



Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

**ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS
Twelfth Edition**

Errata 1

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How to use this document

The ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS classification system is used for classifying admitted patient care and comprises the following:

- International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM)
- Australian Classification of Health Interventions (ACHI)
- Australian Coding Standards (ACS).

For the published hardcopy books, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS errata may be issued to correct errors and typographical issues that have been identified since the time of publishing. Users are required to incorporate these corrections when using the published hardcopy books.

This document lists corrections to be made to each of the hardcopy books listed in the following order:

- ICD-10-AM Tabular List
- ICD-10-AM Alphabetic Index
- ACHI Tabular List
- ACHI Alphabetic Index
- Australian Coding Standards

Each correction includes:

- The hardcopy book with a page reference
- Instructions to correct codes or terms (eg add, delete, amend)
- The corrected text without track changes detailed in a grey box
- The existing text with track changes detailed in a white box (eg [added text](#), ~~deleted text~~)

Example of correction

Page #	Add/Delete/Amend <i>Instructional</i> note/code(s)/term(s), and Add/Delete/Amend <i>Instructional</i> note/code(s)/term(s) <i>Corrected text.</i>
CODE ▽ 0000	Code description <i>Incorrect</i> <i>Corrected</i> text .

ICD-10-AM Tabular List

Page 358	Amend <i>Instructional</i> note: <i>Use additional code (S01.83) to identify open/compound fracture associated with intracranial injury.</i>
S02 ▽ 1905	Fracture of skull and facial bones <i>Use additional code (S01.81) to identify open/compound fracture [open wound communicating with a fracture].</i> <i>Use additional code (S01.83) to identify <u>open/compound</u> fracture associated with intracranial injury.</i> <i>Use additional code (S06.01–S06.05) to identify any loss of consciousness.</i> <i>Use additional code (S09.9) to identify (closed) head injury NOS.</i>
Page 368	Delete fifth character subdivision, and Amend code ranges: The following fifth character subdivisions are for use with subcategories S30.8 and S30.9 to denote the type of superficial injury: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✱ 0 unspecified ✱ 1 abrasion ✱ 2 blister ✱ 3 insect bite ✱ 4 superficial foreign body (splinter) ✱ 8 other
	The following fifth character subdivisions are for use with subcategories S30.8 and S30.9 to denote the type of superficial injury: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✱ 0 unspecified ✱ 1 abrasion ✱ 2 blister ✱ 3 insect bite ✱ 4 superficial foreign body (splinter) ✱ 5 contusion ✱ 8 other
S30.8 {0-4,8} [0-8]	Other superficial injuries of abdomen, lower back and pelvis <i>See subdivisions above</i> Buttock Epigastric region External genital organs Flank
S30.9 {0-4,8} [0-8]	Superficial injury of abdomen, lower back and pelvis, part unspecified <i>See subdivisions above</i>

Page 494	Amend <i>Instructional</i> note: <i>Use additional code (N97.-) to identify infertility.</i>
Z31.32	Other assisted fertilisation methods associated with female reproductive system <i>Use additional code (N46-N97.-) to identify infertility.</i>

Page 499	Amend ACS annotation: Z51.1 Pharmacotherapy session for neoplasm ▽ 0206
Z51.1 ▽ 0044 0206	Pharmacotherapy session for neoplasm Maintenance chemotherapy for neoplasm

ICD-10-AM Alphabetic Index

Page 19	Add dash at the fifth character position to code: - - with hand present Q71.1-
	Agensis — <i>continued</i> ... - upper limb (complete) (<i>see also</i> <i>Absence/forearm/congenital AND</i> <i>Absence/upper arm, congenital</i>) Q71.0 - - with hand present Q71.1-
Page 24	Add cross reference: Anaphylactic shock or reaction (<i>see also</i> <i>Anaphylaxis</i>) T78.2
	Anaphylactic shock or reaction (see also Anaphylaxis) T78.2 - due to - - drug or medicament (adverse effect) T88.6 - - food reaction T78.0 - - serum T80.5
Page 24	Add nonessential modifier subterm, and Add code, and Add essential modifier subterm, and Add code: - - immunisation (non-serum based) T88.6 - - - serum based T80.5
	Anaphylaxis T78.2 - due to - - immunisation (non-serum based) T80.5 T88.6 - - - serum based T80.5 - - serum
Page 52	Amend code: - - hepatic K65.29
	Capsulitis (joint) M77.9 - adhesive M77.9 - - hepatic K65.22 K65.29 - - shoulder M75.0
Page 56	Add cross reference: - - basal cell (multicentric) (multifocal) (M8091/3) — <i>see also</i> <i>Neoplasm/skin/malignant</i>
	Carcinoma (M8010/3) — <i>continued</i> ... - superficial - - basal cell (multicentric) (multifocal) (M8091/3) — <i>see also</i> Neoplasm/skin/malignant

