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# Medtronic Structural Heart ICD-10 Coding for Physicians



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# Implementation Background



# Effective Date



A calendar for October 2015. The days of the week are listed at the top: Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat. The dates are arranged in a grid. The number 1 is circled in red, indicating the start of the month. The calendar shows that October 1, 2015, is a Thursday.

October 2015						
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

- ICD-10 went into effect *October 1, 2015*.
- Use of ICD-10 in the United States was formally proposed in August 2008 and finalized in January 2009.
- Implementation of ICD-10 was initially scheduled for October 2013 and has been postponed twice since then.
- ICD-10 is effective by date of discharge, not by date of admission.
- ICD-10-CM for diagnosis codes and ICD-10-PCS for procedure codes go into effect together on the same date.

# Who Uses What

- Physicians, hospitals and all other providers must use ICD-10 *diagnosis* codes.
- Hospitals must also use ICD-10-PCS *procedure* codes for inpatient cases.
- Implementation of ICD-10 does not affect use of CPT.

Provider	Setting	Diagnoses	Procedures
Physicians	Facility/Office	ICD-10-CM	CPT
Hospitals	Outpatient	ICD-10-CM	CPT
ASCs	Outpatient	ICD-10-CM	CPT
Hospitals	Inpatient	ICD-10-CM	ICD-10-PCS

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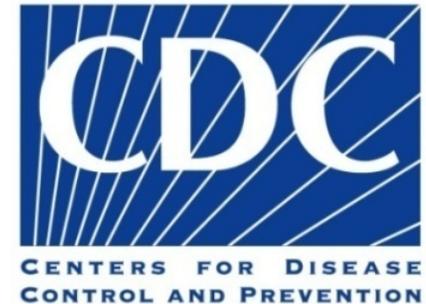
# ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Codes



# Need an ICD-10-CM Codebook?

ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes are administered by the Centers for Disease Control.

Physician offices can download a copy of the entire ICD-10-CM codebook from the CDC website:

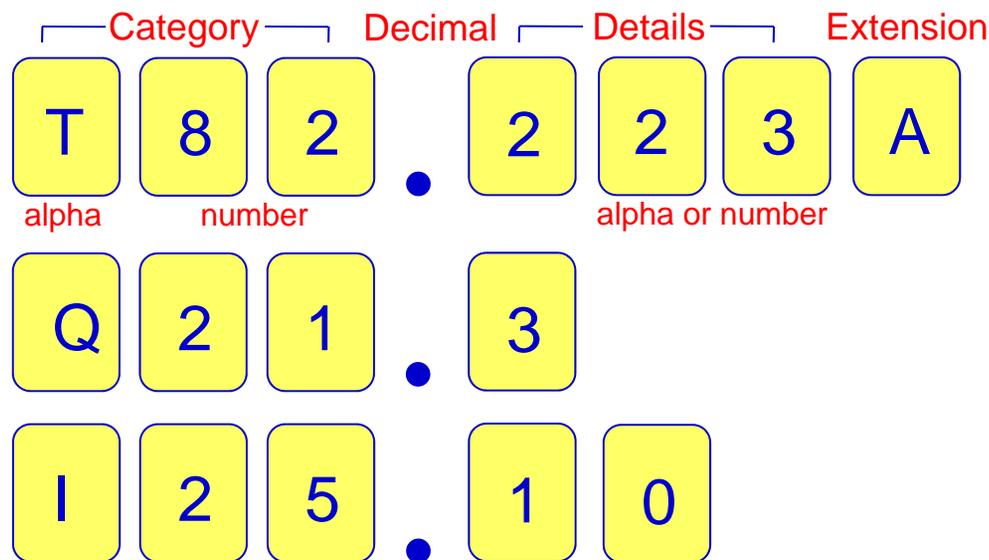


<http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10cm.htm#icd2105>

- This version is official, complete, current, and free.
- Offices will need at least the Tabular and the Index.
- The Tabular is the running list of diagnosis codes with their descriptions and instructions for use.
- The codes are updated once a year on October 1.

# Diagnosis Code Structure

- Codes are organized by chapter, mostly by body system. The chapters are virtually identical to those in ICD-9-CM.
- Codes are alpha-numeric and can be 3 to 7 digits long.



T82.223A

Leakage of biological heart valve graft, initial encounter

Q21.3

Tetralogy of Fallot

I25.10

Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris

# Volume of Diagnosis Codes

ICD-10-CM has far more diagnosis codes than ICD-9-CM and provides a greater level of specificity.

<b>ICD-9-CM</b>
14,567 codes
<b>ICD-10-CM</b>
69,823 codes

- Most physicians will use a small subset of the total codes.
- Physicians do not use external cause codes.
- Many of the additional codes are due to laterality.
- Specialty societies have been very active in requesting new diagnosis codes with additional clinical detail.
- There are still ‘unspecified’ codes.

