
2010 Rheumatology ICD-9-CM Codes

Alphabetical List

Abdomen, abdominal – *see also* condition
[0-7, 9] Abdominal pain 789.0●

The following fifth-digit subclassification is to
be used for codes 789.0, 789.3, 789.4, 789.6

- 0 unspecified site
 - 1 right upper quadrant
 - 2 left upper quadrant
 - 3 right lower quadrant
 - 4 left lower quadrant
 - 5 periumbilic
 - 6 epigastric
 - 7 generalized
 - 9 other specific site
- multiple sites

Albuminuria, albuminuric (acute) (chronic)
(subacute) 791.0

Anemia 285.9

Angiitis 447.6

hypersensitivity 446.20

Angina (attack) (cardiac) (chest) (effort) (heart)
(pectoris) (syndrome) 413.9

Arteritis 447.6

giant cell 446.5

necrosing or necrotizing 446.0

temporal 446.5

Arthritis, arthritic (acute) (chronic) (subacute)
716.9●

meaning Osteoarthritis – *see also*
Osteoarthritis

Note 08 Use the following fifth-digit
subclassification with categories 711-
712, 715-716:

- 0 site unspecified
- 1 shoulder region
- 2 upper arm
- 3 forearm
- 4 hand
- 5 pelvic region and thigh
- 6 lower leg
- 7 ankle and foot
- 8 other specified sites
- 9 multiple sites

crystal (-induced) – *see* Arthritis, due to
crystals

due to or associated with

bacterial disease NEC 040.89 [711.4]●

crystals (*see also* Gout)

dicalcium phosphate 275.49 [712.1]●

pyrophosphate 275.49 [712.2]●

specified NEC 275.49 [712.8]●

dermatological disorder NEC 709.9 [713.3]

gastrointestinal condition NEC 569.9

[713.1]

Reiter's disease 099.3 [711.1] ●

sarcoidosis 135 [713.7]

viral disease NEC 079.99 [711.5]●

gonococcal 098.50

gouty 274.00

acute 274.01

hypertrophic (*see also* Osteoarthritis) 715.9●

spine 721.90

with myelopathy 721.91

idiopathic, blennorrhoeal 099.3

inflammatory NEC 714.9

juvenile rheumatoid (chronic) (polyarticular)
714.30

acute 714.31

monoarticular 714.33

pauciarticular 714.32

lumbar (*see also* Spondylosis, lumbar) 721.3

postrheumatic, chronic (Jaccoud's) 714.4

psoriatic 696.0

primary progressive 714.0

spine 720.9

rheumatic 714.0

acute or subacute – *see* Fever, rheumatic

chronic 714.0

spine 720.9

rheumatoid (nodular) 714.0

with

splenoadenomegaly and leukopenia

714.1

visceral or systemic involvement 714.2

juvenile (chronic) (polyarticular)

714.30
acute 714.31
monoarticular 714.33
pauciarticular 714.32

septic 711.0●

Arthropathy – *see also* Arthritis 716.9●

Note 09 Use the following fifth-digit subclassification with categories 711-712, 716:

0	site unspecified
1	shoulder region
2	upper arm
3	forearm
4	hand
5	pelvic region and thigh
6	lower leg
7	ankle and foot
8	other specified sites
9	multiple sites

Behçet's 136.1 [711.2] ●

crystal (-induced) – *see* Arthritis, due to crystals

gouty 274.00

post-rheumatic, chronic (Jaccoud's) 714.4

Arteriosclerosis, arteriosclerotic (artery) (deformans) (diffuse) (disease) (endarteritis) (general) (obliterans) (obliterative) (occlusive) (senile) (with calcification) 440.9

coronary (artery) 414.00

Atherosclerosis – *see* Arteriosclerosis

Autoimmune

disease NEC 279.49

Backache (postural) 724.5

Baker's

cyst (knee) 727.51

Behçet's syndrome 136.1

Bronchitis (diffuse) (hypostatic) (infectious) (inflammatory) (simple) 490

acute or subacute 466.0

chronic 491.9

Bursitis NEC 727.3

ankle 726.79

elbow 726.33

finger 726.8

foot 726.79

hand 726.4

hip 726.5

knee 726.60

olecranon 726.33

pes anserinus 726.61

prepatellar 726.65

shoulder 726.10

trochanteric area 726.5

wrist 726.4

Capsulitis (joint) 726.90

adhesive (shoulder) 726.0

Carpal tunnel syndrome 354.0

Cervicalgia 723.1

Chest – *see* condition

Chondrocalcinosis (articular) (crystal deposition) (dihydrate) – (*see also* Arthritis, due to, crystals 275.49[712.3] ●

