

## **Announcement of changes to the recording of Colorectal Surgery procedures in the eLogbook**

Dear eLogbook users

Following on from the wide ranging changes to the Breast Surgery element of the eLogbook earlier this year, a similar process has been completed in regard to Colorectal Surgery by consulting with the Duke's club and senior colorectal trainees/surgeons. In contrast to the Breast Surgery section, this process has actually increased the number of options to create a more comprehensive list of procedures that represent modern practice.

The table below lists the procedures that have historically been listed on the left with the new list of descriptors on the right. The colour codes relate to the SAC report groups that are required for CCT (Anterior resection, Segmental colectomy, Fistula and Haemorrhoid procedures). Operations which have been logged under the historic terms will not be lost. Some will automatically change to the new description and you may choose to change others to the new descriptions if appropriate.

The changes will be implemented between Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> and Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November.

Some changes have already been made to the General Surgery side of the eLogbook to include options in Abdominal Wall Reconstruction, Trauma laparotomy and Robotic simulation. You may also have noticed some subtle changes to the Upper GI descriptors over the last few months.

I do get requests for additional procedures to be added on a regular basis. These are welcome and I try to be reactive to these, so new procedures will be added over time. I am currently working with the executive from the Herrick Society to rewrite the list of options in Transplant surgery which will hopefully be ready to launch soon.

My thanks go out to those who have contributed to this discussion and helped me understand the complexities of modern Colorectal surgery to create the new list of operations, in particular Charlotte El-Sayed and Sophie Allen.

It is worth mentioning here that the eLogbook has been updated a lot in recent years. The App available on the Apple Store, Google Play, etc is not affiliated directly to the eLogbook and does not have the full functionality of the eLogbook (such as selecting if an operation is performed robotically). I understand that this App will cease to function soon. However, the website is designed to be used on a smartphone and can be saved to the Home Screen, effectively making it into an App. Users do need to be online for it to function - essentially, working offline is the only functionality that the App can offer that the authentic website cannot. The new operation descriptors listed here may not appear in the App as it is operated by a third party.