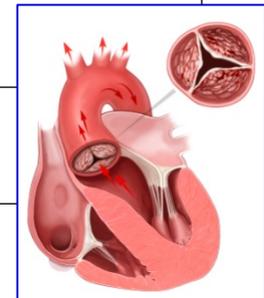
*Much of the additional specificity captured by ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes is already documented by physicians.*

# Greater Specificity

Many conditions that use the same code in ICD-9-CM are differentiated in ICD-10-CM and have separate codes.

*Example: Non-rheumatic aortic valve disorders*

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
424.1	Aortic valve disorders	I35.0	Non-rheumatic aortic (valve) stenosis
		I35.1	Non-rheumatic aortic (valve) insufficiency (regurgitation)
		I35.2	Non-rheumatic aortic (valve) stenosis with insufficiency
		I35.8	Other non-rheumatic aortic valve disorders
		I35.9	Non-rheumatic aortic valve disorder, unspecified



# ICD-10 Coding Guidelines

Guidelines for use of ICD-10-CM are offered by multiple sources, but two sources are mandatory:



- ① Instructions within the ICD-10 codebook itself
- ② *The ICD-10 Official Guidelines for Coding and Reporting*
  - ▶ Use of these guidelines is mandated under HIPAA.
  - ▶ Physicians only need to use the diagnosis guidelines (there's a separate set of official guidelines for procedures).
  - ▶ The guidelines can be found at:  
<http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10cm.htm#icd2105>
  - ▶ Physicians will be most interested in Section IV: Diagnostic Coding.

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# Diagnosis Code Crosswalks

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# General Equivalence Mappings

CDC posts General Equivalence Mappings (GEMs) on its website. These are useful tools for going back-and-forth between ICD-9-CM codes and ICD-10 codes.

- The first GEM goes forward from ICD-9 to ICD-10.
- The second GEM goes backward from ICD-10 to ICD-9.
- Both GEMs are updated once a year.
- The GEMs can be found at:

<http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10cm.htm#icd2105>

*Although GEMs are useful, CDC and CMS strongly recommend using the ICD-10-CM codebook directly, as studies have consistently indicated that this is most accurate.*

4130	I208	10000
4131	I201	00000
4139	I208	10000
4139	I209	10000
41400	I2510	10000
41401	I2510	10000
41402	I25810	10000
41403	I25810	10000
41404	I25810	10000
41405	I25810	10000
41406	I25811	10000
41407	I25812	10000
41410	I253	10000
41411	I2541	00000
41412	I2542	00000
41419	I253	10000
4142	I2582	00000
4143	I2583	00000
4144	I2584	00000
4148	I255	10000
4148	I2589	10000
4148	I259	10000
4149	I259	10000

# Crosswalk: Valve Disorders

## Aortic Valve Disorders

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
424.1	Aortic valve disorders	I35.0	Non-rheumatic aortic (valve) stenosis
		I35.1	Non-rheumatic aortic (valve) insufficiency (regurgitation)
		I35.2	Non-rheumatic aortic (valve) stenosis with insufficiency
		I35.8	Other non-rheumatic aortic valve disorders
		I35.9	Non-rheumatic aortic valve disorder, unspecified
395.0	Rheumatic aortic stenosis	I06.0	Rheumatic aortic stenosis
395.1	Rheumatic aortic insufficiency	I06.1	Rheumatic aortic insufficiency
395.2	Rheumatic aortic stenosis with insufficiency	I06.2	Rheumatic aortic stenosis with insufficiency
395.9	Other and unspecified rheumatic aortic diseases	I06.8	Other rheumatic aortic valve diseases
		I06.9	Rheumatic aortic valve disease, unspecified
746.3	Congenital stenosis of aortic valve	Q23.0	Congenital stenosis of aortic valve (atresia)
746.4	Congenital insufficiency of aortic valve (bicuspid valve)	Q23.1	Congenital insufficiency of aortic valve (bicuspid valve)



- “Aortic valve stenosis” defaults to non-rheumatic. To assign I06.0, it must be specifically documented as “rheumatic”.
- Aortic valve disease with mitral or tricuspid valve involvement is coded as rheumatic (I08) whether documented as rheumatic or not.



# Crosswalk: Valve Disorders

## Mitral Valve Disorders

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
424.0	Mitral valve disorders (insufficiency, prolapse, regurgitation)	I34.0	Non-rheumatic mitral (valve) insufficiency (regurgitation)
		I34.1	Non-rheumatic mitral (valve) prolapse
		I34.2	Non-rheumatic mitral (valve) stenosis
		I34.8	Other non-rheumatic mitral valve disorders
		I34.9	Non-rheumatic mitral valve disorder, unspecified
394.0	Mitral stenosis	I05.0	Rheumatic mitral stenosis
394.1	Rheumatic mitral insufficiency	I05.1	Rheumatic mitral insufficiency (regurgitation)
394.2	Mitral stenosis with insufficiency	I05.2	Rheumatic mitral stenosis with insufficiency
394.9	Other and unspecified mitral valves diseases	I05.8	Other rheumatic mitral valve diseases
		I05.9	Rheumatic mitral valve disease, unspecified
746.5	Congenital mitral stenosis	Q23.2	Congenital mitral stenosis (atresia)
746.6	Congenital mitral insufficiency	Q23.3	Congenital mitral insufficiency



- “Mitral valve stenosis” defaults to rheumatic. To assign I34.2, it must be specifically documented as “non-rheumatic”.
- Mitral valve disease with aortic or tricuspid valve involvement is coded as rheumatic (I08) whether documented as rheumatic or not.