Page 57	Amend code: - endometrioid intraepithelial (M8380/2) D07.0
	Carcinoma in situ (M8010/2) — <i>continued</i> ... - endometrioid intraepithelial (M8380/2) D07.3 D07.0

Page 58	Amend subterm: - tuberculous A18.8† I43.0* - viral B33.2† I43.0*
	Cardiomyopathy (familial) (idiopathic) — <i>continued</i> ... - tuberculous A18.8† I43.0* -viral -viral B33.2† I43.0*

Page 147	Amend cross reference: - cardiorespiratory — <i>see Failure/heart AND Failure/respiration</i>
	Failure, failed ... - cardiorespiratory — <i>see Failure/heart AND Failure/respiratory-respiration</i>

Page 180	Amend cross reference: - oesophageal hiatus (<i>see also Hernia/hiatus</i>) K44.9
	Hernia, hernial (acquired) (recurrent) — <i>continued</i> ... - oesophageal hiatus (<i>see also Hernia/hiatus</i> hiata) K44.9

Page 187	Amend code: - - endometrium N85.1
	Hyperplasia, hyperplastic ... - atypical - - adenomatous (M8250/0) — <i>see also Neoplasm/benign</i> - - endometrium (M8380/2) D07.3 N85.1

Page 226	Amend cross reference: - stoma — <i>see Complication(s)/by type of stoma/leak</i>
	Leak, leakage - stoma — <i>see Complication(s)/stoma</i> <i>by type of stoma/leak</i>

Page 255 Amend code:	-- endometrium, endometrioid (M8380/2) D07.0	
	Neoplasia — continued ... - intraepithelial — <i>continued</i> ... - - endometrium, endometrioid (M8380/2) D07.3 D07.0	
Page 284 Amend code:	- congenital Q63.82	
	Nephrolithiasis (pelvis) (<i>see also</i> <i>Calculus/kidney</i>) NEC N20.0 - congenital Q63.82	
Page 287 Amend code:	- refractory (M9980/3) D46.4	
	Neutropenia, neutropenic (congenital) (cyclic) (drug-induced) (fever) (periodic) (primary) (splenic) (toxic) D70 ... - refractory (M9980/3) D46.7 D46.4	
Page 302 Delete index entry		
	Paraganglioma (M8680/3) C75.5 - adrenal medullary (M8700/3) C74.1 - aortic body (M8691/3) - aorticopulmonary (M8691/3) - benign NEC (M8680/0) — see also <i>Neoplasm/benign</i> - carotid body (M8692/3) C75.4	
Page 307 Amend nonessential modifier lead terms:	Peritonitis ... (not known whether primary or secondary) ...	
	Peritonitis (acute) (adhesive) (chronic) (fibrinous) (not known whether primary or secondary) (of undetermined cause) (with effusion) NEC K65.9	Peritonitis (acute) (adhesive) (chronic) (fibrinous) (not known whether primary or secondary) (of undetermined cause) (with effusion) — <i>continued</i>
Page 310 Amend cross reference:	PIN (prostatic intraepithelial neoplasia) — see Neoplasia/intraepithelial/prostate	
	PIN (prostatic intraepithelial neoplasia) — see Neoplasia/intraepithelial/ prostatic prostate	

Page 343 Amend cross reference:
SADS NEC (see also Syndrome/sudden death) R99
SADS NEC (see also Syndrome/sudden adult death OR Syndrome/sudden/arrhythmic death) R99

Page 366 Amend cross reference:
- not done — see Procedure/not performed
Surgery
- not done — see Procedure/not done performed

Page 382 Amend code:
- refractory (M9980/3) D46.4
Thrombocytopenia, thrombocytopenic D69.6
...
- refractory (M9980/3) D46.7 D46.4

Page 392 Delete cross reference, and Add code:
- Codman('s) (M9230/1) D48.0
Tumour (M8000/1) — continued
...
- Codman('s) (M9230/1) — see also Neoplasm/bone/benign D48.0

