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Expert for Physicians VOLUMES

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3. Endocrine, Nutritional and Metabolic Diseases, and Immunity Disorders(240-279)

EXCLUDES endocrine and metabolic disturbances specific to the fetus and newborn (775.0-775.9)

NOTE All neoplasms, whether functionally active or not, are classified in Chapter 2. Codes in Chapter 3 (i.e., 242.8, 246.0, 251-253, 255-259) may be used to identify such functional activity associated with any neoplasm, or by ectopic endocrine tissue.

Disorders of Thyroid Gland (240-246)

✓4th **240 Simple and unspecified goiter**

DEF: An enlarged thyroid gland often caused by an inadequate dietary intake of iodine.

240.0 Goiter, specified as simple

Any condition classifiable to 240.9, specified as simple

240.9 Goiter, unspecified

Enlargement of thyroid
Goiter or struma:
NOS
diffuse colloid
endemic
hyperplastic
nontoxic (diffuse)
parenchymatous
sporadic

EXCLUDES congenital (dys hormonogenic) goiter (246.1)

✓4th **241 Nontoxic nodular goiter**

EXCLUDES adenoma of thyroid (226)
cystadenoma of thyroid (226)

241.0 Nontoxic uninodular goiter

Thyroid nodule
Uninodular goiter (nontoxic)
DEF: Enlarged thyroid, commonly due to decreased thyroid production, with single nodule; no clinical hypothyroidism.
E04.1 Nontoxic single thyroid nodule

241.1 Nontoxic multinodular goiter

Multinodular goiter (nontoxic)
DEF: Enlarged thyroid, commonly due to decreased thyroid production with multiple nodules; no clinical hypothyroidism.

241.9 Unspecified nontoxic nodular goiter

Adenomatous goiter
Nodular goiter (nontoxic) NOS
Struma nodosa (simplex)

✓4th **242 Thyrotoxicosis with or without goiter**

EXCLUDES neonatal thyrotoxicosis (775.3)
DEF: A condition caused by excess quantities of thyroid hormones being introduced into the tissues

The following fifth-digit subclassification is for use with categories 242:
0 without mention of thyrotoxic crisis or storm
1 with mention of thyrotoxic crisis or storm

§ ✓5th **242.0 Toxic diffuse goiter**

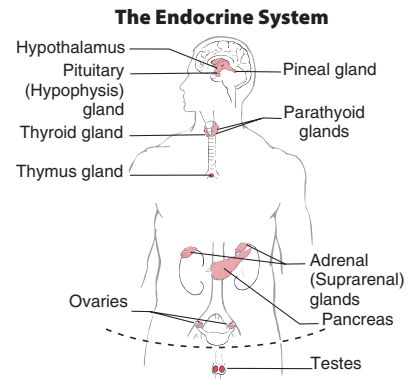
[0-1] Basedow's disease
Exophthalmic or toxic goiter NOS
Graves' disease
Primary thyroid hyperplasia
DEF: Diffuse thyroid enlargement accompanied by hyperthyroidism, bulging eyes, and dermopathy.

§ ✓5th **242.1 Toxic uninodular goiter**

[0-1] Thyroid nodule
Uninodular goiter } toxic or with hyperthyroidism
DEF: Symptomatic hyperthyroidism with a single nodule on the enlarged thyroid gland. Abrupt onset of symptoms; including extreme nervousness, insomnia, weight loss, tremors, and psychosis or coma.

§ ✓5th **242.2 Toxic multinodular goiter**

[0-1] Secondary thyroid hyperplasia
DEF: Symptomatic hyperthyroidism with multiple nodules on the enlarged thyroid gland. Abrupt onset of symptoms; including extreme nervousness, insomnia, weight loss, tremors, and psychosis or coma.