due to

calcium pyrophosphate 275.49 [712.2]●

dicalcium phosphate crystals 275.49[712.1]●

pyrophosphate crystals 275.49 [712.2]●

Chondromalacia 733.92

patella, patellae 717.7

Colitis (acute) (catarrhal) (croupous) (ccystica superficialis) (exudative) (hemorrhagic) (noninfectious) (phlegmonous) (presumed noninfectious) 558.9

ulcerative (chronic) (idiopathic) (nonspecific) 556.9

Constipation 564.00

Contusion (skin surface intact) 924.9

with

ankle 924.21

back 922.31

buttock 922.32

foot (with ankle) (excluding toe(s)) 924.20

hip 924.01

with thigh 924.00

knee 924.11

leg 924.5

lower (with knee) 924.10

Cramp(s)

muscle (extremity) (general) 729.82

Cyst (mucus) (retention) (serous) (simple)

Baker's (knee) 727.51

Cystitis (bacillary) (colli) (diffuse) (exudative)

(hemorrhagic) (purulent) (recurrent) (septic)

(suppurative) (ulcerative) 595.9

acute 595.0

Degeneration, degenerative

articular cartilage NEC (see also Disorder,
cartilage, articular) 718.0●

elbow 718.02

knee 717.5

patella 717.7

shoulder 718.01

spine (see also Spondylosis) 721.90

intervertebral disc 722.6

with myelopathy 722.70

cervical, cervicothoracic 722.4

with myelopathy 722.71

lumbar, lumbrosacral 722.52

with myelopathy 722.73

thoracic, thoracolumbar 722.51

with myelopathy 722.72

de Quervain's disease (tendon sheath) 727.04

syndrome 259.51

Derangement

ankle (internal) 718.97

cartilage (articular) NEC (see also Disorder
cartilage, articular) 718.0●

knee 717.9

recurrent 718.36

elbow (internal) 718.92

hip (joint) (internal) (old) 718.95

current injury (see also Dislocation, hip)
835.00

recurrent 718.35

joint (internal) 718.90

ankle 718.97

elbow 718.92

foot 718.97

hand 718.94

hip 718.95

knee 717.9

multiple sites 718.99

pelvic region 718.95

recurrent 718.30

ankle 718.37

elbow 718.32

foot 718.37

hand 718.34

hip 718.35

knee 718.36

multiple sites 718.39

pelvic region 718.35

shoulder region 718.31

specified site NEC 718.38

wrist 718.33

shoulder region 718.91

specified site NEC 718.98

wrist 718.93

knee (cartilage) (internal) 717.9

Dermatomyositis (acute) (chronic) 710.3

Diabetes, diabetic (brittle) (congenital)

(familial) (mellitus) (severe) (slight) (without
complication) 250.0●

Note 21 Use the following fifth-digit
subclassification with category 250:

0 type II or unspecified type, not stated
as uncontrolled

Fifth-digit 0 is for use for type II
patients, even if the patient requires
insulin

1 type I [juvenile type], not stated as
uncontrolled

2 type II or unspecified type,
uncontrolled

Fifth-digit 2 is for use for type II
patients, even if the patient requires
insulin

3 type I [juvenile type], uncontrolled

Diarrhea, diarrheal (acute) (autumn) (bilious)

(bloody) (catarrhal) (choleraic) (chronic)

(gravis) (green) (infantile) (lienteric)

(noninfectious) (presumed noninfectious)

(putrefactive) (secondary) (sporadic) (summer)