Page 392 Delete dash, and Amend cross reference:
- - papillary — see Tumour/papillary/cystic
Tumour (M8000/1) — continued
...
- cystic
- - atrioventricular node (M8454/0) D15.1
- - clear cell, of borderline malignancy (M8444/1) D39.1
- - mucinous — see also Tumour/mucinous/cystic
- - - borderline
- - - - with malignant transformation (M8472/3) C56
- - - - malignancy (M8472/1) D39.1
- - papillary — see also Tumour/papillary/ mucinous /cystic

Page 396 Amend codes: - - - female C57.9 - - - male C63.9
Tumour (M8000/1) — <i>continued</i> - yolk sac (hepatoid) (M9071/3) — <i>see also Neoplasm/malignant</i> - - unspecified site - - - female D07.3 C57.9 - - - male D07.6 C63.9

ACHI Tabular List

Page 11	Amend <i>Excludes</i> note: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• intervertebral disc replacement (51130 [59])
52	Discectomy <p>Excision of intervertebral disc (partial) (recurrent) (total)</p> <p>Includes: fat graft laminectomy laminotomy</p> <p>Code also when performed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• procurement of fat for graft via separate incision (45018-04 [1666])• via percutaneous endoscopic (minimally invasive) approach (96234-01 [1923]) <p>Excludes: that with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• decompression of spinal cord (see block [46])• interverbal intervertebral disc replacement (51130 [59])• spinal fusion (see block [1389])

Page 309	Delete ACS annotation, and Delete <i>Code first</i> Instructional note:
1923 ▽ 0023	Technology-assisted interventions <p>Code first:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• procedure(s) performed <p>Excludes: computer-assisted image</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• guidance — see Alphabetic Index• intensifier — see Alphabetic Indexstereotactic localisation — see Alphabetic Index
96234-01 ▽ 0019	Percutaneous endoscopic-assisted intervention, not elsewhere classified <p>Note: Percutaneous endoscopic approach involves access through one or more minor incisions in the skin and subcutaneous layers or mucous membrane, allowing passage of endoscopic instruments to visualise the operative site and guide the procedure.</p> <p>Code first: • procedure(s) performed</p> <p>Excludes: that via:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• arthroscopy (50100-00 [1555])• laparoscopy (30390-00 [984])• neuroendoscopy (40903-00 [1])• percutaneous nephroscopy (36627-00 [1043])• thoracoscopy (38436-00 [559])

ACHI Alphabetic Index

Page 1	Amend code:
	- - fetotoxic injection NEC 90461-01 [1330]
	Abortion (administration of pharmacological agent) (medical) NEC 90462-01 [1330] - by ... - - fetotoxic injection NEC 90462-01 90461-01 [1330]
Page 6	Amend cross reference:
	- - alteplase (t-PA) — <i>see Administration/type of agent/thrombolytic</i>
	Administration (around) (into) (local) (of) (therapeutic agent) — <i>continued</i> ... - type of agent ... - - alteplase (t-PA) — <i>see Administration/thrombolytic type of agent/thrombolytic</i>
Page 18	Delete cross reference, and Add code, and Amend essential modifier subterm:
	- - - debridement 49558-00 [1503] ... - - - notchplasty (femur) 96261-06 [1503]
	Arthroscopy (with lavage) 50100-00 [1555] - knee NEC 49557-00 [1501] - - with - - - biopsy 49557-01 [1502] - - - chondroplasty — <i>see Chondroplasty/knee</i> - - - debridement — <i>see Debridement/knee</i> 49558-00 [1503] - - - implant (carbon fibre) 49503-06 [1520] - - - lateral release 49560-02 [1501] - - - meniscectomy — <i>see Meniscectomy/knee</i> - - - microfracture 49558-01 [1520] - - - multiple drilling 49503-06 [1520] - - - notchplasty (femur) 96261-06 [1503]
Page 58	Amend cross references:
	- paraganglioma — <i>see Excision/paraganglioma</i> - phaeochromocytoma — <i>see Excision/phaeochromocytoma</i>
	Dissection, dissected ... - paraganglioma — see Excision/paraganglioma - phaeochromocytoma — see Excision/phaeochromocytoma

Page 72	Amend cross reference:
	- - nasal — see <i>Examination/nose</i>
	Examination — see also <i>Assessment</i>
	...
	- septum
	- - nasal — see <i>Examination/nasal cavity nose</i>

