Postpartum complication - ICD-9-CM code

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000131 Version number: 1

Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT

Registration NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED

Authority: Effective date: 30-JUN-99

Definition: Medical and obstetric complications of the mother occurring during

the postnatal period up to the time of separation from care.

Context: Perinatal statistics: complications of the puerperal period may cause

maternal morbidity, and occasionally death, and may be an

important factor in prolonging the duration of hospitalisation after

childbirth.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric

Representational CODE

form:

Representation NNNNN

layout:

Minimum Size: 5 Maximum Size: 5

Data Domain: NOVAL ICD-9-CM

Guide For Use: There is no arbitrary limit on the number of conditions specified.

Postpartum complications should be coded within the Pregnancy,

Childbirth, Puerperium chapter of Volume 1, ICD-9-CM.

Although this data element has been superseded by Postpartum complication - ICD-10-AM, Version 2, it remains an acceptable interim standard (until 30 June 1999) for use by those States and Territories that will not be implementing ICD-10-AM on 1 July

1998.

Related metadata: is used in conjunction with Complication of labour and delivery -

ICD-9-CM code version 1

has been superseded by Postpartum complication version 2

Administrative Attributes

Source Document: Australian Version of the International Classification of Diseases,

9th Revision, Clinical Modification, published by the National

Centre for Classification in Health (1996) Sydney.

Source Organisation: National Perinatal Data Advisory Committee

Comments: Examples of such conditions include postpartum haemorrhage,

retained placenta, puerperal infections, puerperal psychosis, essential hypertension, psychiatric disorders, diabetes mellitus,

epilepsy, cardiac disease and chronic renal disease.

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Physical wellbeing

Data Agreements which include this Data Element