

Dear Surgeon,

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Re: 2021 BC Diagnosis (BC Dx) Code Updates and new forms

The Surgical Patient Registry (SPR), in consultation with provincial clinical subject matter experts, has updated several Adult BC Dx codes. These updates will be implemented **April 1, 2021**.

What do you need to do?

1. Please discard previous BC Diagnosis (Dx) code forms and replace with the current version: **v2021-P1**.
2. Ensure you use **both Adult and Pediatric** BC Dx code forms for your specialty:
ADULT patients = 17 years or older, at date of decision
PEDIATRIC patients = 17 years, less a day, or younger, at date of decision

*It is vital to waitlist management to use the correct code set **based on your patient's age at date of decision (the date at which the patient is ready, willing and able to proceed with surgery)**.

What was updated?

- In consultation with Trans Care BC, 3 Gender Dysphoria dx codes have been created to replace **50RZAE** Gender Transition P5.
- **All gender affirming (GAS) procedures should use one of these 3 codes.** These 3 codes are used as case identifiers for Trans Care BC, as well as for special care for patient notification.
- The version on all adult and pediatric specialty forms have been updated to: **v2021-P1**.
- Pediatric codes were **not** updated. The updates for **OB/GYNE** surgery Adult codes include only:

BC Diagnosis Code v2021-P1	BC Dx code previous version	Description v2021-P1	Changes from previous code version	BC Priority Level	Wait Time Target (Weeks)
39PZGC	50RZAE	Gender Dysphoria; urgent revisions for urinary complications	New code; Gender Transition, priority updated from P5 to P3	3	6
35ZZGD	50RZAE	Gender Dysphoria; minor revisions and/or staging procedures	New code; Gender Transition, priority updated from P5 to P4	4	12
35ZZGE	50RZAE	Gender Dysphoria; primary and/or non-urgent revisions	New code; Gender Transition	5	26

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support.

If you have any question, or feedback on the diagnosis codes, please do not hesitate to contact the SPR Office anytime, at sproffice@phsa.ca

Kind Regards,

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Obstetrics and Gynecology - Adult (17 years and above on the date of decision)

Diagnosis Group	BC Diagnosis Code	Diagnosis Description	BC Priority Level	Wait Time Target In Weeks
Adnexal Mass	50RDCE	Adnexal Mass - Clinically Malignant	1	2
	50RDCC	Adnexal Mass - Suspected Malignancy	2	4
	50RDCE	Adnexal Mass - Malignancy Unlikely	4	12
Cancer Oophorectomy	50RBAB	Cancer breast oophorectomy adjuvant therapy	4	12
	50RBCD	Cancer breast therapeutic oophorectomy	3	6
Cancer Ovary	50RBCC	Cancer ovary borderline	3	6
	50RDCA	Cancer ovary, fallopian tube or peritoneum	1	2
Cervical Disease	50RNAB	Cervical lesion requiring diagnostic excision/biopsy	2	4
	50RNCA	Invasive cancer of the cervix	1	2
	50RNCB	Cancer of the cervix after XRT	4	12
	50RNCD	Cancer cervix CIS (not completely excised) or microinvasive	3	6
	50RNCF	Cancer cervix in situ (completely excised on cone/LEEP)	4	12
Cervical Incompetence	50RNAA	Cervical incompetence	1	2
Endometrial Disease	50RMCA	Cancer endometrium G3	1	2
	50RMCB	Cancer endometrium G1,2	2	4
	50RMDB	Endometrial hyperplasia (complex with atypia)	2	4
	50RMDE	Endometrial hyperplasia (failed medical management)	4	12
	50RMFE	Incidental/asymptomatic endometrial abnormalities	4	12
	50RMJB	Retained IUD - not pregnant	4	12
	50RMMA	Abnormal uterine bleeding high risk of malignancy	1	2
	50RMMB	Abnormal uterine bleeding low risk of malignancy	4	12
Endometriosis	50RMEC	Endometriosis, severe, laparoscopically verified, debilitating, requiring narcotics	3	6
	50RMED	Endometriosis/Endometrioma	4	12
Fibroid	50RMFB	Fibroids rapidly enlarging post-menopausal	2	4
	50RMFD	Fibroid	4	12
Gender Dysphoria	39PZGC	Gender Dysphoria; urgent revisions for urinary complications	3	6
	35ZZGD	Gender Dysphoria; minor revisions and/or staging procedures	4	12
	35ZZGE	Gender Dysphoria; primary and/or non-urgent revisions	5	26
Infertility	50RZAA	Infertility > 35 years old (at time of booking)	4	12
	50RZAB	Infertility < 35 years old (at time of booking)	5	26
Menorrhagia	50RMHC	Menorrhagia with severe anemia Hb < 99	3	6
	50RMHD	Menorrhagia - severe impact on lifestyle	4	12
	50RMHE	Menorrhagia - moderate impact on lifestyle	5	26
Other diagnosis	50NPAA	Temporary stoma - reversal of colostomy/ileostomy	4	12
	50OTAA	Abdominal foreign body for removal (e.g. IUD)	5	26
	50RBAA	BRCA 1&2 carrier	4	12
	50RBCB	Cancer recurrence exenteration	2	4
	50RFBD	Requested birth control (e.g. tubal ligation)	5	26
	50RZBD	Mesh erosion	4	12
Pelvic Floor Disorders	50NTAA	Fecal incontinence	3	6
Pelvic Organ Prolapse	50RZBA	Pelvic prolapse - severe - complicated - urinary retention, irreducible	1	2
	50RZBB	Pelvic prolapse - moderate - interference with lifestyle	4	12
	50RZBC	Pelvic prolapse - mild - interference with lifestyle	5	26