Page 96	Amend nonessential modifier subterm:
	- - - - segmental (cage) (hook) (plate) (rods) (screw(s)) (wire loop)
	Fixation — <i>continued</i>
	...
	- bone — <i>continued</i>
	- - internal — <i>continued</i>
	...
	- - - spine (nonsegmental) NEC 90011-08 [1390]
	...
	- - - - segmental (cage) (hook) (plate) (rods) (rods) (screw(s)) (wire loop)

Page 102:	Amend cross reference:
	- posterolateral — see <i>Fusion/spinal/posterior column</i>
	Fusion — <i>continued</i>
	- joint (with fixation device) — <i>continued</i>
	- - wrist 49200-00 [1468]
	- - - carpometacarpal 46303-00 [1460]
	- - - radio-ulnar, distal
	- - - - with reconstruction 46345-00 [1469]
	- midline lumbar interbody fusion (MidLIF) (MLIF)
	— see <i>Fusion/spinal/anterior column</i>
	- oblique lumbar interbody fusion (OLIF) — see <i>Fusion/spinal/anterior column</i>
	- posterior lumbar interbody fusion (PLIF) — see <i>Fusion/spinal/anterior column</i>
	- posterolateral — see <i>Fusion/spinal/anterior posterior column</i>

Page 117:	Amend cross reference:
	- haematoma — see <i>Drainage/haematoma</i>
	Incision — <i>continued</i>
	...
	- haematoma — see <i>Drainage/haematoma OR Evacuation/haematoma</i>

Page 123:	Amend cross reference:
	- intracapsular tension ring — see <i>Insertion/lens, intraocular AND Extraction/cataract/by type or approach/with insertion of artificial lens</i>
	Insertion — <i>continued</i>
	...
	- intracapsular tension ring — see <i>Insertion/lens, artificial intraocular AND Extraction/cataract/by type or approach/with insertion of artificial lens</i>

Page 129: Add cross reference:
 - robotic-assisted NEC (see also *Robotic-assisted intervention*)
 96233-00 [1923]

Intervention
 ...
 - robotic-assisted NEC ([see also Robotic-assisted intervention](#)) 96233-00 [1923]

Page 171 Add cross reference:
 - robotic-assisted NEC (see also *Robotic-assisted intervention*)
 96233-00 [1923]

Procedure — continued
 ...
 - robotic-assisted NEC ([see also Robotic-assisted intervention](#)) 96233-00 [1923]

Page 188 Amend block:
 - - - - intra-articular 47316-00 [1457]

Reduction — continued
 - fracture (bone) (with cast) (with splint) — *continued*
 ...
 - - phalanx, phalanges
 - - - hand
 - - - - open
 - - - - - intra-articular NEC 47316-00 [~~1454~~] [1457]

Page 189 Amend block:
 - - - - with fixation 47762-01 [1368]

Reduction — continued
 - fracture (bone) (with cast) (with splint) — *continued*
 ...
 - - zygoma, zygomatic arch (malar)
 - - - closed 53410-00 [1360]
 - - - - with fixation 47762-01 [~~1360~~] [1368]

Page 216 Amend cross reference:
 - volar plate — see *Arthroplasty/metacarpophalangeal/volar plate OR Arthroplasty/interphalangeal/hand/volar plate*

Repair — continued
 ...
 - volar plate — see *Arthroplasty/metacarpophalangeal/~~for joint replacement~~/volar plate OR Arthroplasty/interphalangeal/hand/~~for joint replacement~~/volar plate*

Page 248: Amend code:
 - - fetotoxic injection NEC 90461-01 [1330]

Termination of pregnancy (administration of pharmacological agent) (medical) NEC 90462-01 [1330]
 - by
 ...
 - - fetotoxic injection NEC ~~90462-01~~ [90461-01](#) [1330]

