

Allergy and Immunology ICD-10 documentation

Seven key impacts to ICD-10 documentation

1. Disease or disorder site
2. Acuity and/or encounter status of treatment
3. Etiology, causative agent, or disease type and injury/
poisoning cause, intent, activity at the time of the event
and place event occurred
4. Underlying and associated conditions
5. Manifestations
6. Complications or adverse events
7. Supporting info such as lab values or socioeconomic key
impacts to ICD-10 documentation

Most commonly used diagnoses

ICD-9 Name	ICD-9 Code	ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Name	Documentation tips
Acute maxillary sinusitis	461.0	J01.00	Acute maxillary sinusitis, unspecified	Sinusitis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify whether acute, chronic, or recurrent • Document specific site(s) of sinus infection (e.g., frontal, maxillary, etc) • Identify and document infectious agent or other cause (example: streptococcal) • Include any exposure to tobacco smoke
		J01.01	Acute recurrent maxillary sinusitis	
Acute sinusitis, unspecified	461.9	J01.90	Acute sinusitis, unspecified	
		J01.91	Acute recurrent sinusitis, unspecified	
Other acute sinusitis	461.8	J01.40	Acute pansinusitis, unspecified	
		J01.41	Acute recurrent pansinusitis	
		J01.80	Other acute sinusitis	
		J01.81	Other acute recurrent sinusitis	
Chronic maxillary sinusitis	473.0	J32.0	Chronic maxillary sinusitis	
Unspecified sinusitis (chronic)	473.9	J32.9	Chronic sinusitis, unspecified	
Other chronic sinusitis	473.8	J32.4	Chronic pansinusitis	
		J32.8	Other chronic sinusitis	
Allergic urticaria	708.0	L50.0	Allergic urticaria	Urticaria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify type of allergen that caused urticaria
Cholinergic urticaria	708.5	L50.5	Cholinergic urticaria	
Idiopathic urticaria	708.1	L50.1	Idiopathic urticaria	
Urticaria due to cold and heat	708.2	L50.2	Urticaria due to cold and heat	
Other specified urticaria	708.8	L50.6	Contact urticaria	
		L50.8	Other urticaria	
Unspecified urticaria	708.9	L50.9	Urticaria, unspecified	



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Allergy to eggs	V15.03	Z91.012	Allergy to eggs	Personal History of Allergies Refer to 7 Key Impacts of ICD-10 documentation
Allergy to insects and arachnids	V15.06	Z91.030	Bee allergy status	
Allergy to insects and arachnids		Z91.038	Other insect allergy status	
Allergy to latex	V15.07	Z91.040	Latex allergy status	
Allergy to milk products	V15.02	Z91.011	Allergy to milk products	
Allergy to other foods	V15.05	Z91.018	Allergy to other foods	
Allergy to other foods		Z91.02	Food additives allergy status	
Allergy to peanuts	V15.01	Z91.010	Allergy to peanuts	
Allergy to radiographic dye	V15.08	Z91.041	Radiographic dye allergy status	
Allergy to seafood	V15.04	Z91.013	Allergy to seafood	
Other allergy, other than to medicinal agents	V15.09	Z91.048	Other nonmedicinal substance allergy status	
		Z91.09	Other allergy status, other than to drugs and biological substances	
Amyloidosis, unspecified	277.30	E85.9	Amyloidosis, unspecified	
Other amyloidosis	277.39	E85.1	Neuropathic heredofamilial amyloidosis	
		E85.2	Heredofamilial amyloidosis, unspecified	
		E85.3	Secondary systemic amyloidosis	
		E85.4	Organ-limited amyloidosis	
	E85.8	Other amyloidosis		
Angioneurotic edema, not elsewhere classified	995.1	T78.3xxA	Angioneurotic edema, initial encounter	Angioneurotic edema <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specify whether due to an allergen, hereditary, drug-induced, or acquired (e.g., specific food allergy, name of medication that caused edema)
		T78.3xxD	Angioneurotic edema, subsequent encounter	
		T78.3xxS	Angioneurotic edema, sequela	
Combined immunity deficiency	279.2	D81.0	Severe combined immunodeficiency [SCID] with reticular dysgenesis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specify any associated conditions or manifestations (e.g., chondrodystrophy)
		D81.1	Severe combined immunodeficiency [SCID] with low T- and B-cell numbers	
		D81.2	Severe combined immunodeficiency [SCID] with low or normal B-cell numbers	
		D81.6	Major histocompatibility complex class I deficiency	
		D81.7	Major histocompatibility complex class II deficiency	
		D81.89	Other combined immunodeficiencies	
		D81.9	Combined immunodeficiency, unspecified	

