

Surgery Codes

Parotid and Other Unspecified Glands Parotid Gland C079, Major Salivary Glands C080–C089

Codes

A000 None; no surgery of primary site; autopsy ONLY

A100 Local tumor destruction, NOS

A110 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)

A120 Electrocautery; fulguration (includes use of hot forceps for tumor destruction)

A130 Cryosurgery

A140 Laser

No specimen sent to pathology from surgical events A100–A140

A200 Local tumor excision, NOS

A260 Polypectomy

A270 Excisional biopsy

Any combination of A200, A260, or A270 WITH

A210 Photodynamic therapy (PDT)

A220 Electrocautery

A230 Cryosurgery

A240 Laser ablation

A250 Laser excision

[**SEER Note:** Codes A300-A800 include major salivary gland, NOS.]

A300 Less than total parotidectomy, NOS; less than total removal of major salivary gland, NOS

A310 Facial nerve spared

A320 Facial nerve sacrificed

A330 Superficial lobe ONLY

A340 Facial nerve spared

A350 Facial nerve sacrificed

A360 Deep lobe (Total)

[**SEER Note:** Codes A300-A360 are with or without superficial lobe.]

A370 Facial nerve spared

A380 Facial nerve sacrificed

[**SEER Note:** Codes A400-A800 may include submandibulectomy and submaxillectomy.]

A400 Total parotidectomy, NOS; total removal of major salivary gland, NOS

A410 Facial nerve spared

A420 Facial nerve sacrificed

A500 Radical parotidectomy, NOS; radical removal of major salivary gland, NOS

A510 WITHOUT removal of temporal bone

A520 WITH removal of temporal bone

A530 WITH removal of overlying skin (requires graft or flap coverage)

A800 Parotidectomy, NOS

Specimen sent to pathology from surgical events A200-A800

A900 Surgery, NOS

A990 Unknown if surgery performed; death certificate ONLY