(symptomatic) (thermic) 787.91

Disease, diseased – see also Syndrome

autoimmune NEC 279.49
 cerebrovascular NEC 437.9
 connective tissue, diffuse (see also Disease, collagen)) 710.9
 de Quervain's (tendon sheath) 727.04
 Kawasaki 446.1
 kidney (functional) (pelvis) (*see also* Disease, renal) 593.9
 chronic 585.9
 Lyme 088.81
 pulmonary- *see also* Disease, lung
 obstructive diffuse (chronic) 496
 Reiter's 099.3
 Use additional code for associated:
 arthropathy (711.1)
 renal (functional) (pelvis) (*see also* Disease, kidney) 593.9
 end-stage 585.6
 Still's (juvenile rheumatoid arthritis) 714.30
 Takayasu's (pulseless) 446.7
 Tietze's 733.6
Disorder – *see also* Disease
 bone NEC 733.90
 specified NEC 733.99
 bursa 727.9
 shoulder region 726.10
 cartilage NEC 733.90
 ankle 718.07
 elbow 718.02
 foot 718.07
 hand 718.04
 hip 718.05
 knee 717.9
 multiple sites 718.09
 pelvic region 718.05
 shoulder region 718.01
 specified
 site NEC 718.08
 type NEC 733.99
 wrist 718.03
 immune mechanism (immunity) 279.9
 single component (C1₁-C9₉) 279.8
 specified type NEC 279.8
 metabolism NEC 277.9

with
 calcium 275.40
 plasma protein 273.9
 specified type NEC 273.8

Displacement, displaced

Note 24 For acquired displacement of bones, cartilage, joints, tendons, due to injury, *see also* Dislocation.

Displacements at ages under one year should be considered congenital, provided there is no indication the condition was acquired after birth.

intervertebral disc (with neuritis, radiculitis, sciatica, or other pain) 722.2
 cervical, cervicodorsal, cervicothoracic 722.0
 lumbar, lumbosacral 722.10
 with myelopathy 722.73
 thoracic, thoracolumbar 722.11

Dizziness 780.4

Dyspepsia (allergic) (congenital) (fermentative) (flatulent) (functional) (gastric) (gastrointestinal) (neurogenic) (occupational) (reflex) 536.8

Dystrophy, dystrophia 783.9

sympathetic (posttraumatic) (reflex) 337.20
 lower limb 337.22
 specific site NEC 337.29
 upper limb 337.21

Edema, edematous

connective tissue 782.3
 joint (see also Effusion, joint) 719.0●
 legs 782.3
 lower extremities – *see* Edema, legs

Effect, adverse

drugs and medicinal 995.20

Effusion

joint 719.00

Enteritis

regional (of) 555.9

Epicondylitis (elbow) (lateral) 726.32

medial 726.31

Erythema, erythematous (generalized)

nodosum 695.2

Failure, failed

heart (acute) (sudden) 428.9
 congestive (compensated) (decompensated)
 (*see also* Failure, heart) 428.0

Fasciitis 729.4

plantar 728.71

Fatigue 780.79**Fever** 780.60**Fatigue** 780.79

chronic, syndrome 780.71

Fibrillation

atrial (established) (paroxysmal) 427.31

Fibromyalgia 729.1**Fibrositis** (periarticular) (rheumatoid) 729.0**Findings, (abnormal), without diagnosis**

(examination) (laboratory tests) 796.4

antibody titers, elevated 795.79

antigen-antibody reaction 795.79

C-reactive protein (CRP) 790.95

crystals, urine 791.9

sedimentation rate, elevated 790.1

skin test, positive 795.79

Fracture (abduction) (adduction) (avulsion)
(compression) (crush) (dislocation) (oblique)
(separation) (closed) 829.0

Note 28 For fracture of any of the following sites with fracture of other bones- *see* Fracture, multiple.