Diagnosis Group	BC Diagnosis Code	Diagnosis Description	BC Priority Level	Wait Time Target In Weeks
Pelvic Pain	50RZDE	Chronic pelvic/vulvar/vaginal pain	5	26
	50RZDF	Pelvic pain (requiring regular use of narcotics and/or frequent visits to ER and/or frequent hospital admissions)	3	6
Pregnancy Related	50RMJA	Undesired/abnormal pregnancy	1	2
	50RMLA	Missed abortion for evacuation	1	2
	50RMLB	Booked caesarean section	NA	52
Urinary incontinence	50PMBF	Urinary incontinence - severe	3	6
	50PMBG	Urinary incontinence - moderate	4	12
	50PMBH	Urinary incontinence - mild	5	26
Vulvar Disease			4	12
	50RWBD	Extensive chondyloma vulva, vagina (marked interference with lifestyle)		
	50RWBE	Vulva lesion - benign	5	26
	50RWBF	Vulvar hypertrophy	5	26
	50RWCA	Cancer vulva	1	2
	50RWCB	Cancer vulva, wide local excision only	2	4
	50RWCE	Bartholin cyst - symptomatic	4	12
50RWCF	Carcinoma in situ vulva/vagina	3	6	
Other * (provide unique diagnosis in free text description)	50ZZZA	Obst/Gynecology other P1	1	2
	50ZZZB	Obst/Gynecology other P2	2	4
	50ZZZC	Obst/Gynecology other P3	3	6
	50ZZZD	Obst/Gynecology other P4	4	12
	50ZZZE	Obst/Gynecology other P5	5	26

*Other category requires a free text description of the unique condition or diagnosis, including the procedure code used on the OR booking form. These free text descriptions will be reviewed and used to identify the need for creation of new codes.



BC Patient Condition and Diagnosis Descriptions

Gynecology - Pediatric (Under 17 years on the date of decision)