Australian Coding Standards

Page 19	Amend text: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Multiple episodes within an ‘admitted patient stay’...												
0010	CLINICAL DOCUMENTATION AND GENERAL ABSTRACTION GUIDELINES <p>...</p> ABSTRACTION FROM OTHER SOURCES OF INFORMATION <p>...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Multiple episodes within an ‘admitted hospital patient stay’. In this circumstance, the following conditions may be carried forward and coded as additional diagnoses in latter episodes of care. Refer to the following ACS for guidelines regarding these conditions: ...												
Page 55	Delete code, and Amend text in example: <p>In this example, E86 and D64.9 are assigned in accordance with ACS 0001, as dehydration and anaemia both equally meet the definition for principal diagnosis. Neoplasm codes are not assigned as the lung carcinoma does not meet the criteria in ACS 0002 (see also ACS 0236). See also ACS 1902 <i>Adverse effects</i>. ACHI codes for the IV infusions (hydration and iron infusion) are not assigned as they do not meet the guidelines in ACS 0042.</p>												
0044	PHARMACOTHERAPY <p>...</p> <p>EXAMPLE 3:</p> <p>Patient with small cell lung carcinoma admitted for dehydration and anaemia due to recent chemotherapy. Intravenous (IV) hydration was administered on day 1. Patient received an IV iron infusion and was discharged on the following day.</p> <table><tr><td>Codes:</td><td>E86</td><td><i>Volume depletion</i></td></tr><tr><td></td><td>D64.9</td><td><i>Anaemia, unspecified</i></td></tr><tr><td></td><td>Y43.3</td><td><i>Other antineoplastic drugs causing adverse effects in therapeutic use</i></td></tr><tr><td></td><td>Y92.23</td><td><i>Place of occurrence, health service area, not specified as this facility</i></td></tr></table> <p>96199-19 [1920] — Intravenous administration of pharmacological agent, other and unspecified pharmacological agent</p> <p>In this example, E86 and D64.9 are assigned in accordance with ACS 0001, as dehydration and anaemia both equally meet the definition for principal diagnosis. Neoplasm codes are not assigned as the lung carcinoma does not meet the criteria in ACS 0002 (see also ACS 0236). 96199-19 [1920] is assigned in accordance with ACS 0042. An ACHI code for IV hydration is not assigned as it does not meet the criteria in ACS 0042. See also ACS 1902 <i>Adverse effects</i>. <u>ACHI codes for the IV infusions (hydration and iron infusion) are not assigned as they do not meet the guidelines in ACS 0042.</u></p>	Codes:	E86	<i>Volume depletion</i>		D64.9	<i>Anaemia, unspecified</i>		Y43.3	<i>Other antineoplastic drugs causing adverse effects in therapeutic use</i>		Y92.23	<i>Place of occurrence, health service area, not specified as this facility</i>
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	Y43.3	<i>Other antineoplastic drugs causing adverse effects in therapeutic use</i>											
	Y92.23	<i>Place of occurrence, health service area, not specified as this facility</i>											

Page 72 **Delete text, and**
Add text:

- Assign Z20.81 where clinical documentation indicates exposure to, or contact with, a confirmed case of COVID-19
- Do not assign Z20.81 with U07.1- or U07.2 as exposure is inherent (see Example 2).

0113 **CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)**

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COVID-19 TABLE		
STAGE	CODE/BLOCK/DESCRIPTION	GENERAL GUIDELINES
Diagnosis	U07.1- <i>Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19], virus identified</i>	• Assign a code from subcategory U07.1 for COVID-19 with laboratory confirmation of SARS-CoV-2 (see Example 1).
	U07.2 <i>Coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19], virus not identified</i>	• Assign U07.2 for clinically diagnosed or probable COVID-19, including where laboratory testing for SARS-CoV-2 is inconclusive (eg false negative) or not available (see Example 2).
	Z03.81 <i>Observation for suspected coronavirus disease 2019 [COVID-19], ruled out</i>	• Assign Z03.81 only if it meets the criteria in ACS 0012 <i>Suspected conditions</i> (see Example 4).
	Z20.81 <i>Contact with and exposure to zoonotic disease</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assign Z20.81 where clinical documentation indicates exposure to, or contact with, a confirmed case of COVID-19 (see Example 5). • Do not assign Z20.81 for patient-reported exposure alone. • Do not assign Z20.81 with U07.1- or U07.2 as exposure is inherent- (see Example 2).

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Page 209 Delete code, and

Amend text in example:

In this example, T81.83 is assigned rather than T83.83 Pain following insertion of genitourinary prosthetic devices, implants and grafts as the shoulder pain is documented as related to the laparoscopy not the insertion of IUD.

1904 PROCEDURAL COMPLICATIONS

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EXAMPLE 16:

A patient experiences shoulder pain following intrauterine device (IUD) insertion and laparoscopy. The clinician confirms that shoulder pain is due to laparoscopy and the patient's stay is extended until the pain resolves.

Codes: T81.83 *Pain following a procedure, not elsewhere classified*

~~M25.51 *Pain in joint, shoulder region*~~

In this example, T81.83 is assigned rather than T83.83 *Pain following insertion of genitourinary prosthetic devices, implants and grafts* as the shoulder pain is documented as related to the laparoscopy not the insertion of IUD. ~~M25.51 is assigned to provide specificity.~~