 for parking in lots and $9 for parking garages. Violators are subject to ticketing and towing. You can purchase a visitor pass online at[**https://missouri.nupark.com/v2/Portal/Login**](https://missouri.nupark.com/v2/Portal/Login)

**YouTube**

**Vulvar Cancer and HPV**

New video on YouTube by Jeff Steffens, BS, ODS-C. This video will review the new histology codes for HPV positive/negative squamous cell carcinoma of the vulva and how the Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) increases the risk of developing this cancer. Includes information not covered in the show-me-tip. Watch the recording on YouTube at:

[**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Js4X78pUf4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Js4X78pUf4)

**MOODS Study Guide**

Exciting news! The Missouri Cancer Registry and Research Center is pleased to announce the Missouri Oncology Data Specialist (MOODS) Study Guide has been updated and available to order! The cost of the study guide is $50. To purchase the **MOODS Study Guide**, point your smartphone camera at the QR code or CTRL click on the Marketplace link. **Add to Cart** to place your order.

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**to get started.**

**SEER Educate – September 24th News**

**2024 SEER Workshop**

Registration for the virtual meeting has closed. If you missed the deadline, the sessions are being recorded and will eventually be available from the [**NCRA website, 2024 SEER Workshop.**](https://nam02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.ncra-usa.org%2FEducation%2F2024-SEER-Workshop&data=05%7C02%7Clahf5p%40health.missouri.edu%7Ce666664a96334e17908f08dcde2a4692%7Ce3fefdbef7e9401ba51a355e01b05a89%7C0%7C0%7C638629520365292674%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=6xu6IBp7vFQTfJm44rLhApn6GGnHsUq9T4OICc6wpEU%3D&reserved=0)

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**Help Desk will be CLOSED or Limited (in addition to weekends)**

* Nov 9 -11 (Veteran’s Day weekend)
* Nov 28 - Dec 1
* Dec 24 - 26
* Jan 1

**NAACCR ODS (CTR) Prep and Review Fall 2024**

The **NAACCR ODS (CTR) Exam Preparation and Review Webinar Series** offers online interactive instruction with live instructors. The course includes eight 2-hour sessions carefully prepared to reflect the changes to the 2024 ODS exam (formerly CTR Exam). A subscription is $235 per participant. Only one person may participate per subscription. The series includes 8 weekly "live" lectures presented by experience instructors. Q&A sessions, study materials, weekly online quizzes, and a timed practice test during our last session.  If a participant is unable to attend one of the live sessions, they may view the recording at their convenience. The last day of the course is the Tuesday before the start of the exam.

**Dates of the webinars are** **August 27, 2024 – October 15, 2024** Check the NAACCR website for additional information at [**https://education.naaccr.org/ctr**](https://nam02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Feducation.naaccr.org%2Fctr&data=05%7C02%7Clahf5p%40health.missouri.edu%7Ce0d2649c14ef4b5306d408dcc69d2f47%7Ce3fefdbef7e9401ba51a355e01b05a89%7C0%7C0%7C638603625637701659%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=9WEf0Fg5tQ4Z%2BmRnHh64eOZTnUf%2B0dQoXSvlQ2M56%2Fc%3D&reserved=0)

***MCR NEWS***

DEATH CLEARANCE

Death Clearance (DC) follow back for the reporting year 2022 is underway! Please process your DC list as soon as possible. If you are new to the process or would like a refresher, please refer to the instructions and You Tube video that can be accessed from this page of our website under ‘DC Follow-Back Requests’. [**https://cancerregistry.missouri.edu/reporting/cancer-reporting-hospital/**](https://cancerregistry.missouri.edu/reporting/cancer-reporting-hospital/)

We truly appreciate your contributions to make this project successful; the information you provide is an essential part for MCR in meeting our annual goals!

PROGRAM DIRECTORS MEETING IN ATLANTA

Dr. Iris Zachary and I attended the NPCR Programs Directors meeting in Atlanta earlier in the week. We were asked to present on our student engagement project - “Student Engagement through Internships and Volunteer Opportunities at the Missouri Cancer Registry and Research Center.” Throughout the year, we provide many volunteer and/or internship opportunities for students. The student gain valuable knowledge and experience about Cancer Registry which they can use for job experience, and we have additional help to complete much needed projects.

The main topics of the meeting focused on how to get more timely data, VA facility reporting, quality assurance activities, data modernization activities and the new USCS Data Visualization tool. It was great to collaborate and meet registry leaders from other states!

**CDC SITE VISIT** with Drs. Florence Tangka and Sujha Submaranian

Florence and Sujha from the CDC visited us in August and discussed MCR’s Data modernization and electronic pathology reporting activities and opportunities for the upcoming year.

Women standing at a podium with flags behind them

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***NEWS FROM THE STANDARD SETTERS***

**Cancer Path Chart**

Cancer Path Chart has been updated for 2025. CPC\*Search is an interactive webtool on the SEER website that allows cancer registrars and other users to search thevalidity standards by tumor site, histology, and behavior terms and associated codes. Seach results include the validity status of tumor histology and behavior by site and organ system which indicates if specific tumor site-morphology combinations are biologically valid, impossible, or unlikely. Use this link to check questionable code combinations. [**https://seer.cancer.gov/cancerpathchart/products.html**](https://seer.cancer.gov/cancerpathchart/products.html)

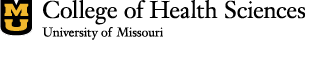
RESOURCES AND ITEMS OF INTEREST

Early, Virtual Palliative Care Feasible for Advanced Lung Cancer <https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jama/article-abstract/2823624>

Excess Body Weight Linked to Increased Risk for Second Primary Neoplasm [Excess Body Weight and the Risk of Second Primary Cancers Among Cancer Survivors | Oncology | JAMA Network Open | JAMA Network](https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jamanetworkopen/fullarticle/2823607)

Warm regards,

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