

2023 Coding and Documentation Tips

HCC supporting documentation requires the:

- Diagnosis
- Status of Condition
- Plan of Action

For conditions that are ongoing, please include appropriate M.E.A.T.:

- Monitoring
- Assessment
- Evaluation
- Treatment

Diabetes (with)	Code
Peripheral Vascular Disease	E11.51
Neuropathy	E11.40
Gastroparesis	E11.43
Retinopathy	E11.35XX
Nephropathy	E11.21
Neuropathic Arthropathy	E11.610
Skin complications	E11.62X
Foot or skin ulcer	E11.62X
Periodontal or oral disease	E11.63X
Hypoglycemia without coma	E11.649
Hyperglycemia	E11.65
Long-term insulin use	Z79.4

Cardiovascular	
CAD w/Angina	I25.11X
Supraventricular Tachycardia	I47.1
Ventricular Tachycardia	I47.2X
Paroxysmal Atrial Fibrillation	I48.0
Chronic Atrial Fibrillation	I48.20
Atypical Atrial Flutter	I48.4
Sick Sinus Syndrome	I49.5
Hypertension w/CHF	I11.0
Hypertension w/CKD (Stage 5 or ESRD)	I12.0
Hypertension w/CHF & CKD (Stage 5 or ESRD)	I13.2
Systolic CHF	I50.2X
Diastolic CHF	I50.3X

Chronic Kidney Disease	
Stage 4 CKD GFR15-29	N18.4
Stage 5 CKD GFR <15	N18.5
ESRD	N18.6
ESRD – Dialysis	Z99.2
Secondary Hyperparathyroidism	N25.81

Vascular	
AAA w/o Rupture	I71.4X
Pressure Ulcer	L89.9X
Varicose veins of lower extremities with ulcer	I83.0XX
Peripheral Vascular Disease	I73.9
Chronic DVT	I82.5XX
Acute DVT	I82.4XX

Dermatology	
Malignant Melanoma	C43.X
Melanoma in Situ	D03.X

Once Per Calendar Year: Document Persisting Chronic Conditions

COAST: Do NOT use the words "HISTORY OF" if patient has active disease currently being treated.

Chronic Dx	CHF: I50.X, COPD: J44.X, DM: E11.X, Residual effects of CVA I69.3XX
Ostomy	Colostomy: Z93.3 / Cystostomy: Z93.5X / Ileostomy: Z93.2 / Gastrostomy: Z93.1
Amputation	Including toes and lower limbs: Z89.XXX (partial amputations included)
Seizures/Epilepsy	Generalized or Focal: G40.XXX
Spinal Disorders	Paraplegia: G82.2X / Quadriplegia: G82.5X
Transplants	Stem cell: Z94.84, liver: Z94.4, heart: Z94.1, lung: Z94.2

Tip: "X" is a placeholder character and is not reflective of a complete code. Please refer to the official 2023 ICD-10-CM code set for proper code selection.

GI	Code
Alcoholic Liver Disease	K70.9
Alcoholic Cirrhosis	K70.3X
End Stage Liver Disease	K72.1X
Chronic Viral Hepatitis	B18.X
Chronic Hepatitis, NEC	K73.X
Crohn's Disease	K50.90
Ulcerative Colitis	K51.90
Chronic Pancreatitis	K86.1

Nutrition	
Protein Malnutrition	E46
Cachexia	R64
Morbid Obesity	E66.01
Obesity w/Hypoventilation	E66.2
BMI>40	Z68.4X

Hematology/Oncology	
Neutropenia	D70.X
Pancytopenia	D61.81X
Polycythemia Vera	D45
Thrombocytopenia	D69.6
Thrombocythemia	D75.839
HIV	B20
Malignant Neoplasms	C01-C96.X
Lymphoma	C81.XX-C88.X
Leukemia	C91.XX-C95.XX

Musculoskeletal	
Inflammatory Polyarthritis	M06.4
Pain in Prosthetic Joint	T84.84XX
Inflammatory Spondylopathies	M46.0X
Sacroiliitis	M46.1

Absence/Opening	
Acquired absence of toe/foot/ankle (amputation status)	Z89.4XX
Tracheostomy Status	Z93.0
Gastrostomy Status	Z93.1
Ileostomy Status	Z93.2
Colostomy Status	Z93.3
Cystostomy Status	Z93.5X

Respiratory	Code
Chronic Bronchitis	J42
Emphysema	J43.X
Smoker's Cough	J41.0
COPD	J44.9
COPD w/exacerbation	J44.1
Chronic Respiratory Failure (<88%)	J96.1X
Pulmonary Fibrosis	J84.10
Oxygen Dependence	Z99.81
Pulmonary Hypertension	I27.2X

Psychiatric	
Schizophrenia	F20.9
Schizoaffective disorder	F25.9
Bipolar disorder	F31.9
Major Depression, Recurrent	F33.9
Persistent Mood Disorder	F34.9
Alcohol Dependence	F10.20

Neurology	
Hemiplegia following CVA	I69.35X
Alzheimer's	G30.X
Epilepsy	G40.9XX
Dementia	F03.9XX
Parkinson's	G20

This document is for educational purposes only and should not be used in lieu of documentation of a diagnosis in the medical record.

Please provide diagnostic statement and supporting documentation of the diagnosis in the medical record upon patient visit.