§ ✓5th **242.3 Toxic nodular goiter, unspecified**

[0-1] Adenomatous goiter
Nodular goiter
Struma nodosa } toxic or with hyperthyroidism
Any condition classifiable to 241.9 specified as toxic or with hyperthyroidism

§ ✓5th **242.4 Thyrotoxicosis from ectopic thyroid nodule**

[0-1]

§ ✓5th **242.8 Thyrotoxicosis of other specified origin**

[0-1] Overproduction of thyroid-stimulating hormone [TSH]
Thyrotoxicosis:
factitia from ingestion of excessive thyroid material
Use additional E code to identify cause, if drug-induced

§ ✓5th **242.9 Thyrotoxicosis without mention of goiter or other cause**

[0-1] Hyperthyroidism NOS
Thyrotoxicosis NOS
E05.90 Thyrotoxicosis uns w/o thyrotoxic crisis or storm

243 Congenital hypothyroidism

Congenital thyroid insufficiency
Cretinism (athyrotic) (endemic)
Use additional code to identify associated mental retardation
EXCLUDES congenital (dys hormonogenic) goiter (246.1)
DEF: Underproduction of thyroid hormone present from birth.

✓4th **244 Acquired hypothyroidism**

(INCLUDES) athyroidism (acquired)
hypothyroidism (acquired)
myxedema (adult) (juvenile)
thyroid (gland) insufficiency (acquired)

244.0 Postsurgical hypothyroidism

DEF: Underproduction of thyroid hormone due to surgical removal of all or part of the thyroid gland.
E89.0 Postprocedural hypothyroidism

244.1 Other postablative hypothyroidism

Hypothyroidism following therapy, such as irradiation

244.2 Iodine hypothyroidism

Hypothyroidism resulting from administration or ingestion of iodide
Use additional E code to identify drug

244.3 Other iatrogenic hypothyroidism

Hypothyroidism resulting from:
P-aminosalicylic acid [PAS]
Phenylbutazone
Resorcinol
Iatrogenic hypothyroidism NOS
Use additional E code to identify drug

244.8 Other specified acquired hypothyroidism

Secondary hypothyroidism NEC
AHA: J-A, '85, 9

244.9 Unspecified hypothyroidism

Hypothyroidism
Myxedema } primary or NOS
AHA: 3Q, '99, 19; 4Q, '96, 29
E03.9 Hypothyroidism unspecified

7. Diseases of the Circulatory System (390-459)

✓4th 424 Other diseases of endocardium

EXCLUDES bacterial endocarditis (421.0-421.9)
rheumatic endocarditis (391.1, 394.0-397.9)
syphilitic endocarditis (093.20-093.24)

424.0 Mitral valve disorders

Mitral (valve):
incompetence } NOS of specified cause,
insufficiency } except rheumatic
regurgitation }

EXCLUDES mitral (valve):
disease (394.9)
failure (394.9)
stenosis (394.0)
the listed conditions:
specified as rheumatic (394.1)
unspecified as to cause but with mention of:
diseases of aortic valve (396.0-396.9)
mitral stenosis or obstruction (394.2)

AHA: 3Q, '06, 7; 2Q, '00, 16; 3Q, '98, 11; N-D, '87, 8; N-D, '84, 8
I34.8 Other nonrheumatic mitral valve disorders

I-10

424.1 Aortic valve disorders

Aortic (valve):
incompetence } NOS of specified cause,
insufficiency } except rheumatic
regurgitation }
stenosis }

EXCLUDES hypertrophic subaortic stenosis (425.1)
that specified as rheumatic (395.0-395.9)
that of unspecified cause but with mention of diseases
of mitral valve (396.0-396.9)

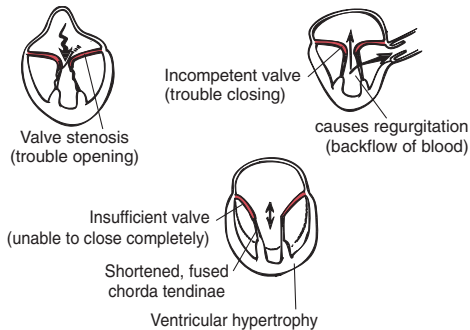
AHA: 4Q, '08, 179; 4Q, '88, 8; N-D, '87, 8

424.2 Tricuspid valve disorders, specified as nonrheumatic

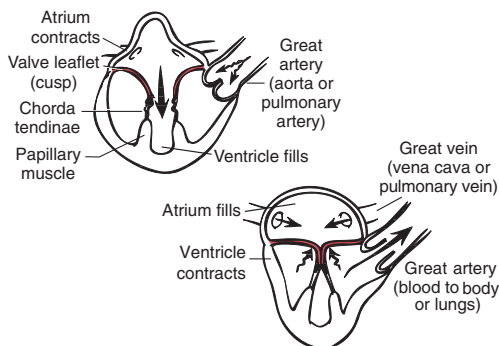
Tricuspid valve:
incompetence } of specified cause, except
insufficiency } rheumatic
regurgitation }
stenosis }

