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The 2026 ICD-10-CM files below contain information on the ICD-10-CM updates for FY 2026. These 2026 ICD-10-CM codes are to be used for discharges occurring from **October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026** and for patient encounters occurring from October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026.

The ICD-10-CM code set update for fiscal year (FY) 2026 was posted July 3 to the **Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)** website. The update, effective Oct. 1, includes **487 new codes, 28 code deletions, and 38 code revisions**.

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Chapter 1: Certain Infectious and Parasitic Diseases (A00-B99), U07.1, U09.9

Two new codes for acariasis (B88.0-) were added, having mite infestations like Demodex dermatitis.

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	B88.0	Other Acariasis
Added	B88.01	Infestation by Demodex mites
Added	B88.09	Other Acariasis

What is Acariasis ?

Acariasis is a condition caused by mites (tiny insects from the Acari family) invading or irritating the skin or other parts of the body

What is infestation ?

Infestation by means that the body is invaded or occupied by parasites, such as insects, mites, or worms.



Chapter 2: Neoplasms (C00-D49)

Three new codes are added based on inflammatory behaviour of breast cancer.

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	C50.A0	Malignant inflammatory neoplasm of Unspecified breast
Added	C50.A1	Malignant inflammatory neoplasm of right breast
Added	C50.A2	Malignant inflammatory neoplasm of right breast

What is inflammatory Neoplasm?

When this growth is associated with inflammation, it is called an inflammatory neoplasm.

Chapter 3: Disease of the blood and blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism (D50-D89)

Three new codes are added for Functional disorder of Polymorphonuclear neutrophils.

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	D71	Functional disorder of polymorphonuclear neutrophils
Added	D71.1	Leukocyte adhesion deficiency
Added	D71.8	Other functional disorders of polymorphonuclear neutrophils
Added	D71.9	Functional disorders of polymorphonuclear neutrophils, unspecified

What is Polymorphonuclear neutrophils ?

Polymorphonuclear neutrophils (PMNs) are a type of white blood cell that help the body fight infection. They are called polymorphonuclear because their nucleus has many lobes (multi-shaped).

Leukocyte Adhesion Deficiency (LAD) is a rare genetic immune disorder in which white blood cells (leukocytes) cannot properly move to sites of infection.

What normally happens?

When you get an infection or inflammation, your white blood cells travel through the bloodstream and "stick" to blood vessel walls using special adhesion molecules. Then they move out of the blood vessel to fight infection.



Chapter 4: Endocrine, Nutritional, and Metabolic Diseases (E00-E89)

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	E11.A	Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications in remission

Definition : Diabetes in remission means that a person who previously had diabetes now has normal or near-normal blood sugar levels without the need for diabetes medications for a 3 month.

- The person still has a history of diabetes.
- But their blood sugar stays controlled without medicines.
- It does not mean the diabetes is permanently cured—only that it is currently inactive.

Note: New code focuses on remission only in the context of uncomplicated T2DM.

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	E72.53	Functional disorder of polymorphonuclear neutrophils
Added	E72.530	Primary Hyperoxaluria, Type 1
Added	E72.538	Other specified primary hyperoxaluria
Added	E72.539	Primary Hyperoxaluria, unspecified
Added	E72.540	Dietary Hyperoxaluria
Added	E72.541	Enteric Hyperoxaluria
Added	E72.548	Other secondary Hyperoxaluria
Added	E72.549	Secondary Hyperoxaluria, unspecified

Hyperoxaluria means the body produces too much oxalate or absorbs too much from food, leading to high oxalate levels in urine and increased risk of kidney stones.

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	E78.01	Familial Hypercholesterolemia
Added	E78.010	Homozygous Familial Hypercholesterolemia
Added	E78.011	Heterozygous Familial Hypercholesterolemia
Added	E78.019	Familial Hypercholesterolemia, Unspecified



Added	E83.820	Generalized arterial calcification of infancy with unspecified genetic causality
Added	E83.821	ENPP1 deficiency causing generalized arterial calcification of infancy
Added	E83.822	ENPP1 deficiency causing autosomal recessive hypophosphatemic rickets type 2

Familial hypercholesterolemia (FH) is a genetic disorder in which a person is born with very high cholesterol levels, especially LDL (bad cholesterol).

Why does it happen?