# Crosswalk: Valve Disorders

## Tricuspid Valve Disorders



ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
424.2	Tricuspid valve disorders, specified as non-rheumatic (insufficiency, stenosis, regurgitation)	I36.0	Non-rheumatic tricuspid (valve) stenosis
		I36.1	Non-rheumatic tricuspid (valve) insufficiency (regurgitation)
		I36.2	Non-rheumatic tricuspid (valve) stenosis with insufficiency
		I36.8	Other non-rheumatic tricuspid valve disorders
		I36.9	Non-rheumatic tricuspid valve disorder, unspecified
397.0	Diseases of tricuspid valve (insufficiency, stenosis, regurgitation)	I07.0	Rheumatic tricuspid stenosis
		I07.1	Rheumatic tricuspid insufficiency (regurgitation)
		I07.2	Rheumatic tricuspid stenosis with insufficiency
		I07.8	Other rheumatic tricuspid valve diseases
		I07.9	Rheumatic tricuspid valve disease, unspecified
746.1	Tricuspid atresia and stenosis, congenital	Q22.4	Congenital tricuspid stenosis (atresia)
—		Q22.8	Other congenital malformations of tricuspid valve
		Q22.9	Congenital malformation of tricuspid valve, unspecified



- Unspecified tricuspid valve disease defaults to rheumatic. To assign I36.0, it must be specifically documented as “non-rheumatic”. To assign Q22.-, it must be documented as congenital.
- Tricuspid valve disease with aortic or mitral valve involvement is coded as rheumatic (I08) whether documented as rheumatic or not.

# Crosswalk: Valve Disorders

## Pulmonary Valve Disorders

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
424.3	Pulmonary valve disorders (insufficiency, stenosis, regurgitation)	I37.0	Non-rheumatic pulmonary valve stenosis
		I37.1	Non-rheumatic pulmonary valve insufficiency (regurgitation)
		I37.2	Non-rheumatic pulmonary valve stenosis with insufficiency
		I37.8	Other non-rheumatic pulmonary valve disorders
		I37.9	Non-rheumatic pulmonary valve disorder, unspecified
397.1	Rheumatic diseases of pulmonary valve	I09.89	Other specified rheumatic heart diseases
746.00	Congenital pulmonary valve anomaly, unspecified	Q22.3	Other congenital malformations of pulmonary valve
746.01	Pulmonary valve atresia, congenital	Q22.0	Pulmonary valve atresia (congenital)
746.02	Pulmonary valve stenosis, congenital	Q22.1	Congenital pulmonary valve stenosis
746.09	Other congenital anomaly of pulmonary valve	Q22.2	Congenital pulmonary valve insufficiency
		Q22.3	Other congenital malformations of pulmonary valve



- Unspecified pulmonary valve disease defaults to non-rheumatic. To assign Q22.-, it must be documented as congenital.



# Crosswalk: Valve Disorders

## Combined Valve Disorders

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
396.0	Mitral valve stenosis and aortic valve stenosis	I08.0	Rheumatic disorders of both mitral and aortic valves
396.1	Mitral valve stenosis and aortic valve insufficiency (regurgitation)		
396.2	Mitral valve insufficiency and aortic valve stenosis		
396.3	Mitral valve insufficiency and aortic valve insufficiency		
396.8	Multiple involvement of mitral and aortic valves		
396.9	Mitral and aortic valve disease, unspecified		
	—	I08.1	Rheumatic disorders of both mitral and tricuspid valves
		I08.2	Rheumatic disorders of both aortic and tricuspid valves
		I08.3	Combined rheumatic disorders of mitral, aortic and tricuspid valves
		I08.8	Other rheumatic multiple valve diseases
		I08.9	Rheumatic multiple valve disease, unspecified



- Multiple valve disease is coded as rheumatic (I08) whether documented as rheumatic or not.

# Crosswalk: Other Congenital Anomalies

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
745.0	Common truncus	Q20.0	Common arterial trunk
745.10	Complete transposition of great vessels	Q20.3	Discordant ventriculoarterial connection
745.11	Double outlet right ventricle	Q20.1	Double outlet right ventricle
745.12	Corrected transposition of great vessels	Q20.5	Discordant atrioventricular connection
745.19	Other transposition of great vessels	Q20.2	Double outlet left ventricle
		Q20.8	Other congenital malformations of cardiac chambers and connections
745.2	Tetralogy of Fallot	Q21.3	Tetralogy of Fallot

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ICD-10 sometimes uses alternate or more current terminology but instructional notes include the older terms to identify the correct code.