EXCLUDES rheumatic or of unspecified cause (397.0)

Heart Valve Disorders



Normal Heart Valve Function



424.3 Pulmonary valve disorders

Pulmonic: incompetence NOS regurgitation NOS
insufficiency NOS stenosis NOS

EXCLUDES that specified as rheumatic (397.1)

✓5th 424.9 Endocarditis, valve unspecified

424.90 Endocarditis, valve unspecified, unspecified cause

Endocarditis (chronic):
NOS
nonbacterial thrombotic
Valvular:
incompetence } of unspecified valve,
insufficiency } unspecified cause
regurgitation }
stenosis }

Valvulitis (chronic)

I38 Endocarditis valve unspecified

I-10

424.91 Endocarditis in diseases classified elsewhere

Code first underlying disease as:
atypical verrucous endocarditis [Libman-Sacks] (710.0)
disseminated lupus erythematosus (710.0)
tuberculosis (017.9)

EXCLUDES syphilitic (093.20-093.24)

424.99 Other

Any condition classifiable to 424.90 with specified cause, except rheumatic

EXCLUDES endocardial fibroelastosis (425.3)
that specified as rheumatic (397.9)

✓4th 425 Cardiomyopathy

INCLUDES myocardopathy

AHA: J-A, '85, 15

425.0 Endomyocardial fibrosis

425.1 Hypertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy

Hypertrophic subaortic stenosis (idiopathic)

DEF: Cardiomyopathy marked by left ventricle hypertrophy, enlarged septum; results in obstructed blood flow.

425.2 Obscure cardiomyopathy of Africa

Becker's disease
Idiopathic mural endomyocardial disease

425.3 Endocardial fibroelastosis

Elastomyofibrosis
DEF: A condition marked by left ventricle hypertrophy and conversion of the endocardium into a thick fibroelastic coat; capacity of the ventricle may be reduced, but is often increased.

425.4 Other primary cardiomyopathies

Cardiomyopathy: Cardiomyopathy:
NOS idiopathic
congestive nonobstructive
constrictive obstructive
familial restrictive
hypertrophic Cardiovascular collagenosis

AHA: ▶ 4Q, '09, 141; ◀ 1Q, '07, 20; 2Q, '05, 14; 1Q, '00, 22; 4Q, '97, 55; 2Q, '90, 19

TIP: For congestive cardiomyopathy, assign first a code for the CHF (category 428) if the treatment is directed toward the CHF.

I42.8 Other cardiomyopathies

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425.5 Alcoholic cardiomyopathy

DEF: Heart disease as result of excess alcohol consumption.

AHA: S-O, '85, 15

425.7 Nutritional and metabolic cardiomyopathy

Code first underlying disease, as:
amyloidosis (277.30-277.39)
beriberi (265.0)
cardiac glycogenosis (271.0)
mucopolysaccharidosis (277.5)
thyrotoxicosis (242.0-242.9)

EXCLUDES gouty tophi of heart (274.82)

425.8 Cardiomyopathy in other diseases classified elsewhere

Code first underlying disease, as:
 Friedrich's ataxia (334.0)
 myotonia atrophica (359.21)
 progressive muscular dystrophy (359.1)
 sarcoidosis (135)

EXCLUDES cardiomyopathy in Chagas' disease (086.0)

AHA: 2Q, '93, 9

I43 Cardiomyopathy in diseases classified elsewhere

425.9 Secondary cardiomyopathy, unspecified

426 Conduction disorders

DEF: Disruption or disturbance in the electrical impulses that regulate heartbeats.

426.0 Atrioventricular block, complete

Third degree atrioventricular block

AHA: 2Q, '06, 14

TIP: Assign if documentation indicates intermittent complete heart block.

426.1 Atrioventricular block, other and unspecified

AHA: 2Q, '06, 14

TIP: Assign separate codes for each type of AV block documented.