“Closed” includes the following descriptions of fractures, with or without delayed healing, unless they are specified as open or compound:

comminuted	linear
depressed	simple
elevated	slipped epiphysis
fissured	spiral
greenstick	unspecified
impacted	

“Open” includes the following descriptions of fractures, with or without delayed heading:

compound	puncture
infected	with foreign body
missile	

For late effect of fracture, *see* Late, effect, fracture, by site.

pathologic (unknown) 733.10

ankle 733.16

femur (neck) 733.14

specified NEC 733.15

fibula 733.16

hip 733.14

humerus 733.11

radius (distal) 733.12

specified site NEC 733.19

tibia 733.16

ulna 733.12

wrist 733.12

Gastritis 535.5●

Note 34 Use the following fifth-digit subclassification for category 535:

0	without mention of hemorrhage
1	with hemorrhage

acute 535.0●

Gastroenteritis (acute) (catarrhal) (congestive) (hemorrhagic) (noninfectious) (*see also* Enteritis) 558.9

Giddiness 780.4**Gout, gouty** 274.9

arthritis 274.00

acute 274.01

arthropathy 274.00

acute 274.01

chronic (without mention of tophus (tophi)) 274.02

with tophus (tophi) 274.03

tophi 274.03

ear 274.81

specified site NEC 274.82

Granulomatosis NEC 686.1

Wegener’s (necrotizing respiratory) 446.4

Headache 784.0**Hernia, hernial**

esophageal hiatus (sliding) 553.3

Hypercholesterolemia

pure 272.0

Hypertension, hypertensive

unspecified 401.9

Hypertrophy, hypertrophic

bone 733.99
 prostate, benign 600.00
Hyponatremia 276.1
Hypopotassemia 276.8
Hypothyroidism (acquired) 244.9
Infection, infected, infective
 respiratory 519.8
 upper (acute) (infectious) NEC 465.9
 urinary (tract) NEC 599.0
Insufficiency, insufficient
 venous (peripheral) 459.81
Keratoconjunctivitis – (*see also* Keratitis)
 370.40
 sicca (Sjögren’s syndrome) 710.2
 not in Sjögren’s syndrome 370.33
Kidney – *see* condition
Lupus 710.0
 discoid (local) 695.4
 erythematodes (discoid) (local) 695.4
 erythematous (discoid) (local) 695.4
 disseminated 710.0
 systemic 710.0
 nephritis 710.0 [583.81]
 acute 710.0 [580.81]
 chronic 710.0 [582.81]
Malaise 780.79
Melena 578.1
Metatarsalgia 726.70
Monoarthritis 716.60
 ankle 716.67
 arm 716.62
 lower (and wrist) 716.63
 upper (and elbow) 716.62
 foot (and ankle) 716.67
 forearm (and wrist) 716.63
 hand 716.64
 leg 716.66
 lower 716.66
 upper 716.65
 pelvic region (hip) (thigh) 716.65
 shoulder (region) 716.61
 specified site NEC 716.68
Myalgia (intercostals) 729.1
Myositis 729.1

rheumatic 729.1
 rheumatoid 729.1
 traumatic (old) 729.1
Nausea – (*see also* Vomiting) 787.02
 with vomiting 787.01
Nephritis, nephritic (albuminuric) (azotemic)
 (congenital) (degenerative) (diffuse)
 (disseminated) (epithelial) (familial) (focal)
 (granulomatous) (hemorrhagic) (infantile)
 (nonsuppurative, excretory) (uremic) 583.9
 lupus 710.0 [583.81]
 acute 710.0 [580.81]
 chronic 710.0 [582.81]
Neuropathy, neuropathic- (*see also* Disorder,
 nerve) 355.9
 hereditary 356.9
 peripheral 356.0
Osteoarthritis – (*see also* Osteoarthritis)
 715.9●
Osteoarthopathy (*see also* Osteoarthrosis)
 715.9●
 chronic idiopathic hypertrophic 757.39
 familial idiopathic 757.39
 hypertrophic pulmonary 731.2
 secondary 731.2
 idiopathic hypertrophic 757.39
 primary hypertrophic 731.2
 pulmonary hypertrophic 731.2
 secondary hypertrophic 731.2
Osteoarthritis (degenerative) (hypertrophic)
 (rheumatoid) 715.9●

Note 56 Use the following fifth-digit subclassification with categories 715:

0	site unspecified
1	shoulder region
2	upper arm
3	forearm
4	hand
5	pelvic region and thigh
6	lower leg
7	ankle and foot
8	other specified sites except spine
9	multiple sites

generalized 715.0 [0,4,9]

localized 715.3●
 idiopathic 715.1●
 primary 715.1●
 secondary 715.2●
 multiple sites, (not generalized) 715.89
 polyarticular 715.09
 spine (see also Spondylosis) 721.90
 temporomandibular joint 524.6
Osteomyelitis (general) (infective) (localized) (neonatal) (purulent) (pyogenic) (septic) (staphylococcal) (streptococcal) (suppurative) (with periostitis) 730.2●
 sicca 730.1●
Osteoporosis (generalized) 733.00
Overload
 fluid 276.6
Pain(s) – (*see also* Painful) 780.96
 abdominal 789.0●
 chest (central) 786.50
 hand 729.5
 joint 719.40
 ankle 719.47
 elbow 719.42
 foot 719.47
 hand 719.44
 hip 719.45
 knee 719.46
 multiple sites 719.49
 pelvic region 719.45
 shoulder (region) 719.41
 specified site NEC 719.48
 wrist 719.43
 limb 729.5
Palindromic, arthritis – (*see also* Rheumatism, palindromic) 719.3●
Palpitation (heart) 785.1
Paresthesia – (*see also* Disturbance, sensation) 782.0
 Berger's (paresthesia of lower limb) 782.0
Parkinsonism (arteriosclerotic) (idiopathic) (primary) 332.0
Periarthritis (joint) 726.90
 shoulder 726.2
 wrist 726.4
Pharyngitis (acute) (catarrhal) (gangrenous) (infective) (malignant) (membranous) (phlegmonous) (pneumococcal) (pseudomembranous) (simple) (staphylococcal) (subacute) (suppurative) (ulcerative) (viral) 462
Polyarteritis (nodosa) (renal) 446.0
Polyarthralgia 719.49
 psychogenic 306.0
Polyarthritis, polyarthropathy NEC 716.59
 inflammatory 714.9
Polychondritis (atrophic) (chronic) (relapsing) 733.99
Polymyalgia 725
 rheumatica 725
Polymyositis (acute) (chronic) (hemorrhagic) 710.4
 with involvement of
 lung 710.4 [517.8]
 skin 710.3
Proteinuria – (*see also* Albuminuria) 791.0
Purpura
 Schönlein (-Henoch) (allergic) 287.0
 thrombocytopenic thrombotic 446.6
Radiculitis (pressure) (vertebrogenic) 729.2
 cervical NEC 723.4
 leg 724.4
 lumbar NEC 724.4
 lumbosacral 724.2
 rheumatic 729.2
 thoracic (with visceral pain) 724.4
Radiculopathy – (*see also* Radiculitis) 729.2
Raynaud's
 disease or syndrome (paroxysmal digital cyanosis) 443.0
Retention, retained
 fluid 276.6
Rheumatism, rheumatic (acute NEC) 729.0
 adherent pericardium 393
 arthritis
 acute or subacute – *see* Fever, rheumatic
 chronic 714.0
 spine 720.0

articular (chronic) NEC (*see also* Arthritis)
 716.9●
 acute or subacute – *see* Fever, rheumatic
 back 724.9
 blennorrhagic 098.59
 carditis – *see* Disease, heart, rheumatic
 cerebral – *see* Fever, rheumatic
 chorea (acute) – *see* Chorea, rheumatic
 chronic NEC 729.0
 coronary arteritis 391.9
 chronic 398.99
 degeneration, myocardium (*see also*
 Degeneration, myocardium with
 rheumatic fever) 398.0
 desert 114.0
 gonococcal 098.59
 gout 274.00
 inflammatory (acute) (chronic) (subacute) *see*
 Fever, rheumatic
 joint (chronic) NEC (*see also* Arthritis)
 716.9●

Rheumatoid – *see also* condition
 lung 714.81

Sarcoidosis 135

Sciatica (inflexional) 724.3
 due to
 displacement of intervertebral disc 722.10

Scleroderma, sclerodermia (acrosclerotic)
 (diffuse) (generalized) (progressive)
 (pulmonary) 710.1
 circumscribed 701.0
 linear 701.0
 localized (linear) 701.0
 newborn 778.1

Sclerosis, sclerotic
 systemic (progressive) 710.1

Scoliosis (acquired) (postural) 737.30
 due to or associated with
 osteoporosis (*see also* Osteoporosis)
 733.00[737.43]