Category	Description	Hierarchies
HCC1	HIV/AIDS	N/A
HCC2	Septicemia, Sepsis, Systemic Inflammatory Response Syndrome/Shock	N/A
HCC6	Opportunistic Infections	N/A
HCC8	Metastatic Cancer and Acute Leukemia	9,10,11,12
HCC9	Lung and Other Severe Cancers	10,11,12
HCC10	Lymphoma and Other Cancers	11,12
HCC11	Colorectal, Bladder and Other Cancers	12
HCC12	Breast, Prostate and Other Cancers and Tumors	N/A
HCC17	Diabetes with Acute Complications	18,19
HCC18	Diabetes with Chronic Complications	19
HCC19	Diabetes without Complication	N/A
HCC21	Protein-Calorie Malnutrition	N/A
HCC22	Morbid Obesity	N/A
HCC23	Other Significant Endocrine and Metabolic Disorders	N/A
HCC27	End-Stage Liver Disease	28,29,80
HCC28	Cirrhosis of Liver	29
HCC29	Chronic Hepatitis	N/A
HCC33	Intestinal Obstruction/Perforation	N/A
HCC34	Chronic Pancreatitis	N/A
HCC35	Inflammatory Bowel Disease	N/A
HCC39	Bone/Joint/Muscle Infections/Necrosis	N/A
HCC40	Rheumatoid Arthritis and Inflammatory Connective Tissue Disease	N/A
HCC46	Severe Hematological Disorders	48
HCC47	Disorders of Immunity	N/A
HCC48	Coagulation Defects and Other Specified Hematological Disorders	N/A
HCC51	Dementia With Complications	52
HCC52	Dementia Without Complication	N/A
HCC54	Substance Use with Psychotic Complications	55,56
HCC55	Substance Use Disorder, Moderate/Severe, or Substance Use with Complications	56
HCC56	Substance Use Disorder, Mild, Except Alcohol and Cannabis	N/A
HCC57	Schizophrenia	58,59,60
HCC58	Reactive and Unspecified Psychosis	59,60
HCC59	Major Depressive, Bipolar and Paranoid Disorders	60
HCC60	Personality Disorders	N/A
HCC70	Quadriplegia	71,72,103,104,169
HCC71	Paraplegia	72,104,169
HCC72	Spinal Cord Disorders/Injuries	169
HCC73	Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis and Other Motor Neuron Disease	N/A
HCC74	Cerebral Palsy	N/A
HCC75	Myasthenia Gravis/Myoneural Disorders and Guillain-Barre Syndrome/Inflammatory and Toxic Neuropathy	N/A
HCC76	Muscular Dystrophy	N/A
HCC77	Multiple Sclerosis	N/A
HCC78	Parkinson's and Huntington's Diseases	N/A

Category	Description	Hierarchies
HCC79	Seizure Disorders and Convulsions	N/A
HCC80	Coma, Brain Compression/Anoxic Damage	N/A
HCC82	Respirator Dependence/Tracheostomy Status	83,84
HCC83	Respiratory Arrest	84
HCC84	Cardio-Respiratory Failure and Shock	N/A
HCC85	Congestive Heart Failure	N/A
HCC86	Acute Myocardial Infarction	87,88
HCC87	Unstable Angina and Other Acute Ischemic Heart Disease	88
HCC88	Angina Pectoris	N/A
HCC96	Specified Heart Arrhythmias	N/A
HCC99	Intracranial Hemorrhage	100
HCC100	Ischemic or Unspecified Stroke	N/A
HCC103	Hemiplegia/Hemiparesis	104
HCC104	Monoplegia, Other Paralytic Syndromes	N/A
HCC106	Atherosclerosis of the Extremities with Ulceration or Gangrene	107,108,161,189
HCC107	Vascular Disease with Complications	108
HCC108	Vascular Disease	N/A
HCC110	Cystic Fibrosis	111,112
HCC111	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	112
HCC112	Fibrosis of Lung and Other Chronic Lung Disorders	N/A
HCC114	Aspiration and Specified Bacterial Pneumonias	115
HCC115	Pneumococcal Pneumonia, Empyema, Lung Abscess	N/A
HCC122	Proliferative Diabetic Retinopathy and Vitreous Hemorrhage	N/A
HCC124	Exudative Macular Degeneration	N/A
HCC134	Dialysis Status	135,136,137,138
HCC135	Acute Renal Failure	136,137,138
HCC136	Chronic Kidney Disease, Stage 5	137,138
HCC137	Chronic Kidney Disease, Severe (Stage 4)	138
HCC138	Chronic Kidney Disease, Moderate (Stage 3)	N/A
HCC157	Pressure Ulcer of Skin with Necrosis Through to Muscle, Tendon or Bone	158,159,161
HCC158	Pressure Ulcer of Skin with Full Thickness Skin Loss	159,161
HCC159	Pressure Ulcer of Skin with Partial Thickness Skin Loss	161
HCC161	Chronic Ulcer of Skin, Except Pressure	N/A
HCC162	Severe Skin Burn or Condition	N/A
HCC166	Severe Head Injury	80,167
HCC167	Major Head Injury	N/A
HCC169	Vertebral Fractures without Spinal Cord Injury	N/A
HCC170	Hip Fracture/Dislocation	N/A
HCC173	Traumatic Amputations and Complications	N/A
HCC176	Complications of Specified Implanted Device or Graft	N/A
HCC186	Major Organ Transplant or Replacement Status	N/A
HCC188	Artificial Openings for Feeding or Elimination	N/A
HCC189	Amputation Status, Lower Limb/Amputation Complications	N/A