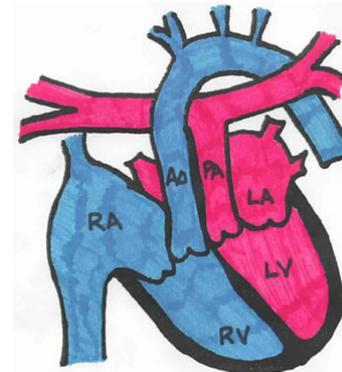


**Q20.3 Discordant ventriculoarterial connection**

Dextrotransposition of aorta  
Transposition of great vessels (complete)

**Q20.5 Discordant atrioventricular connection**

Corrected transposition  
Levotransposition  
Ventricular inversion



# Crosswalk: Angina and CAD

## Angina

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
411.1	Intermediate coronary syndrome (unstable angina)	I20.0	Unstable angina
413.0	Angina decubitus	I20.8	Other forms of angina
413.1	Prinzmetal angina	I20.1	Angina pectoris with documented spasm
413.9	Other and unspecified angina	I20.8	Other forms of angina (eg, angina of effort, "slow flow" syndrome)
		I20.9	Angina pectoris, unspecified

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I20 codes are *not* used if the patient also has coronary artery disease (CAD). There are combination codes for angina with CAD.

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The physician has to document that CAD is present, but does *not* need to document that the angina is due to CAD. A cause-and-effect relationship is assumed.

# Crosswalk: Angina and CAD

ICD-10-CM handles coronary artery disease (atherosclerosis) with angina differently from ICD-9-CM, although the same clinical distinctions are preserved.

## Coronary Artery Disease: ICD-9-CM

ICD-9-CM	
414.00	Coronary atherosclerosis of unspecified type of vessel, native or graft
414.01	Coronary atherosclerosis of native coronary artery
414.02	Coronary atherosclerosis of autologous vein bypass graft
414.03	Coronary atherosclerosis of nonautologous vein bypass graft
414.04	Coronary atherosclerosis of artery bypass graft
414.05	Coronary atherosclerosis of unspecified type of bypass graft
414.06	Coronary atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart
414.07	Coronary atherosclerosis of bypass graft (artery)(vein) of transplanted heart

## Coronary Artery Disease: ICD-10-CM



- Does the patient also have angina?
- What kind of vessel has coronary atherosclerosis?
- What kind of angina?

# Crosswalk: Angina and CAD

## Coronary Artery Disease: Without Angina

ICD-10-CM	
→ I25.10	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris ←
I25.810	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s) without angina pectoris
I25.811	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart without angina pectoris
I25.812	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart without angina pectoris

## Coronary Artery Disease: With Angina

- Atherosclerotic heart disease of *native* coronary artery with angina

ICD-10-CM	
I25.110	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with unstable angina pectoris
I25.111	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.118	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with other forms of angina pectoris
→ I25.119	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with unspecified angina pectoris ←

- Atherosclerosis of *coronary artery bypass graft(s)*, unspecified, with angina

I25.700	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with unstable angina pectoris
I25.701	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.708	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with other forms of angina pectoris
→ I25.709	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with unspecified angina pectoris ←

# Crosswalk: Angina and CAD

- Atherosclerosis of *autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s)* with angina (eg. saphenous vein)

ICD-10-CM	
I25.710	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s), with unstable angina pectoris
I25.711	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s), with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.718	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s), with other forms of angina pectoris
I25.719	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s), with unspecified angina pectoris

- Atherosclerosis of *autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s)*, with angina (eg. internal mammary artery)

I25.720	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s), with unstable angina pectoris
I25.721	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s), with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.728	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s), with other forms of angina pectoris
I25.729	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s), with unspecified angina pectoris

- Atherosclerosis of *nonautologous biological coronary artery bypass graft(s)*, with angina (eg. cadaveric saphenous vein or internal mammary artery)

I25.730	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous bio coronary artery bypass graft(s), with unstable angina pectoris
I25.731	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous bio coronary artery bypass graft(s), with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.738	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous bio coronary artery bypass graft(s), with other forms of angina
I25.739	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous bio coronary artery bypass graft(s), with unspecified angina pectoris

# Crosswalk: Angina and CAD

- Atherosclerosis of *native coronary artery of transplanted heart* with angina

ICD-10-CM	
I25.750	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with unstable angina pectoris
I25.751	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.758	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with other forms of angina pectoris
I25.759	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with unspecified angina pectoris

- Atherosclerosis of *bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart* with angina

I25.760	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with unstable angina pectoris
I25.761	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.768	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with other forms of angina
I25.769	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with unspecified angina