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<b>Existing</b>	<b>New descriptor</b>
Abscess – acute anorectal	Abscess – Acute anorectal drainage
Anal – lateral sphincterotomy	Anal fissure – Lateral sphincterotomy
	Anal fissure – EUA +/- injection of Botox/fissurectomy
	Anal fissure – Mucosal advancement flap
Anal – skin tags, polyps, warts – excision	Anal – Skin tags, polyps, warts – excision
	Anal – EUA
	Anal – EUA and dilatation
Anal tumour – wide excision	Anal – Tumour – wide excision
Antegrade enema procedure	Antegrade continence enema (ACE)
Colectomy – left	Colectomy – Left
Colectomy – panproctocolectomy & end ileostomy	Colectomy – Panproctocolectomy & end ileostomy
Colectomy - right	Colectomy - Right
	Colectomy – Extended right
Colectomy – sigmoid	Colectomy – Sigmoid
Colectomy – subtotal	Colectomy – Subtotal
Colectomy – total & ileorectal anastomosis	Colectomy – Total & ileorectal anastomosis
Colectomy – total & ileostomy	Colectomy – Total & ileostomy
Colectomy – transverse	Colectomy – Transverse
Colostomy – closure of	Colostomy – Closure of
Colostomy – formation	Colostomy – Formation of (Inc defunctioning)
Colostomy – revision or resiting	Colostomy – Revision or resiting
Colostomy – excision of polyp	Colostomy – Excision of polyp
Hernia – parastomal	Hernia – Parastomal – With/without mesh
Cytoreductive surgery +/- hyperthermic intraperitoneal chemotherapy	Cytoreductive surgery +/- hyperthermic intraperitoneal chemotherapy
Fistula – in ano – advancement flap	XX Remove XX
Fistula – in ano – lay open	Fistula-in-ano – Lay open
Fistula –in ano (complex)	Fistula-in-ano - Complex
	Fistula-in-ano – Insertion of seton/change of seton
	Fistula-in-ano - Video-assisted anal fistulae treatment (VAAFT)
Fistula-in-ano - Ligation of the intersphincteric fistula tract (LIFT)	Fistula-in-ano – Ligation of the intersphincteric fistula tract (LIFT)
	Fistula-in-ano – LASER treatment
Fistula – recto-vaginal	Fistula – Recto-vaginal
Haemorrhoidal artery ligation	Haemorrhoids – Haemorrhoidal artery ligation
Haemorrhoidectomy - closed	Haemorrhoids – Haemorrhoidectomy - Closed
Haemorrhoidectomy - open	Haemorrhoids – Haemorrhoidectomy - Open
Haemorrhoidectomy – stapled	Haemorrhoids – Haemorrhoidectomy – Stapled
Haemorrhoids – conservative treatment	Haemorrhoids – Conservative treatment/banding
Hartmann's resection – perf/obstr	Hartmann's procedure
Hartmann's – reversal	Hartmann's – reversal
Ileoanal pouch - proctectomy	Proctectomy & ileoanal pouch
Ileoanal pouch – proctocolectomy	Proctocolectomy & ileoanal pouch
Ileocolic resection	Ileocolic resection
	Redo ileocolic resection
Ileostomy – closure of	Ileostomy – Closure of
Ileostomy – defunctioning	Ileostomy – Defunctioning
Ileostomy – revision	Ileostomy – Revision or resiting
	Ileorectal anastomosis
Ileo-transverse bypass	Ileo-colic bypass
Total pelvic exenteration	Pelvic exenteration – Total
	Pelvic exenteration – Anterior
	Pelvic exenteration – Posterior
	Pelvic exenteration – With sacrectomy/bone resection
Pelvic floor – incontinence surgery	XX Remove XX
Pelvic floor – sphincter repair	Pelvic floor – Sphincter repair
Pelvic floor – stimulator/valves	Pelvic floor – Stimulator/valves (Inc SNS)
Perineal packing – removal	XX Remove XX
Pilonidal sinus – excision and suture	Pilonidal sinus – Excision and suture
Pilonidal sinus – lay open	Pilonidal sinus – Lay open
	Pilonidal sinus – Bascom/Karydakis
	Pilonidal sinus – Rotational flap

	Pilonidal sinus – Endoscopic Pilonidal Sinus Treatment (EPSiT)
	Pilonidal Sinus – LASER treatment
Posterior pelvic clearance	XX Remove XX
Prolapse – abdominal rectopexy	Rectal prolapse – Abdominal rectopexy
Prolapse – perineal repair (incl Delorme's)	Rectal prolapse – Perineal repair (Delorme)
Prolapse – rectal resection (Altemeier)	Rectal prolapse – Perineal repair (Altemeier)
	Rectal prolapse – Abdominal resection rectopexy
	Rectocele – Transanal repair
	Rectocele – Vaginal repair
Rectum – Abdomino perineal excision	Rectum – Abdominoperineal excision
	Rectum - High Anterior Resection
	Rectum – Low Anterior Resection
Rectum – anterior resection, coloanal anastomosis +/- pouch	Rectum – Anterior Resection, coloanal anastomosis +/- pouch
	Rectum – Lateral pelvic side wall clearance and excision
Rectum – EUA (including rigid sigmoidoscopy)	Rectum – EUA
Rectum – posterior approach	XX Remove XX
Rectum – proctectomy – anterior approach	Rectum - Proctectomy
Rectum - transanal excision polyp / tumour	Rectum - Transanal excision polyp / tumour
Rectum- transanal microsurgery (TEM)	Rectum- Transanal Endoscopic Microsurgery (TEMS)
	Rectum – Transanal Minimally Invasive Surgery (TAMIS)
Rectum – trauma/removal of foreign body	Rectum – Trauma
	Rectum – Removal of foreign body
Re-operation – inflammatory bowel disease	Re-operation – inflammatory bowel disease
Re-operation – pelvic malignancy	Re-operation – pelvic malignancy
Stricturoplasty	Stricturoplasty
Other – Coloproctology	Other – Coloproctology
	Trauma laparotomy (now in General surgery section)
	Robotic simulation (now in General surgery section)
	AWR options (now in General surgery section)