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Unspecified immunity deficiency	279.3	D84.8	Other specified immunodeficiencies	
		D84.9	Immunodeficiency, unspecified	
Other specified disorders involving the immune mechanism	279.8	D82.2	Immunodeficiency with short-limbed stature	
		D82.3	Immunodeficiency following hereditary defective response to Epstein-Barr virus	
		D82.4	Hyperimmunoglobulin E [IgE] syndrome	
		D82.8	Immunodeficiency associated with other specified major defects	
		D82.9	Immunodeficiency associated with major defect, unspecified	
		D84.0	Lymphocyte function antigen-1 [LFA-1] defect	
		D84.1	Defects in the complement system	
		D89.3	Immune reconstitution syndrome	
		D89.89	Other specified disorders involving the immune mechanism, not elsewhere classified	
M35.9	Systemic involvement of connective tissue, unspecified			
Unspecified disorder of immune mechanism	279.9	D89.9	Disorder involving the immune mechanism, unspecified	
Common variable immunodeficiency	279.06	D83.0	Common variable immunodeficiency with predominant abnormalities of B-cell numbers and function	
		D83.2	Common variable immunodeficiency with autoantibodies to B- or T-cells	
		D83.8	Other common variable immunodeficiencies	
		D83.9	Common variable immunodeficiency, unspecified	
Congenital hypogammaglobulinemia	279.04	D80.0	Hereditary hypogammaglobulinemia	
Immunodeficiency with increased IgM	279.05	D80.5	Immunodeficiency with increased immunoglobulin M [IgM]	
Selective IgA immunodeficiency	279.01	D80.2	Selective deficiency of immunoglobulin A [IgA]	
Selective IgM immunodeficiency	279.02	D80.4	Selective deficiency of immunoglobulin M [IgM]	
Other selective immunoglobulin deficiencies	279.03	D80.3	Selective deficiency of immunoglobulin G [IgG] subclasses	
Immunodeficiency with predominant T-cell defect, unspecified	279.10	D83.1	Common variable immunodeficiency with predominant immunoregulatory T-cell disorders	
DiGeorge's syndrome	279.11	D82.1	Di George's syndrome	

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Other deficiency of cell-mediated immunity	279.19	D80.6	Antibody deficiency with near-normal immunoglobulins or with hyperimmunoglobulinemia	
		D80.8	Other immunodeficiencies with predominantly antibody defects	
		D80.9	Immunodeficiency with predominantly antibody defects, unspecified	
Nezelof's syndrome	279.13	D81.4	Nezelof's syndrome	
Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome	279.12	D82.0	Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome	
Cough	786.2	R05	Cough	Cough <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sign/symptom code only; acceptable for reporting purposes when a related definitive diagnosis has not been established (confirmed) • Specify if more specific diagnosis is present and the cough is related to this
Cystic fibrosis with pulmonary manifestations	277.02	E84.0	Cystic fibrosis with pulmonary manifestations	Cystic Fibrosis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify any infectious organism present (e.g., Pseudomonas) • Clarify any cause and effect relationship between cystic fibrosis and other conditions (e.g., pneumonia, bronchiectasis, sinusitis, nutritional deficiencies, GI, pancreatitis)
Cystic fibrosis without mention of meconium ileus	277.00	E84.9	Cystic fibrosis, unspecified	
Dermatitis due to food taken internally	693.1	L27.2	Dermatitis due to ingested food	Dermatitis (food) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify type of food that caused adverse reaction
Eosinophilia	288.3	D72.1	Eosinophilia	Eosinophilia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify cause of eosinophilia (e.g., neoplasm related, infectious related)
Extrinsic asthma with status asthmaticus	493.01	J45.20	Mild intermittent asthma, uncomplicated	Asthma <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify the severity as mild, moderate, or severe • Specify if intermittent or persistent • Specify the level of exacerbation as being uncomplicated, acute or status asthmaticus • Include key terms such as allergic, allergic rhinitis with asthma, atopic asthma or exercise induced bronchospasm • Detail external forces to establish a cause and effect relationship (e.g., asthma due to dust) • Include any exposure to tobacco smoke
		J45.21	Mild intermittent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.22	Mild intermittent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.30	Mild persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.31	Mild persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.32	Mild persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.40	Moderate persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.41	Moderate persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.42	Moderate persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
J45.50	Severe persistent asthma, uncomplicated			

