

Part III Exercises

Multiple Primaries, Diagnosis Date, Sequence Number, Laterality, Collaborative Stage

For these exercises, assume that the patient had no previous benign or malignant tumors of other sites.

- 1. The patient had a computerized tomography (CT) scan on January 2, 2004, showing an acoustic neuroma. On December 3, 2004, the patient had a craniotomy and removal of the tumor. In the pathology report the final diagnosis was acoustic neuroma.**

What is the date of diagnosis?

What is the sequence number?

Primary site:

Histology:

- 2. The patient had an excisional biopsy on March 1, 2004, and the pathology was WHO grade I gangliocytoma of the basal ganglia. On October 15, 2004, the patient had re-resection of a tumor of the basal ganglia. The final pathologic diagnosis was anaplastic ganglioglioma, WHO grade III.**

What is the date of diagnosis?

What is the sequence number?

Primary site:

Histology:

- 3. The patient is deaf. In 1998, the patient had surgery to remove an acoustic neuroma. A CT scan showed a spinal cord tumor on March 3, 2004. On March 21, 2004, the patient had a laminectomy and partial removal of tumor at T7. The pathology report documented psammomatous meningioma of the dura.**

What is the date of diagnosis?

What is the sequence number?

Primary site:

Histology:

- 4. On April 1, 2004 the patient had a CT scan of the head that showed cholesteatoma. On April 15, 2004, an MRI of the head showed left temporal meningioma. On April 30, 2004, the patient had surgery to remove the meningioma. The final pathologic diagnosis was meningioma of the left inferior temporal dura.**

What is the date of diagnosis?

What is the sequence number?

Primary site:

Histology:

- 5. An MRI on January 3, 2004, was used to diagnose subependymoma. On January 31, 2004, the patient had a stereotactic craniotomy and removal of the subependymoma from the medulla oblongata. The patient later had a bulge in the lumbar spinal cord, and on December 15, 2004, an MRI was used to diagnose meningioma. On December 30, 2004, the meningioma was removed. The pathology report documented intradural meningioma.**

What is the date of diagnosis?

What is the sequence number?

Primary site:

Histology: