

Table 5: Distribution of major errors according to ICD-10 classification. Type I: Mechanism of death without an underlying cause; Type II: Non-acceptable cause of death; Type III: Improper sequence in immediate, intermediate and underlying causes of death; Type IV: Multiple and independent causes of death. Classification groups and major errors were not statistically significantly associated.

ICD-10	Total	Type I	Type II	Type III	Type IV
Certain infection and parasitic diseases (A00-B99)	11 (0.4 %)	0	45 %	46 %	9 %
Various Neoplasms (C00-D48)	565 (21.2 %)	1 %	24 %	51 %	24 %
Diseases of the blood etc. (D50-D89)	104 (3.3 %)	1 %	22 %	38 %	39 %
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases (E00-E90)	150 (5.1 %)	1 %	15 %	44 %	39 %
Mental and behavioral disorders (F00-F99)	139 (3.6 %)	2 %	52 %	33 %	13 %
Diseases of the nervous system (G00-G99)	92 (2.6 %)	0	29 %	42 %	28 %
Diseases of the circulatory system (I00-I99)	1,414 (37.1 %)	4 %	60 %	24 %	13 %
Diseases of the respiratory system (J00-J99)	394 (8.6 %)	2 %	69 %	13 %	16 %
Diseases of the digestive system (K00-K93)	143 (3.7 %)	1 %	44 %	30 %	25 %
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue (M00-M99)	11 (0.3 %)	0	82 %	9 %	9 %
Diseases of the genitourinary system (N00-N99)	201 (4.9 %)	2 %	34 %	30 %	33 %
Congenital, malformations, etc (Q00-Q99)	1				1
Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified (R00-R99)	540 (9.3 %)	49 %	50 %		15