APPENDIX NEUROENDOCRINE TUMORS (NOT CARCINOMAS)

Procedure

- ___ Appendectomy
- ____ Appendectomy and right colectomy
- ___ Other (specify):

Specimen Integrity

- ___ Intact
- ____ Fragmented

Tumor Site

- ____ Proximal half of appendix
- ____ Distal half of appendix
- ____ Diffusely involving appendix
- ____ Appendix, not otherwise specified

Tumor Size (Greatest dimension): ____ cm

Histologic Type and Grade

- ____ Well-differentiated neuroendocrine tumor; G1: Low grade
- ____ Well-differentiated neuroendocrine tumor; G2: Intermediate grade
- ____ Well-differentiated neuroendocrine tumor; G3: High grade

Proliferative rate

Mitotic count: ____/10 high-power fields (HPF) Ki-67 index: ____% of 2000 cells in area of highest labeling

Grade	Mitotic Rate (per 10 HPF)	Ki-67 Index (%)
G1	<2	≤2
G2	2 to 20	3 to 20
G3	>20	>20

Microscopic Tumor Extension: (select all that apply)

- ____ Invades lamina propria
- ____ Invades submucosa
- ____ Invades muscularis propria
- ____ Invades subserosal tissue without involvement of visceral peritoneum
- ____ Extends into mesoappendix
- ____ Penetrates through visceral peritoneum
- ____ Directly invades adjacent structures (specify):
- ____ Penetrates through visceral peritoneum and directly invades adjacent structures (specify):

Resection margins:

- Negative
- Involved by neuroendocrine tumor. Specify margin(s):

Lymph-vascular invasion

Not identified Present

Lymph nodes:

No regional lymph node metastasis Regional lymph node metastasis. Number of positive lymph nodes / total examined: No lymph nodes submitted or found

Distant metastases? Yes. Specify site(s): Unknown

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T Stage

T1a Tumor 1 cm or less in greatest dimension

T1b Tumor more than 1 cm but not more than 2 cm in greatest dimension

- T2 Tumor more than 2 cm but not more than 4 cm or with invasion of cecum
- T3 Tumor more than 4 cm or invasion of ileum
- **T4** Tumor more than 4 cm or invades other organs or structures, such as abdominal wall or skeletal muscle.

N Stage

NO No regional lymph node metastasis N1 Regional lymph node metastasis

M Stage

M1 Distant metastasis If not M1, then do not include an M stage.

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