



APPENDIX 2

List of Chapter 18 Signs and symptoms codes with DCL in-scope codes identified

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Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R00.0	Tachycardia, unspecified	
R00.1	Bradycardia, unspecified	
R00.2	Palpitations	
R00.8	Other and unspecified abnormalities of heart beat	
R01.0	Benign and innocent cardiac murmurs	
R01.1	Cardiac murmur, unspecified	
R01.2	Other cardiac sounds	
R02	Gangrene, not elsewhere classified	Yes
R03.0	Elevated blood-pressure reading, without diagnosis of hypertension	
R03.1	Nonspecific low blood-pressure reading	
R04.0	Epistaxis	
R04.1	Haemorrhage from throat	
R04.2	Haemoptysis	
R04.8	Haemorrhage from other sites in respiratory passages	
R04.9	Haemorrhage from respiratory passages, unspecified	
R05	Cough	
R06.0	Dyspnoea	
R06.1	Stridor	
R06.2	Wheezing	
R06.3	Periodic breathing	
R06.4	Hyperventilation	
R06.5	Mouth breathing	
R06.6	Hiccup	
R06.7	Sneezing	
R06.8	Other and unspecified abnormalities of breathing	
R07.0	Pain in throat	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R07.1	Chest pain on breathing	
R07.2	Precordial pain	
R07.3	Other chest pain	
R07.4	Chest pain, unspecified	
R09.0	Asphyxia	
R09.1	Pleurisy	
R09.2	Respiratory arrest	
R09.3	Abnormal sputum	
R09.88	Other specified symptoms and signs involving the circulatory system	
R09.89	Other specified symptoms and signs involving the respiratory system	
R10.0	Acute abdomen	
R10.1	Pain localised to upper abdomen	
R10.2	Pelvic and perineal pain	
R10.2	Pelvic and perineal pain	
R10.3	Pain localised to other parts of lower abdomen	
R10.4	Other and unspecified abdominal pain	
R11	Nausea and vomiting	
R12	Heartburn	
R13	Dysphagia	
R14	Flatulence and related conditions	
R15	Faecal incontinence	Yes
R16.0	Hepatomegaly, not elsewhere classified	
R16.1	Splenomegaly, not elsewhere classified	
R16.2	Hepatomegaly with splenomegaly, not elsewhere classified	
R17	Unspecified jaundice	
R18	Ascites	Yes
R19.0	Intra-abdominal and pelvic swelling, mass and lump	
R19.1	Abnormal bowel sounds	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R19.2	Visible peristalsis	
R19.3	Abdominal rigidity	
R19.4	Change in bowel habit	
R19.5	Other faecal abnormalities	
R19.6	Halitosis	
R19.8	Other specified symptoms and signs involving the digestive system and abdomen	
R20.0	Anaesthesia of skin	
R20.1	Hypoesthesia of skin	
R20.2	Paraesthesia of skin	
R20.3	Hyperaesthesia	
R20.8	Other and unspecified disturbances of skin sensation	
R21	Rash and other nonspecific skin eruption	
R22.0	Localised swelling, mass and lump, head	
R22.1	Localised swelling, mass and lump, neck	
R22.2	Localised swelling, mass and lump, trunk	
R22.3	Localised swelling, mass and lump, upper limb	
R22.4	Localised swelling, mass and lump, lower limb	
R22.7	Localised swelling, mass and lump, multiple sites	
R22.9	Localised swelling, mass and lump, unspecified	
R23.0	Cyanosis	
R23.1	Pallor	
R23.2	Flushing	
R23.3	Spontaneous ecchymoses	
R23.4	Changes in skin texture	
R23.8	Other and unspecified skin changes	
R25.0	Abnormal head movements	
R25.1	Tremor, unspecified	
R25.2	Cramp and spasm	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R25.3	Fasciculation	
R25.8	Other and unspecified abnormal involuntary movements	
R26.0	Ataxic gait	
R26.1	Paralytic gait	
R26.2	Difficulty in walking, not elsewhere classified	
R26.3	Immobility	
R26.8	Other and unspecified abnormalities of gait and mobility	
R27.0	Ataxia, unspecified	
R27.8	Other and unspecified lack of coordination	
R29.0	Tetany	
R29.1	Meningismus	
R29.2	Abnormal reflex	
R29.3	Abnormal posture	
R29.4	Clicking hip	
R29.5	Neurologic neglect	
R29.6	Tendency to fall, not elsewhere classified	
R29.88	Other and unspecified symptoms and signs involving the nervous system	
R29.89	Other and unspecified symptoms and signs involving the musculoskeletal system	
R30.0	Dysuria	
R30.1	Vesical tenesmus	
R30.9	Painful micturition, unspecified	
R31	Unspecified haematuria	
R32	Unspecified urinary incontinence	Yes
R33	Retention of urine	
R34	Anuria and oliguria	
R35	Polyuria	
R36	Urethral discharge	
R39.0	Extravasation of urine	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R39.1	Other difficulties with micturition	
R39.2	Extrarenal uraemia	
R39.8	Other and unspecified symptoms and signs involving the urinary system	
R40.0	Somnolence	
R40.1	Stupor	
R40.2	Coma, unspecified	Yes
R41.0	Disorientation, unspecified	
R41.1	Anterograde amnesia	
R41.2	Retrograde amnesia	
R41.3	Other amnesia	
