

Table 1. Data quality indices - Proportion of histologically verified and death certificate only cases, number and proportion of included and excluded cases by site: Tianjin, China, 1991–1999 cases followed-up until 2000

Site	ICD-10	Total registered	%		Excluded cases					Included cases	
			HV	DCO	DCO	Follow-up	Others	Total	%	No.	%
Lip	C00	53	86.8	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	53	100.0
Tongue	C01-02	187	78.1	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	187	100.0
Oral cavity	C03-06	256	78.1	0.4	1	2	0	3	1.2	253	98.8
Salivary gland	C07-08	141	84.4	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	141	100.0
Tonsil	C09	25	84.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	25	100.0
Nasopharynx	C11	421	69.8	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	421	100.0
Hypopharynx	C12-13	47	72.3	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	47	100.0
Oesophagus	C15	3 214	47.2	0.0	0	6	0	6	0.2	3 208	99.8
Stomach	C16	7 534	54.1	0.0	2	16	0	18	0.2	7 516	99.8
Small intestine	C17	181	70.7	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	181	100.0
Colon	C18	2 664	66.4	0.0	0	6	3	9	0.3	2 655	99.7
Rectum	C19-20	2 508	70.5	0.0	1	6	0	7	0.3	2 501	99.7
Anus	C21	46	82.6	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	46	100.0
Liver	C22	6 547	20.8	0.0	1	20	1	22	0.3	6 525	99.7
Gall bladder	C23-24	1 046	47.0	0.0	0	2	2	4	0.4	1 042	99.6
Pancreas	C25	1 994	31.7	0.0	0	4	0	4	0.2	1 990	99.8
Nose/Sinuses	C30-31	170	77.6	0.0	0	0	3	3	1.8	167	98.2
Larynx	C32	1 040	73.2	0.1	1	0	0	1	0.1	1 039	99.9
Lung	C33-34	21 456	38.8	0.0	1	52	0	53	0.2	21 403	99.8
Other thoracic organs	C37-38	245	47.3	0.0	0	1	0	1	0.4	244	99.6
Bone	C40-41	690	46.5	0.0	0	1	3	4	0.6	686	99.4
Melanoma of skin	C43	119	86.6	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	119	100.0
Other skin	C44	351	87.2	0.0	0	0	1	1	0.3	350	99.7
Mesothelioma	C45	84	76.2	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	84	100.0
Connective tissue	C47+C49	426	89.2	0.0	0	0	1	1	0.2	425	99.8
Breast	C50	5 876	86.1	0.0	2	3	8	13	0.2	5 863	99.8
Vulva	C51	58	91.4	0.0	0	1	0	1	1.7	57	98.3
Cervix	C53	568	74.8	0.0	0	1	0	1	0.2	567	99.8
Corpus uteri	C54	722	94.6	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	722	100.0
Uterus unspecified	C55	287	50.2	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	287	100.0
Ovary	C56	1 127	77.0	0.0	0	2	1	3	0.3	1 124	99.7
Other female genital org.	C57	52	73.1	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	52	100.0
Placenta	C58	62	77.4	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	62	100.0
Penis	C60	65	83.1	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	65	100.0
Prostate	C61	423	59.6	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	423	100.0
Testis	C62	73	84.9	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	73	100.0
Kidney	C64	1 096	57.8	0.0	0	2	0	2	0.2	1 094	99.8
Renal pelvis	C65	146	76.7	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	146	100.0
Ureter	C66	63	87.3	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	63	100.0
Urinary bladder	C67	2 023	68.1	0.0	0	2	1	3	0.1	2 020	99.9
Eye	C69	36	80.6	0.0	0	1	0	1	2.8	35	97.2
Brain & nervous system	C70-72	2 584	51.9	0.1	3	4	633	640	24.8	1 944	75.2
Thyroid	C73	619	83.5	0.0	0	0	1	1	0.2	618	99.8
Adrenal gland	C74	58	70.7	0.0	0	0	5	5	8.6	53	91.4
Other endocrine	C75	413	73.4	0.2	1	0	291	292	70.7	121	29.3
Hodgkin lymphoma	C81	123	89.4	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	123	100.0
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	C82-85+C96	1 484	77.8	0.0	0	2	1	3	0.2	1 481	99.8

Table 1 (Continued).

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Multiple myeloma	C90	217	72.8	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	217	100.0
Lymphoid leukaemia	C91	309	93.9	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	309	100.0
Myeloid leukaemia	C92-94	568	95.2	0.0	0	1	0	1	0.2	567	99.8
Leukaemia unspecified	C95	614	69.5	0.0	0	3	0	3	0.5	611	99.5

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