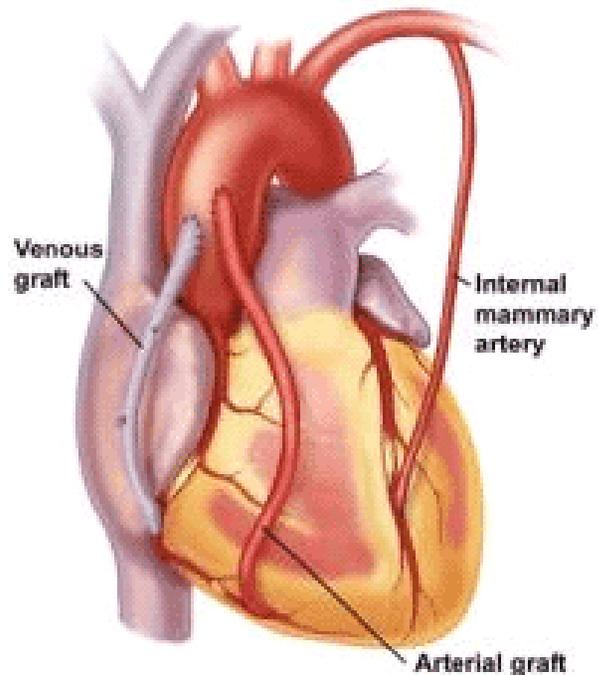
- Atherosclerosis of *other coronary artery bypass graft(s)* with angina

I25.790	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft with unstable angina pectoris
I25.791	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft with angina pectoris with documented spasm
I25.798	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft with other forms of angina
I25.799	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft with unspecified angina

# Crosswalk: Angina and CAD

## Coronary Artery Disease: Other Add-Ons

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
414.2	Chronic total occlusion of coronary artery	I25.82	Chronic total occlusion of coronary artery
414.3	Coronary atherosclerosis due to lipid rich plaque	I25.83	Coronary atherosclerosis due to lipid rich plaque
414.4	Coronary atherosclerosis due to calcified coronary lesion	I25.84	Coronary atherosclerosis due to calcified coronary lesion



# Crosswalk: Device Complications

## Mechanical complication of heart valve device

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
996.02	Mechanical complication due to heart valve prosthesis	T82.01xA	Breakdown (mechanical) of <i>heart valve prosthesis</i> , initial encounter
		T82.02xA	Displacement of heart valve prosthesis, initial encounter
		T82.03xA	Leakage of heart valve prosthesis, initial encounter
		T82.09xA	Other mechanical complication of heart valve prosthesis, initial encounter
		T82.221A	Breakdown (mechanical) of <i>biological heart valve graft</i> , initial encounter
		T82.222A	Displacement of biological heart valve graft, initial encounter
		T82.223A	Leakage of biological heart valve graft, initial encounter
		T82.228A	Other mechanical complication of biological heart valve graft, initial encounter

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Mechanical complication is defined the same way in ICD-10-CM as it is in ICD-9-CM.

- Breakage of device
- Malposition of device
- Leakage of device
- Mechanical obstruction of device
- Perforation of device
- Protrusion of device

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The “x” in codes T82.01–T82.09 is a placeholder. These codes are only five digits but the extension “A” must always be in the seventh position. So “x” holds the empty sixth position.

# Crosswalk: Device Complications

## Mechanical complication of coronary artery bypass graft

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
996.03	Mechanical complication due to coronary artery bypass graft	T82.211A	Breakdown (mechanical) of coronary artery bypass graft, initial encounter
		T82.212A	Displacement of coronary artery bypass graft, initial encounter
		T82.213A	Leakage of coronary artery bypass graft, initial encounter
		T82.218A	Other mechanical complication of coronary artery bypass graft, initial encounter

## Other complications

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
996.71	Other complication due to heart valve prosthesis	T82.817A	Embolism of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants and grafts, initial encounter
		T82.827A	Fibrosis of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants and grafts, initial encounter
		T82.837A	Hemorrhage of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants, grafts, initial encounter
996.72	Other complication due to other cardiac device, implant and graft (including coronary artery bypass graft)	T82.847A	Pain from cardiac prosthetic devices, implants and grafts, initial encounter
		T82.857A	Stenosis of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants and grafts, initial encounter
		T82.867A	Thrombosis of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants, grafts, initial encounter
		T82.897A	Other specified complication of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants and grafts, initial encounter

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Occlusion of a coronary artery bypass graft due to atherosclerosis is *not* coded as a complication. Use I25.7 instead.

# Crosswalk: Status and Encounter

ICD-9-CM		ICD-10-CM	
V13.69	Personal history of other (corrected) congenital malformations	Z87.74	Personal history of (corrected) congenital malformations of heart and circulatory system
V42.2	Heart valve replaced by transplant (tissue)	Z95.3	Presence of xenogenic heart valve
		Z95.4	Presence of other heart valve replacement
V43.3	Heart valve replaced by other means (artificial)	Z95.2	Presence of prosthetic heart valve
V45.81	Aortocoronary bypass status	Z95.1	Presence of aortocoronary bypass graft
V53.39	Fitting and adjustment of other cardiac device	Z45.09	Encounter for adjustment and management of other cardiac device

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Code Z95.2 is used for the presence of a mechanical heart valve. It is also the default code for the presence of any non-native valve.

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Code Z95.3 is used for the presence of animal tissue valves, including bioprosthetics, eg. CoreValve.

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Code Z95.4 is used for the presence of a homograft valve.

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Expected end-of-life for a heart valve graft is *not* coded as a complication. Use Z45.09 instead.



# TAVR: Valve-in-Valve

New!

In mid-2015, transcatheter aortic valve replacement received a new indication for treatment of “failure” of a previously placed bioprosthetic valve.

