

Urgent Care 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
Streptococcal sore throat	034.0	J02.0	Streptococcal pharyngitis	Refer to Upper Respiratory Disorders
		J03.00	Acute streptococcal tonsillitis, unspecified	
		J03.01	Acute recurrent streptococcal tonsillitis	
Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum	382.00	H66.001	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, right ear	Otitis Media <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specify the acuity (acute, subacute, chronic, or recurrent) • Detail the type (e.g. serous, mucoid, allergic, atticofurunculosis, tubotympanic, etc.) • Differentiate non-suppurative and suppurative • Identify laterality (i.e. right, left, or bilateral) • Report any spontaneous rupture of the eardrum or myringitis • State any related tobacco use, abuse, dependence, past history, or smoke exposure (e.g. second hand, occupational, etc.) • List any underlying disease (e.g. viral infection, influenza, scarlet fever)
		H66.002	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, left ear	
		H66.003	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, bilateral	
		H66.004	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, recurrent, right ear	
		H66.005	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, recurrent, left ear	
		H66.006	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, recurrent, bilateral	
		H66.007	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, recurrent, unspecified ear	
		H66.009	Acute suppurative otitis media without spontaneous rupture of ear drum, unspecified ear	



ICD-9 Name	ICD-9 Code	ICD-10 Code	ICD-10 Name	Documentation tips	
Acute sinusitis, unspecified	461.9 461.9	J01.90	Acute sinusitis, unspecified	Upper Respiratory Disorders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specify the acuity (i.e. acute, chronic, or recurrent) Detail site (e.g. pharynx, tonsils, larynx, etc.) Provide the infectious agent when known (e.g. streptococcus, E. coli, influenza-A) List any hypertrophy or obstruction Document underlying or associated conditions (e.g. abscess) Document any exposure to tobacco smoke 	
		J01.91	Acute recurrent sinusitis, unspecified		
Acute pharyngitis	462 462	J02.8	Acute pharyngitis due to other specified organisms		
		J02.9	Acute pharyngitis, unspecified		
Croup	464.4	J05.0	Acute obstructive laryngitis [croup]		
Acute upper respiratory infections of unspecified site	465.9	J06.9	Acute upper respiratory infection, unspecified		
Pneumonia, organism unspecified	486 486	J18.8	Other pneumonia, unspecified organism		
		J18.9	Pneumonia, unspecified organism		
Extrinsic asthma, with (acute) exacerbation	493.02	J45.20	Mild intermittent asthma, uncomplicated		Asthma <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the severity as mild, moderate, or severe List the frequency as intermittent or persistent Provide the level of exacerbation as being uncomplicated, acute or status asthmaticus Include key terms such as allergic, allergic rhinitis with asthma, atopic asthma, exercise induced bronchospasm Detail external forces to establish a cause and effect relationship (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		
		J45.51	Severe persistent asthma with (acute) exacerbation		
J45.52	Severe persistent asthma with status asthmaticus				
Fever, unspecified	780.60	R50.2	Drug induced fever	Fever <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> When the origin is unknown Drug induced (identify drug) Underlying conditions and causes (e.g. neutropenic fever, heat, etc.) Post-procedure or post-vaccination Febrile nonhemolytic transfusion reaction 	
		R50.9	Fever, unspecified		
Wheezing	786.07	R06.2	Wheezing	Refer to Upper Respiratory Disorders	

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.