

512.230 Criteria for determining cancer types.

(a) Included cancer types. CMS includes in the RO Model test cancer types that satisfy all of the following criteria. The cancer type:

(1) Is commonly treated with radiation; and

(2) Has associated current ICD-10 codes that have demonstrated pricing stability.

(b) Removing cancer types. CMS removes cancer types in the RO Model if it determines:

(1) RT is no longer appropriate to treat a cancer type per nationally recognized, evidence-based clinical treatment guidelines;

(2) CMS discovers a ≥ 10 percent error in established national base rates; or

(3) The Secretary determines a cancer type not to be suitable for inclusion in the RO Model.

(c) ICD-10 codes for included cancer types. CMS displays on the RO Model website no later than 30 days prior to each PY the ICD-10 diagnosis codes associated with each included cancer type.