- For coding purposes, the key factor is whether the “failure” is a complication or an expected occurrence.

Scenario	ICD-10-CM	
Malposition or displacement of previously placed valve	T82.222A	Displacement of biological heart valve graft, initial encounter
<i>Premature</i> stenosis of the previously placed valve	T82.857A	Stenosis of cardiac prosthetic devices, implants and grafts, initial encounter
<i>Premature</i> regurgitation of the previously placed valve	T82.223A	Leakage of biological heart valve graft, initial encounter
<i>Expected</i> degeneration of previously placed valve (end-of-life)	Z45.09	Encounter for adjustment and management of other cardiac device



- Rather than “device failure”, be sure to document the diagnosis as a specific complication versus expected end-of-life.

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# ICD-10-PCS Procedure Codes

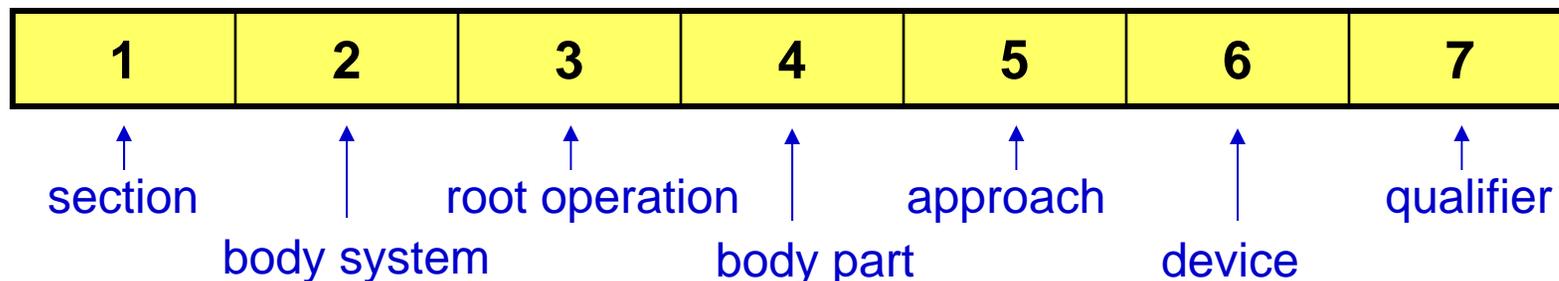


# ICD-10-PCS Format

ICD-10-PCS procedure codes are administered by CMS.



- Codes are alpha-numeric and are always 7 digits long.
- There are virtually *no* unspecified or default codes.
- ICD-10-PCS uses standardized definitions throughout.
- Each position in an ICD-10-PCS procedure code represents a distinct element.



# Structure of ICD-10-PCS Codes

- In ICD-10-PCS, codes are not assigned per se. They are *constructed*, character by character.
- Rather than a Tabular list of codes, ICD-10-PCS displays tables from which values for each position are selected.

<i>Section</i>	<b>0</b> Medical and Surgical		
<i>Body System</i>	<b>2</b> Heart and Great Vessels		
<i>Operation</i>	<b>R</b> Replacement: Putting in or on biological or synthetic material that physically takes the place and/or function of all or a portion of a body part		
<i>Body Part</i>	<i>Approach</i>	<i>Device</i>	<i>Qualifier</i>
<b>F</b> Aortic Valve <b>G</b> Mitral Valve <b>H</b> Pulmonary Valve	<b>0</b> Open <b>4</b> Percutaneous Endoscopic	<b>7</b> Autologous Tissue Substitute <b>8</b> Zooplastic Tissue <b>J</b> Synthetic Substitute <b>K</b> Nonautologous Tissue Substitute	<b>Z</b> No Qualifier
<b>F</b> Aortic Valve <b>G</b> Mitral Valve <b>H</b> Pulmonary Valve	<b>3</b> Percutaneous	<b>7</b> Autologous Tissue Substitute <b>8</b> Zooplastic Tissue <b>J</b> Synthetic Substitute <b>K</b> Nonautologous Tissue Substitute	<b>H</b> Transapical <b>Z</b> No Qualifier

## Surgical valve implantation: Mosaic

**02RF08Z** Replacement of aortic valve with zooplastic tissue, open approach

## TAVR: CoreValve

**02RF38Z** Replacement of aortic valve with zooplastic tissue, perc approach

# ICD-10-PCS Terminology

<b>Section</b>	<b>0</b> Medical and Surgical		
<b>Body System</b>	<b>2</b> Heart and Great Vessels		
<b>Operation</b>	<b>U</b> Supplement: Putting in or on biological or synthetic material that physically reinforces and/or augments the function of a portion of a body part		
Body Part	Approach	Device	Qualifier
<b>F</b> Aortic Valve <b>G</b> Mitral Valve <b>H</b> Pulmonary Valve <b>J</b> Tricuspid Valve	<b>0</b> Open <b>3</b> Percutaneous <b>4</b> Percutaneous Endoscopic	<b>7</b> Autologous Tissue Substitute <b>8</b> Zooplastic Tissue <b>J</b> Synthetic Substitute <b>K</b> Nonautologous Tissue Substitute	<b>Z</b> No Qualifier

