

HTG166 – Interstitial photodynamic therapy for malignant parotid tumours

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Procedure and device:

SNOMED CT preferred term (concept ID)

Interstitial photodynamic therapy of malignant tumour of parotid gland (840981000000104)

OPCS-4 code(s):

F45.5 Destruction of lesion of salivary gland

Y13.6 Photodynamic therapy of lesion of organ NOC

Z26.1 Parotid gland

To note: this type of procedure is usually performed under some form of image control, so the codes in the categories below if appropriate must be used.

Y53. - Approach to organ under image control

Or

Y86 Other approach to organ under image control

Note: Codes in category **Y53 Approach to organ under image control** and **Y68 Other approach to organ under image control** are used as additional codes for any procedure that uses image control that may or may not be performed via percutaneous approach.

When a procedure has been performed using image control and the code that classifies the procedure **does not** state the type of image control used, then a code from these categories **must be** assigned. If the specific method of image control is not stated, the fourth-character **.9** must be assigned.

Diagnosis or health condition:

SNOMED CT preferred term (concept ID)

Neoplasm of parotid gland Malignant tumor of parotid gland (126788000)

(363379000)

ICD-10 code(s):

C07. X Malignant neoplasm of parotid gland

or

C79.8 Secondary malignant neoplasm of other specified sites

Clinical coding recommendations for NICE guidance

For each published interventional procedure and medical technologies guidance, we work with NHS Digital to provide relevant clinical coding information.

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NICE and NHS Digital Information Representation Services work collaboratively to ensure the most appropriate SNOMED CT, OPCS-4 and ICD codes are provided.

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