R41.8	Other and unspecified symptoms and signs involving cognitive functions and awareness	
R42	Dizziness and giddiness	
R43.0	Anosmia	
R43.1	Parosmia	
R43.2	Parageusia	
R43.8	Other and unspecified disturbances of smell and taste	
R44.0	Auditory hallucinations	
R44.1	Visual hallucinations	
R44.2	Other hallucinations	
R44.3	Hallucinations, unspecified	
R44.8	Other and unspecified symptoms and signs involving general sensations and perceptions	
R45.0	Nervousness	
R45.1	Restlessness and agitation	
R45.2	Unhappiness	
R45.3	Demoralisation and apathy	
R45.4	Irritability and anger	
R45.5	Hostility	
R45.6	Physical violence	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R45.7	State of emotional shock and stress, unspecified	
R45.81	Suicidal ideation	
R45.89	Other symptoms and signs involving emotional state	
R46.0	Very low level of personal hygiene	
R46.1	Bizarre personal appearance	
R46.2	Strange and inexplicable behaviour	
R46.3	Overactivity	
R46.4	Slowness and poor responsiveness	
R46.5	Suspiciousness and marked evasiveness	
R46.6	Undue concern and preoccupation with stressful events	
R46.7	Verbosity and circumstantial detail obscuring reason for contact	
R46.8	Other symptoms and signs involving appearance and behaviour	
R47.0	Dysphasia and aphasia	
R47.1	Dysarthria and anarthria	
R47.8	Other and unspecified speech disturbances	
R48.0	Dyslexia and alexia	
R48.1	Agnosia	
R48.2	Apraxia	
R48.8	Other and unspecified symbolic dysfunctions	
R49.0	Dysphonias	
R49.1	Aphonia	
R49.2	Hypernasality and hyponasality	
R49.8	Other and unspecified voice disturbances	
R50.2	Drug-induced fever	
R50.8	Other specified fever	
R50.9	Fever, unspecified	
R51	Headache	
R52.0	Acute pain	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R52.1	Chronic intractable pain	
R52.2	Other chronic pain	
R52.9	Pain, unspecified	
R53	Malaise and fatigue	
R54	Senility	
R55	Syncope and collapse	
R56.0	Febrile convulsions	Yes
R56.8	Other and unspecified convulsions	Yes
R57.0	Cardiogenic shock	Yes
R57.1	Hypovolaemic shock	Yes
R57.2	Septic shock	Yes
R57.8	Other shock	Yes
R57.9	Shock, unspecified	Yes
R58	Haemorrhage, not elsewhere classified	
R59.0	Localised enlarged lymph nodes	
R59.1	Generalised enlarged lymph nodes	
R59.9	Enlarged lymph nodes, unspecified	
R60.0	Localised oedema	
R60.1	Generalised oedema	
R60.9	Oedema, unspecified	
R61.0	Localised hyperhidrosis	
R61.1	Generalised hyperhidrosis	
R61.9	Hyperhidrosis, unspecified	
R62.0	Delayed milestone	
R62.8	Other lack of expected normal physiological development	
R62.9	Lack of expected normal physiological development, unspecified	
R63.0	Anorexia	
R63.1	Polydipsia	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R63.2	Polyphagia	
R63.3	Feeding difficulties and mismanagement	
R63.4	Abnormal weight loss	
R63.5	Abnormal weight gain	
R63.6	Insufficient intake of food and water due to self neglect	
R63.8	Other symptoms and signs concerning food and fluid intake	
R64	Cachexia	
R65.0	Systemic inflammatory response syndrome [SIRS] of infectious origin without acute organ failure	Yes
R65.1	Systemic inflammatory response syndrome [SIRS] of infectious origin with acute organ failure	Yes
R65.2	Systemic inflammatory response syndrome [SIRS] of noninfectious origin without acute organ failure	Yes
R65.3	Systemic inflammatory response syndrome [SIRS] of noninfectious origin with acute organ failure	Yes
R68.0	Hypothermia, not associated with low environmental temperature	
R68.1	Nonspecific symptoms peculiar to infancy	
R68.2	Dry mouth, unspecified	
R68.3	Clubbing of fingers	
R68.8	Other specified general symptoms and signs	
R69	Unknown and unspecified causes of morbidity	
R70.0	Elevated erythrocyte sedimentation rate	
R70.1	Abnormal plasma viscosity	
R71	Abnormality of red blood cells	
R72	Abnormality of white blood cells, not elsewhere classified	
R73	Elevated blood glucose level	
R74.0	Elevation of levels of transaminase and lactic acid dehydrogenase [LDH]	
R74.8	Abnormal levels of other serum enzymes	
R74.9	Abnormal level of unspecified serum enzyme	
R75	Laboratory evidence of human immunodeficiency virus [HIV]	
R76.0	Raised antibody titre	
R76.1	Abnormal reaction to tuberculin test	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R76.2	False-positive serological test for syphilis	
R76.8	Other specified abnormal immunological findings in serum	
R76.9	Abnormal immunological finding in serum, unspecified	
R77.0	Abnormality of albumin	
R77.1	Abnormality of globulin	
R77.2	Abnormality of alpha-fetoprotein	
R77.8	Other specified abnormalities of plasma proteins	