426.10 Atrioventricular block, unspecified

Atrioventricular [AV] block (incomplete) (partial)

426.11 First degree atrioventricular block

Incomplete atrioventricular block, first degree

Prolonged P-R interval NOS

AHA: 2Q, '06, 14

I44.0 Atrioventricular block first degree

426.12 Mobitz (type) II atrioventricular block

Incomplete atrioventricular block:

Mobitz (type) II

second degree, Mobitz (type) II

DEF: Impaired conduction of excitatory impulse from cardiac atrium to ventricle through AV node.

AHA: 2Q, '06, 14

426.13 Other second degree atrioventricular block

Incomplete atrioventricular block:

Mobitz (type) I [Wenckebach's]

second degree:

NOS

Mobitz (type) I

with 2:1 atrioventricular response [block]

Wenckebach's phenomenon

DEF: Wenckebach's phenomenon: impulses generated at constant rate to sinus node, P-R interval lengthens; results in cycle of ventricular inadequacy and shortened P-R interval; second-degree A-V block commonly called "Mobitz type 1."

426.2 Left bundle branch hemiblock

Block: Block:

left anterior fascicular left posterior fascicular

426.3 Other left bundle branch block

Left bundle branch block:

NOS

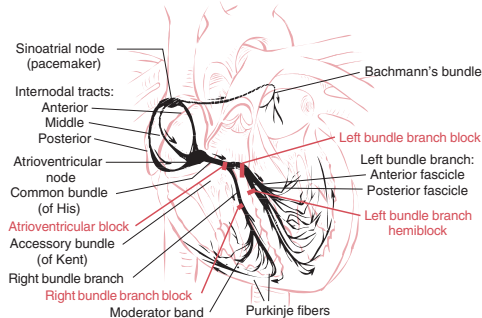
anterior fascicular with posterior fascicular

complete

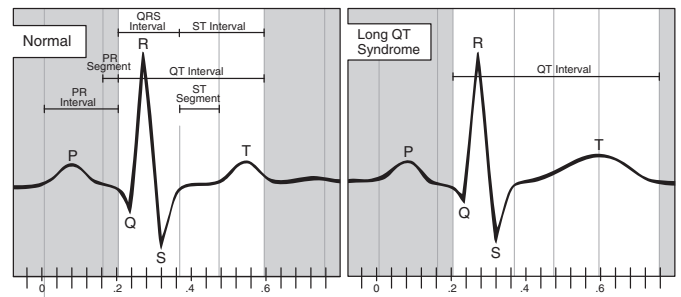
main stem

I44.7 Left bundle-branch block unspecified

Nerve Conduction of the Heart



Normal and Long QT Electrocardiogram



426.4 Right bundle branch block

AHA: 3Q, '00, 3

I45.10 Unspecified right bundle-branch block

426.5 Bundle branch block, other and unspecified

426.50 Bundle branch block, unspecified

426.51 Right bundle branch block and left posterior fascicular block

426.52 Right bundle branch block and left anterior fascicular block

426.53 Other bilateral bundle branch block

Bifascicular block NOS

Bilateral bundle branch block NOS

Right bundle branch with left bundle branch block (incomplete) (main stem)

426.54 Trifascicular block

426.6 Other heart block

Intraventricular block

NOS

diffuse

myofibrillar

Sinoatrial block

Sinoauricular block

426.7 Anomalous atrioventricular excitation

Atrioventricular conduction:

accelerated

accessory

pre-excitation

Ventricular pre-excitation

Wolff-Parkinson-White syndrome

DEF: Wolff-Parkinson-White: normal conduction pathway is bypassed; results in short P-R interval on EKG; tendency to supraventricular tachycardia.

426.8 Other specified conduction disorders

426.81 Lown-Ganong-Levine syndrome

Syndrome of short P-R interval, normal QRS complexes, and supraventricular tachycardias

426.82 Long QT syndrome

DEF: Condition characterized by recurrent syncope, malignant arrhythmias, and sudden death; characteristic prolonged Q-T interval on electrocardiogram.

AHA: 4Q, '05, 72

426.89 Other

Dissociation:

atrioventricular [AV]

interference

isorhythmic

Nonparoxysmal AV nodal tachycardia

426.9 Conduction disorder, unspecified

Heart block NOS

Stokes-Adams syndrome