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		J45.51	Severe persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.52	Severe persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
Extrinsic asthma, unspecified	493.00	J45.20	Mild intermittent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.21	Mild intermittent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.22	Mild intermittent asthma with status asthmaticus	
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Intrinsic asthma with status asthmaticus	493.11	J45.20	Mild intermittent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.21	Mild intermittent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.22	Mild intermittent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.30	Mild persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.31	Mild persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.32	Mild persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.40	Moderate persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.41	Moderate persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.42	Moderate persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.50	Severe persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.51	Severe persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.52	Severe persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
Intrinsic asthma, unspecified	493.10	J45.20	Mild intermittent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.21	Mild intermittent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.22	Mild intermittent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.30	Mild persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.31	Mild persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.32	Mild persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
		J45.40	Moderate persistent asthma, uncomplicated	
		J45.41	Moderate persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation	
		J45.42	Moderate persistent asthma with status asthmaticus	
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Familial Mediterranean fever	277.31	E85.0	Non-neuropathic hereditary familial amyloidosis	Refer to 7 key impacts to ICD-10 documentation
Functional disorders of polymorphonuclear neutrophils	288.1	D71	Functional disorders of polymorphonuclear neutrophils	
Genetic anomalies of leukocytes	288.2	D72.0	Genetic anomalies of leukocytes	
Headache	784.0	G44.1	Vascular headache, not elsewhere classified	Headache <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the type, such as: cluster, tension, or paroxysmal hemicranias (specify when episodic or chronic) Post-traumatic (acute or chronic, include info regarding any post-concussional syndrome) Drug-induced (provide info regarding associated medication)
		R51	Headache	
Methicillin resistant pneumonia due to Staphylococcus aureus	482.42	J15.212	Pneumonia due to Methicillin resistant Staphylococcus aureus	Pneumonia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specify the type (e.g., bacterial, viral, fungal, aspiration, hypostatic, drug-induced, etc.) Indicate any substances as pirated (e.g., food, amniotic fluid, meconium, blood, etc.) Confirm the causal organism Link any underlying disease causing the pneumonia (e.g., cystic fibrosis) Report if due to external agents (e.g., pneumonia due to chemicals, gases, fumes or vapor) Report any tobacco use or exposure to tobacco smoke
	482.41	J15.211	Pneumonia due to Methicillin susceptible Staphylococcus aureus	

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Other malaise and fatigue	780.79	G93.3	Postviral fatigue syndrome	Refer to 7 key impacts of ICD-10 documentation
		R53.0	Neoplastic (malignant) related fatigue	
		R53.1	Weakness	
		R53.81	Other malaise	
		R53.83	Other fatigue	

The ICD-10 Provider Specialty Tool Kit is meant to assist providers with documentation best practices necessary for the transition from ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM. This tool kit includes the most commonly used diagnoses for a specialty using 2012 claims data for top encounters and top number of dollars per diagnosis. The tool kit can be used as a quick reference guide for providers and can also be shared with Practice Managers. This tool kit is not meant to be a coding cross walk and therefore should not be used as such. Questions regarding this tool kit and/or ICD-10 should be submitted via email to ICD10@choa.org.