

Personal and Cancer Details

Postcode It is essential that postcode is recorded in full. Postcodes are available from www.royalmail.com.
The postcode will be used to obtain an Index of Multiple Deprivation for each woman.

Index of Multiple Deprivation

The index can be obtained by typing the Postcode into the appropriate space in the Access database, the database will automatically return the corresponding Index. This index is calculated by the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, it is based on geographical areas (Super Output Areas) each of which includes approximately 1,500 residents. The index is ranked and the percentile is recorded.

Study ID Study ID is 14 characters long and is assigned automatically by AJ-CRUK (Exeter) at the same time that the controls are assigned to the case.

It has the following format TES/QT2/CCYY/NNNX, where

- TES = HA cipher
- QT2 = Q code of Case/Control as at the date of diagnosis
- CCYY = the year of the case's diagnosis
- NNN = a sequence number for the Qcode and year of diagnosis
- X = the Case/Control type identifier. If:
 - o X = 1 – indicates a Case
 - o X = 2 – indicates a GP Control
 - o X = 3 – indicates a District Control
 - o X = 4 – an Adjusted Screened Control
 - o X = 5 – an Abnormal Control
 - o X = 6 – an Unadjusted Screened Control.

Dates All dates are of the form DD MM YYYY (eg. May 7, 1992 becomes 07 05 1992)
If only the year is available then leave the day and month blank.
(Most of the dates can be obtained from Open Exeter or AJ-CRUK)

Stage Two boxes have been provided for stage to allow a preliminary staging on which the AJ-CRUK job can be run. The final FIGO stage can be entered at any time after that.
Pretreatment FIGO staging should be used. 1A, 1A1, 1A2, 1B, 1B1, 1B2, 2, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B.

Convert Roman numerals to Arabic numerals. E.g. IIIb becomes 3B. Micro-invasive (1A) should be recorded by the laboratory.

NOTE: valid stage codes for AJ-CRUK are: 1A, IN, 1B, 2, 2A, 2B, 3, 3A, 3B, 4, 4A, 4B, X.
“X” should be used for unknown stage and “IN” if the tumour is known to be worse than micro-invasive, but the stage is not available (this can also be labeled as “1B+”)

Histology (this coding must be used in order to run Exeter AJ-CRUK and should only be used in reference to this output)

- S. Squamous
- A. Adeno
- B. Adeno-squamous
- U. Undifferentiated