Diagnosis Description	BC Diagnosis Code	PCAT Code	Patient Condition & Diagnosis Description	Priority Level	Wait Time Target in Days	Wait Time Target in Weeks **
Adolescent Pregnancies	52RMAD	4288	Incomplete Abortion - Hemodynamically Stable	IIa	7	1
	52RMAB	3289	Missed Abortion - Hemodynamically Stable	IIa	7	1
	52RMAC	3290	Molar Pregnancy	IIa	7	1
Genital Trauma	52RSAA	3293	Foreign Body (Vaginal)	IIa	7	1
Gynaecological Congenital Anomalies	52RZFA	4333	Cloacal Anomalies	V	180	26
	52RZAA	3294	Disorders of Sexual Development	VI	365	52
	52RSBA	3295	Hymenal Anomalies, Non-Obstructive Anomalies, Longitudinal Vaginal Septums - asymptomatic	V	180	26
	52RZBA	3296	Mullerian Anomalies	V	180	26
	52RSBB	3297	Obstructive Anomalies - symptomatic	IIa	7	1
Ovaries	52RBBC	4300	Disorders of Sexual Development - Virilizing	IIb	21	3
	52RBBA	3299	Disorders of Sexual Development - Non-Virilizing	V	180	26
	52RBDA	3302	Ovarian Cyst (Newborns) - symptomatic	IIa	7	1
	52RBDB	3301	Ovarian Cyst (Newborns) - asymptomatic	III	42	6
	52RBDD	3304	Ovarian Cyst (Non-Newborn) - symptomatic	IIb	21	3
	52RBDC	3303	Ovarian Cyst (Non-Newborn) - asymptomatic	IV	90	13
	52RBEB	4335	Ovarian Torsion - asynchronous, bilateral, recurrent	III	42	6
	52RBEC	4334	Ovarian Transposition	IIa	7	1
Pelvic Pain	52RZDA	3309	Pelvic Pain - acute (Non-Torsion)	IIa	7	1
	52RZDB	3310	Pelvic Pain - chronic	V	180	26
Solid Tumours	52RZCC	3308	Suspected Malignant	IIa	7	1
	52RZCB	3307	Suspected Benign - symptomatic	IIb	21	3
	52RZCA	3306	Suspected Benign - asymptomatic	IV	90	13
Uterus, Vulva, Cervix, Vagina	52RMFG	4336	Congenital Uterine Anomaly (Hysteroscopy)	V	180	26
	52RMDF	4337	Endometrial Polyps (hysteroscopy)	V	180	26
	52RWAA	3311	Genital Warts	V	180	26
	52RMDG	4338	Hysteroscopy for Diagnosis or Surveillance	V	180	26
	52RWFA	3316	Labial Agglutination	IV	90	13
	52RWBA	3317	Labial Revision	VI	365	52
	52RWCE	4318	Marsupialization Bartholin's Abscess	IIa	7	1
	52RZEC	3315	EUA - symptomatic	IIa	7	1
	52RZEA	3314	EUA - asymptomatic	V	180	26
	52RZEB	3313	EUA or Vaginoscopy for Infection	IIb	21	3
	52RSBC	4377	Vaginal Stenosis Requiring Vaginal Dilatation	V	180	26
	52RWEA	3319	Vulvar Cysts	V	180	26
	Miscellaneous	52RMDA	3298	Insertion/Removal IUD	IV	90
Other * *Other category requires a free text description of the unique condition or diagnosis, including the procedure code used on the OR booking form. These free text descriptions will be reviewed and used to identify the need for creation of new codes.	52RZZB	A023	Ped Gynaecology Other - IIa	IIa	7	1
	52RZZC	A024	Ped Gynaecology Other - IIb	IIb	21	3
	52RZZD	A025	Ped Gynaecology Other - III	III	42	6
	52RZZE	A026	Ped Gynaecology Other - IV	IV	90	13
	52RZZF	A027	Ped Gynaecology Other - V	V	180	26
	52RZZG	A028	Ped Gynaecology Other - VI	VI	365	52
	52RZZI	C023	Ped Gynaecology Other CANCER - IIa	IIa	7	1
	52RZZK	C025	Ped Gynaecology Other CANCER - III	III	42	6
	52RZZL	C024	Ped Gynaecology Other CANCER - IIb	IIb	21	3
	52RZZM	C026	Ped Gynaecology Other CANCER - IV	IV	90	13
	52RZZN	C027	Ped Gynaecology Other CANCER - V	V	180	26
	52RZZO	C028	Ped Gynaecology Other CANCER - VI	VI	365	52

** Wait time Target in Weeks has been rounded to the nearest integer