Additional procedures - ICD-9-CM code

Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000006   Version number: 3

Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT

Registration Authority: NHIMG   Admin status: SUPERSEDED

Effective date: 30-JUN-99

Definition: All additional procedures undertaken during an episode of care. A procedure is one that:
- is surgical in nature;
- carries a procedural risk;
- carries an anaesthetic risk;
- requires specialised training; or
- requires special facilities or equipment only available in an acute care setting.

Context: Institutional health care: this item gives an indication of the extent to which specialised resources, for example, human resources, theatres and equipment, are used. It also provides an estimate of the numbers of major surgical operations performed and the extent to which particular procedures are used to resolve medical problems.
It is required for classification of acute patients into Australian National Diagnosis Related Groups.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric

Representational form: CODE

Representation layout: NN.NN

Minimum Size: 5

Maximum Size: 5

Data Domain: NOVAL   ICD-9-CM

Guide For Use: Record all additional procedures undertaken during the episode of care.

An Australian edition of ICD-9-CM was published by the

National Coding Centre (now known as National Centre for Classification in Health) in early 1995 and implemented in July 1995.

Although this data element has been superseded by Additional Procedures - ICD-10-AM code, it remains an acceptable interim standard (until 30 June 1999) for use by those States and Territories that will not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. However, when ICD-9-CM-codes are used they should be used for all data elements requiring ICD coding.

Verification Rules: Valid format is left justified, blank filled and in ICD-9-CM to the lowest level with no decimal places.

Collection Methods: Record all additional procedures undertaken during the episode of care.

Related metadata: supplements the data element Principal procedure - ICD-9-CM code version 3
supersedes previous data element Additional procedures version 2
is used in the derivation of Diagnosis related group version 1
has been superseded by Procedure version 5

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 Centre for Classification in Health

Comments: .

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM   Service provision event

Data Agreements which include this Data Element