## Annuloplasty : Contour tricuspid annuloplasty ring

**02UJ0JZ** Supplement, tricuspid valve with synthetic substitute, open approach

*“It is the coder’s responsibility to determine what the documentation in the medical record equates to in the PCS definitions. The physician is not expected to use the terms used in PCS code descriptions...”*



- No need to document Supplement, keep documenting annuloplasty
- Don’t document Percutaneous Endoscopic, just say thoracoscopic
- No need to document Zooplastic or Synthetic, but please do document the exact device model (so the hospital coder can look it up)

# Volume of Procedure Codes

ICD-10-PCS has far more procedure codes than ICD-9-CM and provides much greater specificity.

<b>ICD-9-CM</b>
3,882 codes
<b>ICD-10-PCS</b>
71,962 codes

CABG: ICD-9-CM 9 codes  
 ICD-10-PCS 232 codes

<i>Section</i>	<b>0</b> Medical and Surgical		
<i>Body System</i>	<b>2</b> Heart and Great Vessels		
<i>Operation</i>	<b>1</b> Bypass: Altering the route of passage of the contents of a tubular body part		
<i>Body Part</i>	<i>Approach</i>	<i>Device</i>	<i>Qualifier</i>
<b>0</b> Coronary Artery, One Site <b>1</b> Coronary Artery, Two Sites <b>2</b> Coronary Artery, Three Sites <b>3</b> Coronary Artery, Four or More Sites	<b>0</b> Open	<b>9</b> Autologous Venous Tissue <b>A</b> Autologous Arterial Tissue <b>J</b> Synthetic Substitute <b>K</b> Nonautologous Tissue Substitute <b>Z</b> No Device	<b>3</b> Coronary Artery <b>8</b> Internal Mammary, Right <b>9</b> Internal Mammary, Left <b>C</b> Thoracic Artery <b>F</b> Abdominal Artery <b>W</b> Aorta

## CABG x4: LIMA to LAD and SVG (endoscopic harvest) to RPDA, OM, diagonal

- 02100Z9** Bypass coronary artery, one site from left internal mammary, open approach
- 021209W** Bypass coronary artery, three sites from aorta with autologous venous tissue, open approach
- 06B\*4ZZ** Excision (*which?*) greater saphenous vein, percutaneous endoscopic approach

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# Implementation Issues



# Documentation Practices

ICD-10 requires very specific documentation for diagnoses and procedures.

## Valve disorders

- cause, eg. non-rheumatic, rheumatic, congenital
- type, eg. regurgitation
- site, eg. aortic

## Coronary artery disease

- presence or absence of angina
- type of angina, eg. unstable, spasm
- type of vessel, eg. native, bypass graft
- type of bypass graft, eg. SVG, LIMA

## Device complications

- whether it's a true complication or expected end-of-life
- exact nature of complication, eg. stenosis, breakage

## Procedures

- side and approach for harvesting saphenous vein
- CABG from what vessel to what vessel with what graft type
- specific name and model of device

- Take note of coder queries requesting additional information and include those details in similar cases going forward.
- CMS has a useful primer for cardiology documentation:

<http://www.roadto10.org/action-plan/phase-2-train/primer-cardiology/>

# Coverage Issues

CMS has converted its NCDs and ICD-10-CM codes are already being displayed on LCDs and on private payers' medical policies.

- Identify the practice's largest payers and check the codes on their on-line medical polices for familiarity as well as omissions.
- Check practice superbills against payer policies for differences.
- Alert the payer to possible discrepancies, or alert Medtronic.



*Be aware that the specificity of ICD-10-CM may allow payers to now enforce existing coverage rules more stringently.*

# Practice Implementation Checklist

## 1. Lay out a plan

- Identify which ICD-9 codes you use heavily
- Identify the staff that need to be trained in coding and/or documentation
- Contact vendors to learn their plans, ICD-10 related costs to the practice, and resources available to the practice
- Contact the specialty society for any resources available to the practice
- Visit the CMS website for useful tools and materials

## 2. Get trained

- Buy or download an ICD-10 diagnosis codebook
- Arrange and implement ICD-10 coding training for staff
- Arrange and obtain documentation training for physicians and other clinicians
- Crosswalk common diagnosis codes to ICD-10 and identify new requirements or differences in essential documentation
- Sign up for key CMS webinars to increase understanding of the ICD-10 environment

## 3. Update internal practice tools

- Convert superbills to ICD-10
- Convert other materials to ICD-10, such as authorizations, orders and referrals
- Identify common code-related causes for current claim denials and identify areas where ICD-10's specificity in documentation and code assignment can address this
- Obtain payer medical polices with ICD-10 codes for comparison

# Practice Implementation Checklist

## 4. Work with vendors and payers

- Arrange and implement ICD-10 software upgrades
- Train staff on use of new software, either directly or via the vendor
- Identify EHR documentation templates and assess how they support ICD-10 specificity for claims submission and medical necessity
- Engage payers on any discrepancies and omissions in ICD-10 coding for medical policies
- Identify if payers anticipate any changes in processing and payment due to ICD-10
- Identify availability of testing with major payers



## 5. Test the process

- Perform testing on systems within the practice
- Perform end-to-end testing with vendors and/or payers
- Identify and correct issues raised during testing
- Educate staff on the impact of ICD-10 to payer edits, adjudication, and other claims elements to processes within the practice
- Repeat!