R77.9	Abnormality of plasma protein, unspecified	
R78.0	Finding of alcohol in blood	
R78.1	Finding of opiate drug in blood	
R78.2	Finding of cocaine in blood	
R78.3	Finding of hallucinogen in blood	
R78.4	Finding of other drugs of addictive potential in blood	
R78.5	Finding of psychotropic drug in blood	
R78.6	Finding of steroid agent in blood	
R78.7	Finding of abnormal level of heavy metals in blood	
R78.8	Finding of other specified substances, not normally found in blood	
R78.9	Finding of unspecified substance, not normally found in blood	
R79.0	Abnormal level of blood mineral	
R79.8	Other specified abnormal findings of blood chemistry	
R79.9	Abnormal finding of blood chemistry, unspecified	
R80	Isolated proteinuria	
R81	Glycosuria	
R82.0	Chyluria	
R82.1	Myoglobinuria	
R82.2	Bilirubia	
R82.3	Haemoglobinuria	
R82.4	Acetonuria	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R82.5	Elevated urine levels of drugs, medicaments and biological substances	
R82.6	Abnormal urine levels of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R82.7	Abnormal findings on microbiological examination of urine	
R82.8	Abnormal findings on cytological and histological examination of urine	
R82.9	Other and unspecified abnormal findings in urine	
R83.0	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal level of enzymes	
R83.1	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal level of hormones	
R83.2	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal level of other drugs, medicaments and biological substances	
R83.3	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal level of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R83.4	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal immunological findings	
R83.5	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal microbiological findings	
R83.6	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal cytological findings	
R83.7	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, abnormal histological findings	
R83.8	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, other abnormal findings	
R83.9	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid, unspecified abnormal finding	
R84.0	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal level of enzymes	
R84.1	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal level of hormones	
R84.2	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal level of other drugs, medicaments and biological substances	
R84.3	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal level of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R84.4	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal immunological findings	
R84.5	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal microbiological findings	
R84.6	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal cytological findings	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R84.7	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, abnormal histological findings	
R84.8	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, other abnormal findings	
R84.9	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax, unspecified abnormal finding	
R85.0	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal level of enzymes	
R85.1	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal level of hormones	
R85.2	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal level of other drugs, medicaments and biological substances	
R85.3	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal level of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R85.4	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal immunological findings	
R85.5	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal microbiological findings	
R85.6	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal cytological findings	
R85.7	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, abnormal histological findings	
R85.8	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, other abnormal findings	
R85.9	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity, unspecified abnormal finding	
R86.0	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal level of enzymes	
R86.1	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal level of hormones	
R86.2	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal level of other drugs, medicaments and biological substances	

