

ICD-10-PCS Reference Manual

2016 Version Summary of Changes

The ICD-10-PCS Reference Manual changes for the annual update, from public comment and internal review, are listed below. Page numbers refer to the FY2016 version.

Page ix Year revised
The update year “FY 2015” was revised to “FY 2016”

Page 22 Last paragraph, the words “List of Codes” was revised to “Definitions.”

Page 25 New subsection, “Definitions”
After the subsection entitled “Index”, the subsection “Definitions” below was added.
“The ICD-10-PCS Definitions contain the official definitions of ICD-10-PCS values in characters 3 through 7 of the seven-character code, and may also provide additional explanation or examples. The definitions are arranged in section order, and designate the section and the character within the section being defined.

The Medical and Surgical section body part value definitions refer from the body part value to corresponding anatomical terms. The Medical and Surgical section device definitions refer from the device value to corresponding device terms or manufacturer’s names. The Substance value definitions in the Administration section refer from the substance value to a common substance name or manufacturer’s substance name. These definitions are also sorted by common term and listed separately as the Body Part Key, Device Key, and Substance Key respectively.
The ICD-10-PCS Device Aggregation Table contains entries that correlate a specific ICD-10-PCS device value with a general device value to be used in tables containing only general device values.”

Page 25 Subsection, “List of Codes” revised
Subsection title “List of Codes” revised to “Tabular Order File”
The first paragraph was deleted and replaced with the paragraph below.
“The ICD-10-PCS Order file contains a unique “order number” for each valid code or table “header,” a flag distinguishing valid codes from headers, and both long and short descriptions combined in a single file.”

Page 41 Coding exercise 8 revised
Revise “Radical” to “Total”

Page 43 Coding exercise added

Add "11. Right forequarter amputation: 0X600ZZ Detachment at Right Forequarter, Open Approach. (The Forequarter body part includes amputation along any part of the scapula and clavicle.)"

Page 47 Coding exercise 2 revised

Revise "perianal" to "anal"

Page 66 Coding example revised

Revise example title from "Port-a-cath placement" to "Placement of totally implanted central venous access device"

A second table excerpt was added to the example. The values for the table excerpt are below.

Character 1, Section, 0 Medical and Surgical

Character 2, Body System, 2 Heart and Great Vessels

Character 3, Operation, H Insertion

Character 4, Body Part, V Superior Vena Cava

Character 5, Approach, 3 Percutaneous

Character 6, Device, 3 Infusion Device

Character 7, Qualifier, Z No Qualifier

Page 67 Coding note "Imaging guidance" revised

Revise from "Imaging guidance done to assist in the performance of a procedure can be coded separately in the Imaging section. (Section B)"

Revise to "Imaging guidance done to assist in the performance of a procedure can be coded separately in the Imaging section, if desired. (Section B)"

Page 67 Coding exercise 4 revised

Revise from "Percutaneous placement of venous central line in right internal jugular: 05HM33Z"

Revise to "Percutaneous placement of venous central line in right internal jugular, with tip in Superior Vena Cava: 02HV33Z"

Page 67 Coding exercise 6 revised

Revise from "Percutaneous placement of Swan-Ganz catheter in superior vena cava: 02HV32Z"

Revise to "Percutaneous placement of Swan-Ganz catheter in pulmonary trunk: 02HP32Z"

Page 67 Coding exercise 8 deleted

Delete "Placement of intrathecal infusion pump for pain management, percutaneous: 0JHT3VZ (The device resides principally in the subcutaneous tissue of the back, so it is coded to body system J.)"

Page 70 Coding example “Posterior colporrhaphy with Gynemesh” revised
Character 2 body system value revised to J Subcutaneous Tissue and Fascia.
Character 4 body part value revised to C Pelvic Region

Page 70 Coding exercise 5 revised
Answer revised from 0UUG0JZ to 0JUC0JZ

Page 72 Root operation definition revised
Revise from “Revision root operation definition, revise from “Correcting, to the extent possible, a malfunctioning or displaced device”
Revise to “Correcting, to the extent possible, a portion of a malfunctioning device or the position of a displaced device”

Page 73 Coding exercise 1 deleted, new exercise 1 added
Deleted “Reposition of Swan-Ganz catheter in superior vena cava: 02WYX2Z”
Added “Trimming and reanastomosis of stenosed femorofemoral bypass synthetic graft, open 04WY0JZ”

Page 73 Coding exercise 5 revised
Revised from “Revision of VAD reservoir placement in chest wall, causing patient discomfort, open: 0JWT0WZ”
Revised to “Revision of totally implantable VAD port placement in chest wall, causing patient discomfort, open: 0JWT0XZ”

Page 75 Coding exercise 7 deleted, new exercise 7 added
Delete “Endoscopy of maxillary sinus: 09JY4ZZ”
Add “EGD (esophagogastroduodenoscopy) 0DJ08ZZ”

Page 90 Coding exercise 6 deleted, new exercise 6 added
Delete “Epidural injection of mixed steroid and local anesthetic for pain control: 3E0S33Z and 3E0U3NZ (Steroid is coded to the substance value Anti-inflammatory.)”
Add “Systemic infusion of recombinant tissue plasminogen activator (r-tPA) via peripheral venous catheter: 3E03317”

Page 93 Coding exercise 9 parenthetical note deleted
Delete “(The endotracheal tube associated with the mechanical ventilation procedure is considered a component of the equipment used in performing the procedure and is not coded separately.)”

Page 113-115 New Technology section added to chapter 4