

Breast Reconstruction

Organization	Field Name	ID	Required
KCR	Recon Breast (ReconBreast)	50137	Yes
NAACCR	RX Sum-Recon Breast	1335	Yes

Field Length: 4

Description:

Previously collected for 2022 cases (STORE)

Breast Reconstruction, effective **01/01/2024**, describes the reconstruction procedure immediately following resection of the breast.

Breast reconstruction was previously collected within the breast surgery codes. CoC will collect this data item to support the Synoptic Operative Reports and allow for more descriptive reconstruction codes.

Code	Description
A000	No Reconstruction No immediate reconstruction was performed at any facility
A100	Tissue expander placement Tissue expanders were placed without implant or tissue placement
A200	Direct to implant placement Permanent implant is placed immediately following resection Example: A mastectomy is performed by the breast surgeon and an implant is placed at the same time by a plastic surgeon (some general /breast surgeons may place implants, but most are placed by plastics)
A300	Oncoplastic tissue rearrangement (not a formal mastopexy/reduction) Reconstruction performed with parenchymal flap or adjacent tissue transfer
A400	Oncoplastic reduction and/or mastopexy Breast conserving resection and a breast reduction/lift is performed
A500	Oncoplastic reconstruction with regional tissue flaps Breast conserving resection and reconstruction is performed with skin flaps
A600	Mastectomy reconstruction with autologous tissue, source not specified Autologous tissue source is unknown or not specified
A610	Mastectomy reconstruction WITH abdominal tissue
A620	Mastectomy reconstruction WITH thigh tissue
A630	Mastectomy reconstruction WITH gluteal tissue
A640	Mastectomy reconstruction WITH back tissue
A900	Reconstruction performed, method unknown
A970	Implant based reconstruction, NOS
A980	Autologous tissue-based reconstruction, NOS
A990	Unknown if immediate reconstruction performed

Coding Instructions

1. Immediate reconstruction is defined as reconstruction performed during the same operative session as the operative procedure coded in *Surgery of Primary Site 2023* (NAACCR Item #1291)
2. One surgeon can perform the surgical resection to primary site and another surgeon can perform the reconstruction during the same operative session. As long as reconstruction was done during the same operative session, an immediate reconstruction code should be assigned.
3. Assign the breast reconstruction code for breast primaries with a date of diagnosis 01/01/2024 and forward
4. Code only the **ipsilateral** breast reconstruction
5. Do not record reconstruction performed on a different day than the breast primary definitive resection
6. Assign code A000 if the reconstruction was started but not completed
7. Assign code A300 when patient has reconstruction performed with parenchymal flap or adjacent tissue transfer
8. Information for codes A600-A900 may be found in the Breast Plastic Reconstructive operative report
9. Oncoplastic surgery is typically performed by the surgeon but sometimes found in the Breast Plastic Reconstructive operative note