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R86.3	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal level of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R86.4	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal immunological findings	
R86.5	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal microbiological findings	
R86.6	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal cytological findings	
R86.7	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, abnormal histological findings	
R86.8	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, other abnormal findings	
R86.9	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs, unspecified abnormal finding	
R87.0	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal level of enzymes	
R87.1	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal level of hormones	
R87.2	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal level of other drugs, medicaments and biological substances	
R87.3	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal level of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R87.4	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal immunological findings	
R87.5	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal microbiological findings	
R87.6	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal cytological findings	
R87.7	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, abnormal histological findings	
R87.8	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, other abnormal findings	
R87.9	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs, unspecified abnormal finding	
R89.0	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal level of enzymes	
R89.1	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal level of hormones	
R89.2	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal level of other drugs, medicaments and biological substances	
R89.3	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal level of substances chiefly nonmedicinal as to source	
R89.4	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal immunological findings	
R89.5	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal microbiological findings	

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R89.6	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal cytological findings	
R89.7	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, abnormal histological findings	
R89.8	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, other abnormal findings	
R89.9	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, unspecified abnormal finding	
R90.0	Intracranial space-occupying lesion	
R90.8	Other abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of central nervous system	
R91	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of lung	
R92	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of breast	
R93.0	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of skull and head, not elsewhere classified	
R93.1	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of heart and coronary circulation	
R93.2	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of liver and biliary tract	
R93.3	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of other parts of digestive tract	
R93.4	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of urinary organs	
R93.5	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of other abdominal regions, including retroperitoneum	
R93.6	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of limbs	
R93.7	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of other parts of musculoskeletal system	
R93.8	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of other specified body structures	
R94.0	Abnormal results of function studies of central nervous system	
R94.1	Abnormal results of function studies of peripheral nervous system and special senses	
R94.2	Abnormal results of pulmonary function studies	
R94.3	Abnormal results of cardiovascular function studies	
R94.4	Abnormal results of kidney function studies	
R94.5	Abnormal results of liver function studies	
R94.6	Abnormal results of thyroid function studies	
R94.7	Abnormal results of other endocrine function studies	
R94.8	Abnormal results of function studies of other organs and systems	Yes
R95.0	Sudden infant death syndrome with mention of autopsy	Yes
R95.9	Sudden infant death syndrome without mention of autopsy	Yes

Code	Description	DCL in-scope
R96.0	Instantaneous death	
R96.1	Death occurring less than 24 hours from onset of symptoms, not otherwise explained	
R98	Unattended death	
R99	Other ill-defined and unspecified causes of mortality	