Spondylitis 720.9
 ankylosing (chronic) 720.0

Spondylolisthesis (congenital) (lumbosacral)
 756.12

 acquired 738.4
 degenerative 738.4
 traumatic 738.4

Spondylolysis (congenital) 756.11
 acquired 738.4
 cervical 756.19
 lumbosacral region 756.11

Spondylopathy
 inflammatory 720.9

Spondylosis 721.90
 with
 myleopathy NEC 721.91
 cervical, cervicodorsal 721.0
 with myleopathy 721.1
 inflammatory 720.9
 lumbar, lumbosacral 721.3
 with myleopathy 721.42
 thoracic 721.2
 with myleopathy 721.41
 traumatic 721.7

Sprain, strain (joint) (ligament) (muscle)
 (tendon) 848.9
 ankle 845.00
 and foot 845.00
 elbow 841.9
 foot 845.10
 hand 842.10
 hip 843.9
 and thigh 843.9
 knee 844.9
 and leg 844.9
 old 717.5
 leg 844.9
 and knee 844.9
 low back 846.9
 lumbosacral 846.0
 chronic or old 724.6

Stenosis (cicatrical) – *see also* Stricture
 spinal 724.00
 cervical 723.0
 lumbar, lumbosacral 724.02
 specified region NEC 724.09
 thoracic, thoracolumbar 724.01

Swelling 782.3

ankle 719.07
arm 729.81
extremity (lower) (upper) 729.81
finger 729.81
foot 729.81
hand 729.81
joint (*see also* Effusion, joint) 719.0●
leg 729.81
limb 729.81
muscle (limb) 729.81
neck 784.2
pelvis 789.3●
toe 729.81

Syndrome – *see also* Disease

carpal tunnel 354.0
de Quervain's 259.51
eosinophilia myalgia 710.5
fatigue NEC 300.5
 chronic 780.71
Felty's (rheumatoid arthritis with
 splenomegaly and leukopenia) 714.1
Goodpasture's (pneumorenal) 446.21
irritable bowel 564.1
nephrotic (*see also* Nephrosis) 581.9
 diabetic 250.4● [581.81]
Raynaud's (paroxysmal digital cyanosis) 443.0
restless leg (RLS) 333.94
sicca (keratoconjunctivitis) 710.2
Sjögren (-Gougerot) (keratoconjunctivitis
 sicca) 710.2

with lung involvement 710.2 [517.8]
 thoracic outlet (compression) 353.0
System, systemic – *see also* condition disease,
combined – *see* Degeneration, combined
 lupus erythematosus 710.0

Takayasu (-Onishi) disease or syndrome
(pulseless disease) 446.7

Tendinitis, tendonitis – (*see also*

Tenosynovitis) 726.90

 calcific 727.82

 shoulder 726.11

 pes anserinus 726.61

 trochanteric 726.5

Tenosynovitis (*see also* Synovitis) 727.00

 bicipital (calcifying) 726.12

Thrombosis, thrombotic (marantic) (multiple)

(progressive) (vein) (vessel) 453.9

Tietze's disease or syndrome 733.6

Trigger finger (acquired) 727.03

 congenital 756.89

**Ulcer, ulcerated, ulcerating, ulceration,
ulcerative** 707.9

 peptic (site unspecified) 533.9

Note 71	Use the following fifth-digit subclassification with categories 531 – 534:
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0	without mention of obstruction
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1	with obstruction
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Vasculitis 447.6

Weight

 gain (abnormal) (excessive) 783.1

 loss (cause unknown) 783.21

(a) ICD-9-CM codes must be listed in priority order. Narrative descriptions of diagnoses will not suffice.
(b) ICD-9-CM codes must be recorded at the highest level of specialty.
(c) Nonspecific codes may be appropriate for an initial visit for a problem but greater specificity, if known should be coded. Try to minimize use of .8 or .9 unless additional information is not available

d) An underline () indicates the diagnosis requires a fifth digit which should be identified to indicate site of involvement.
(e) "and" indicates that an additional code is required for the diagnosis.
(f) For diagnoses not listed, refer to ICD-9-CM, Ninth Revision, Vols. 1 and 2.
(g) BOLD and Italic represents new and revised ICD-9-CM codes