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## *Ajcc Cancer Staging Manual*

*Building on the success of  
this book's first edition,  
Dr. Eric Hansen and Dr.  
Mack Roach have updated,*

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*revised, and expanded the Handbook of Evidence-based Radiation Oncology, a portable reference that utilizes evidence-based medicine as the basis for practical treatment*

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*recommendations and guidelines. Organized by body site, concise clinical chapters provide easy access to critical information. Important "pearls" of epidemiology,*

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*anatomy, pathology, and clinical presentation are highlighted. Key facets of the work-up are listed, followed by staging and/or risk classification systems. Treatment*

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*recommendations are discussed based on stage, histology, and/or risk classification. Brief summaries of key trials and studies provide rationale for the*

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*recommendations. Practical guidelines for radiation techniques are described. Finally, complications and follow-up guidelines are outlined. Updates from the first edition include*

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*brand new color figures  
and color contouring mini-  
atlases for head and neck,  
gastrointestinal,  
prostate, and  
gynecological tumors;  
redesigned tables for*

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*increased readability; new chapters on management of the neck and unknown primary, clinical radiobiology, and pediatric malignancies and benign conditions; and new*



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*appendices including the  
American College of  
Radiology guidelines for  
administration of IV  
contrast.*

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*worldwide to facilitate the uniform description of neoplastic diseases, the fully revised and updated Seventh Edition of the AJCC Cancer Staging Handbook brings together*

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*all currently available information on staging of cancer at various anatomic sites and incorporates newly acquired knowledge on the etiology and pathology of cancer.*

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*This edition of ICD-O, the standard tool for coding diagnoses of neoplasms in tumour and cancer registrars and in pathology laboratories, has been developed by a*

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*working party convened by the International Agency for Research on Cancer / WHO. ICD-0 is a dual classification with coding systems for both topography and morphology.*

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*The book has five main sections. The first provides general instructions for using the coding systems and gives rules for their implementation in tumour*

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*registries and pathology laboratories. Section two includes the numerical list of topography codes, which remain unchanged from the previous edition. The numerical list of*

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*morphology codes is presented in the next section, which introduces several new terms and includes considerable revisions of the non-Hodgkin lymphoma and*



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*leukaemia sections, based on the WHO Classification of Hematopoietic and Lymphoid Diseases. The five-digit morphology codes allow identification of a tumour or cell type by*

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*histology, behaviour, and grade. Revisions in the morphology section were made in consultation with a large number of experts and were finalised after field-testing in cancer*

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*registries around the world. The alphabetical index gives codes for both topography and morphology and includes selected tumour-like lesions and conditions. A guide to*

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*differences in morphology codes between the second and third editions is provided in the final section, which includes lists of all new code numbers, new terms and*

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*synonyms added to existing  
code definitions, terms  
that changed morphology  
code, terms for conditions  
now considered malignant,  
deleted terms, and terms  
that changed behaviour*

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*code.*

*The Manual of Clinical Oncology, Ninth Edition, published with the International Union Against Cancer (UICC), provides a concise,*

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*accessible and feasible  
reference covering state  
of art multidisciplinary  
clinical oncology in order  
to meet the needs of  
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cancer patients throughout*

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*the world. Edited by world-renowned practising oncologists and written by key opinion leaders, this book contains authoritative and up-to-date information on cancer*



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*detection, diagnosis and  
treatment alongside topics  
such as survivorship,  
special populations and  
palliative care.*

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the ninth edition to*

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to special settings in  
oncology, including  
supportive care and  
survivorship, and Part 2  
covers site-specific*

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*multidisciplinary cancer management. The edition includes up-to-date summaries of all treatment modalities (medical, surgical and radiation) for all tumour sites. It*

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*Representation of  
multidisciplinary care for  
site specific management,  
Evidence-based approaches  
to management, including  
specific treatment  
recommendations and*

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*investigations guided by  
clinical practice  
guidelines, State of art  
evidence-based  
recommendations that take  
into consideration the  
lack of availability of*