<http://coalitionforicd10.org/2015/01/12/you-can-do-it-guide-to-physician-icd-10-conversion/>

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# Appendix



# Key Websites

CDC and CMS have a wealth of resources and educational materials available on-line for physician practices.

**CDC** <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10cm.htm#icd2105>

- ICD-10-CM Tabular and Index
- Official ICD-10-CM guidelines
- Diagnosis code GEMS

**CMS** <http://www.roadto10.org/>

- Webcasts
- FAQs on ICD-10
- Templates for assessing vendors, billing services, payers
- Specialty references (common codes, documentation primers)
- Customizable practice action plans

# Medtronic Contacts

Medtronic is available to assist with your ICD-10 questions and issues.

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- Email us:  
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- Reach out to the Reimbursement Team directly:

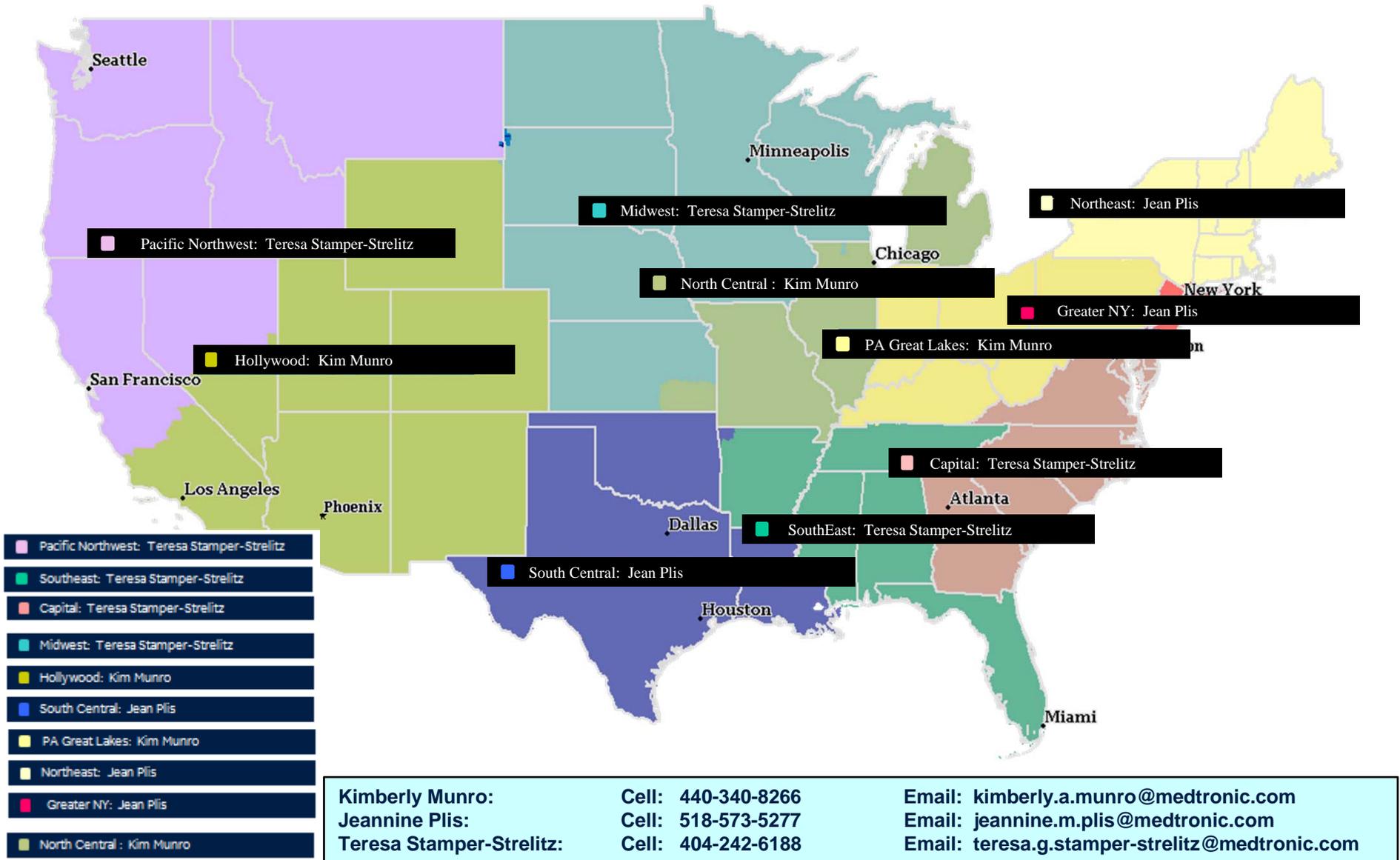
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# Questions

