

Basic Training for Cancer Reporters
ACCESSION/SEQUENCE NUMBER Exercise

1. A 25-year-old white female was admitted to XYZ Hospital in early January of 2012 and was found to have leukemia after testing was completed. She started chemotherapy before leaving the hospital and will continue on an outpatient basis. She was the first patient to be entered into the cancer database for 2012. She has not had any previous cancers.

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2. This 77-year-old black male came to XYZ Hospital in late January of 2012 after an extremely elevated PSA was found and Digital Rectal Exam detected a very enlarged prostate. He was found to have prostatic adenocarcinoma. The doctor advised hormones which will be started later. In April of 2010, he had a malignant melanoma removed from his right arm at XYZ Hospital. His accession number in 2010 (for the melanoma) was 201000025.

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3. A 56-year-old white female was found to have a suspicious mass on her right breast, which was proven by biopsy to be a ductal carcinoma in-situ. She came into ABC Hospital on March 5, 2012, for a lumpectomy and lymph node dissection. The H&P stated that she has no personal history of cancer. She is the twenty-fifth patient to be entered into the ABC cancer database for 2012.

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4. A 7-year-old boy was admitted into St. Sophie Hospital with an already proven meningioma for excision. He was admitted on Sept 1, 2012. He had never been sick before, other than measles and chickenpox. There were 75 patients in the cancer database before him.

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