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*certain medications or resources, as well as practice variations, in different and remote regions of the world, and Contemporary topics on cancer treatment, such as*

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Handbook  
Cutaneous T-Cell Lymphoma*

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Illustrated Guide to the  
TNM/pTNM-Classification of  
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***a companion text to the  
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supporting the correct and  
uniform application of the  
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clinical features, staging  
and prognostic factors,  
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techniques, disease  
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radiotherapy, and***

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*essential information and guidance in a practical format, the book will be a superb asset for senior graduate students in dentistry and specialist trainees in head and neck oncology. It will also be of*



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***high value for the many  
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pathologists, dentists, and  
specialists involved in the  
prevention, diagnosis, and  
management of squamous cell  
carcinomas of the oral  
cavity and oropharynx.***

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***to reflect the concepts discussed in the 7th Edition of both the AJCC Cancer Staging Manual and its companion Handbook. This Atlas illustrates the TNM classifications of all cancer sites and types***

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knowledge required in  
order to identify these  
cancers early and to  
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be able to provide  
effective patient care  
using the latest  
knowledge on all aspects  
of ophthalmic oncology,  
to verify diagnostic

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conclusions based on  
comparison with numerous  
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photographs, and to  
locate required  
information quickly  
owing to the clinically

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potential value for  
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gives epidemiological,  
clinical, investigative  
and treatment summary  
details. Other pathology  
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histopathology reports,  
and to participate in  
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to ensure that all those  
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enhanced the accuracy of  
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for anyone involved in the care of patients with cancer or in cancer research, underpinning individual patient treatment as well as research into all aspects of cancer causation, prevention, therapy, and education. What is new in this edition? The fifth edition, guided by the WHO

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Classification of Tumours Editorial Board, will establish a single coherent cancer classification presented across a collection of individual volumes organized on the basis of anatomical site (digestive system, breast, soft tissue and bone, etc.) and structured in a systematic manner, with each

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staging information included in this Sixth Edition is uniform between the AJCC (American Joint Committee on Cancer) and the UICC (International Union Against Cancer). Organised by disease site into 48 comprehensive chapters, this new edition has completely revised and updated the

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old classification system to provide a new, evidence-based guide to cancer staging. This new TNM Classification will be implemented world-wide on January 1st, 2003.

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an introduction on the history and basic tenets of tumor grading, subsequent chapters focus on specific organ systems. In each case, the most widely used system for grading common tumors is presented and discussed. Throughout, careful attention is paid to the principles of

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microscopic tumor grading, ancillary methods to improve grading, and the latest techniques used in evaluating tumors and formulating prognosis. Since the first edition, all chapters have been updated to reflect revisions in the clinical practice of pathology and to explain the role of novel

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prevention, therapy, and education. This book will be of special interest to pathologists, oncologists, surgeons and epidemiologists who manage or research breast tumors. Sections are included on all recognized neoplasms of the breast including the nipple and areola. Since the previous edition

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*internationally agreed-upon standards to describe and categorize cancer stages and progression. Published in affiliation with the International Union Against Cancer (UICC), this authoritative guide contains*

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*alterations addressed in the 7th Edition concern carcinomas of the oesophagus and the gastroesophageal junction, stomach, lung, appendix, biliary tract, skin, and prostate. In addition, there are several*



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*entirely new  
classifications:  
gastrointestinal carcinoids  
(neuroendocrine tumours)  
gastrointestinal stromal  
tumour upper aerodigestive  
mucosal melanoma Merkel cell  
carcinoma uterine sarcomas*

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*intrahepatic  
cholangiocarcinoma adrenal  
cortical carcinoma. A new  
approach has also been  
adopted to separate  
anatomical stage groupings  
from prognostic groupings in  
which other prognostic*

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*factors are added to T, N, and M categories. These new prognostic groupings, as well as the traditional anatomical groupings, are presented for oesophageal and prostate carcinomas.*

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*review in the light of the  
most recent findings the  
major clinical aspects of  
breast cancer, including,  
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factors, breast imaging,  
biopsy techniques, breast-  
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*management, and management of internal mammary lymph nodes).*

*this booklet contains cancer staging data forms for all anatomic sites, developed by the American Joint Committee on Cancer in cooperation*

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*with the TNM Committee of  
the International Union  
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Confronted with a myriad  
of T's, N's and M's in the  
VICC TNM booklet,  
classifying a malignancy may  
seem to many cancer clini*

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*cians a tedious, dull and pedantic task. But at a closer look at the TNM Atlas all of a sudden lifeless categories become vivid images, challenging the clinician's know-how and investigational skills.*

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*Brigit van der Werf-Messing,  
M.D. Professor of Radiology  
Past Chairman of the  
International TNM-Committee  
of the VICC Rotterdam, July  
1982 Preface In 1938 the  
League of Nations Health  
Organization published an*

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*Atlas Illustrating the Division of Cancer of the Uterine Cervix into Four Stages (J. Heyman, ed., Stockholm). Since this work appeared, the idea of visual representation of the anatomical extent of*

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*malignant tumours at the different stages of their development has been repeatedly discussed. At its meeting in Copenhagen in July 1954, the DICC adopted as part of its programme "the realization of a*

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*clinical atlas". However, the time to do the planned book of illustrations was not ripe until the national committees and international organizations had officially recognized the 28 classifications of malignant*

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*tu mours at various sites as presented in the third edition of the TNM Booklet edited by M. Harmer (TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 1978). This was all the more important since publication of the Booklet*



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*was followed in 1980 by  
publication of a Brochure of  
Checklists, edited by A.H.  
Digestive System Tumours  
Breast Tumours  
Urological Pathology  
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From the Surveill., Epidem., & End Results (SEER) Prog. based at the Nat. Cancer Inst. Intended as a coding manual beginning with cases diagnosed from Jan. 1, 2001 rather than a staging guide. Each anatomic site in the Topography

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Sect. of the Internat. Class. of Disease for Oncology -- 3rd Ed. (ICD-0-3) has a corresponding summary staging scheme. Certain specific histologic types also have specific staging schemes. In some cases, sites which previously had

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separate guides (such as the segments of the colon) have a single staging scheme (colon), whereas some sites which previously had a single guide (e.g., larynx) have separate schemes for each sub-site of the larynx.

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of melanoma, Cutaneous Melanoma, 6th edition covers everything from precursors of melanoma to advanced stages of metastatic disease.

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updated to include all new cancer staging information from the Seventh Edition of the AJCC Cancer Staging Manual. The atlas presents cancer staging in a highly visual rapid-reference format, with clear full-color diagrams and TNM



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stages by organ site. The illustrations are three-dimensional, three-planar cross-sectional presentations of primary anatomy and regional nodal anatomy. They show the anatomic features identifiable on physical and/or

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radiologic examination and the anatomic extent of cancer spread which is the basis for staging. A color code indicates the spectrum of cancer progression at primary sites (T) and lymph node regions (N). The text then rapidly reviews

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metastatic spread patterns and their incidence. For this edition, CT or MRI images have been added to all site-specific chapters to further detail cancer spread and help plan treatment. Staging charts have been updated to reflect changes in

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*and the proliferation of biochemical, molecular, and genetic markers have resulted in renewed interest in this field. The outcome in patients with cancer is determined by a combination of numerous factors. Presently, the*

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*most widely recognized are the extent of disease, histologic type of tumor, and treatment. It has been known for some time that additional factors also influence outcome. These include histologic grade, lymphatic or vascular*

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*invasion, mitotic index, performance status, symptoms, and most recently genetic and biochemical markers. It is the aim of this volume to compile those prognostic factors that have emerged as important*

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*determinants of outcome for tumors at various sites. This compilation represents the first phase of a more extensive process to integrate all prognostic factors in cancer to further enhance the prediction of outcome following*

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*treatment. Certain issues surrounding the assessment and reporting of prognostic factors are also considered. Importance of Prognostic Factors Prognostic factors in cancer often have an immense influence on outcome,*

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*tamoxifen in the same group of patients [5].*

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