It occurs because of a gene mutation that prevents the body from clearing LDL cholesterol from the blood properly.

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	E83.823	ABCC6 deficiency causing generalized arterial calcification of infancy
Added	E83.824	ABCC6 deficiency causing pseudoxanthoma elasticum
Added	E83.825	CD73 deficiency causing arterial calcification
Deleted	E88.1	Lipodystrophy, Not elsewhere Classified
Added	E88.10	Lipodystrophy, unspecified
Added	E88.11	Partial lipodystrophy
Added	E88.12	Generalized lipodystrophy
Added	E88.13	Localized lipodystrophy
Added	E88.14	HIV associated lipodystrophy
Added	E88.19	Other lipodystrophy, Not elsewhere Classified

Lipodystrophy :

- Lipo → means fat
- Dys → means abnormal, bad, or impaired
- Trophy → means growth, development, or nutrition

So Lipodystrophy is the abnormal distribution of the fat.



Chapter 5: Mental, Behavioral and Neurodevelopmental disorders (F01 – F99)

There are no any changes in this chapter.

Chapter 6: Diseases of the Nervous System (G00-G99)

Multiple sclerosis (MS) is a long-term autoimmune disease in which the body's immune system attacks the brain, spinal cord, and optic nerves, damaging the myelin (protective covering of nerves).

This damage slows or blocks nerve signals, causing problems with movement, vision, and sensation.

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	G31.87	Primary progressive apraxia of speech
Deleted	G35	Multiple Sclerosis
Added	G35.A	Relapsing-remitting multiple sclerosis
Added	G35.B0	Primary progressive multiple sclerosis, unspecified
Added	G35.B1	Active primary progressive multiple sclerosis
Added	G35.B2	Non-active primary progressive multiple sclerosis
Added	G35.C0	Secondary progressive multiple sclerosis, unspecified
Added	G35.C1	Active secondary progressive multiple sclerosis
Added	G35.C2	Non-active secondary progressive multiple sclerosis
Added	G35.D	Multiple sclerosis, unspecified
Added	G71.036	Limb girdle muscular dystrophy due to fukutin related protein dysfunction



Chapter 7: Diseases of the Eye and Adnexa (H00-H59)

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	H01.8	Other specified inflammation of eyelid
Added	H01.81	Other specified inflammation of right upper eyelid
Added	H01.82	Other specified inflammation of right lower eyelid
Added	H01.83	Other specified inflammation of right eye, unspecified eyelid
Added	H01.84	Other specified inflammation of left upper eyelid
Added	H01.85	Other specified inflammation of left lower eyelid
Added	H01.86	Other specified inflammation of left eye, unspecified eyelid
Added	H01.89	Other specified inflammation of unspecified eye, unspecified eyelid
Added	H01.8A	Other specified inflammation of right eye, upper and lower eyelids
Added	H01.8B	Other specified inflammation of left eye, upper and lower eyelids

What is Thyroid Orbitopathy ?

Thyroid orbitopathy, also known as thyroid-associated orbitopathy, Graves' orbitopathy, or thyroid eye disease, is an autoimmune inflammatory condition affecting the orbital tissues, including eye muscles.

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	H05.831	Thyroid orbitopathy, right orbit
Added	H05.832	Thyroid orbitopathy, left orbit
Added	H05.833	Thyroid orbitopathy, bilateral
Added	H05.839	Thyroid orbitopathy, unspecified orbit
Added	H05.841	Neovascular secondary angle closure glaucoma, right eye
Added	H05.842	Neovascular secondary angle closure glaucoma, left eye
Added	H05.843	Neovascular secondary angle closure glaucoma, bilateral
Added	H05.849	Neovascular secondary angle closure glaucoma, unspecified eye



Chapter 8: Diseases of the Ear and Mastoid Process (H60-H95)

There are no any changes in this chapter.

Chapter 9: Diseases of the Circulatory System (I00-I99)

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	I27.840	Fontan-associated liver disease [FALD]
Added	I27.841	Fontan-associated lymphatic dysfunction
Added	I27.848	Other Fontan-associated condition
Added	I27.849	Fontan related circulation, unspecified

Chapter 10: Diseases of the Respiratory System (J00-J99), U07.0

There are no any changes in this chapter.

Chapter 11: Diseases of the Digestive System (K00-K95)

There are no any changes in this chapter.

Chapter 12: Diseases of the Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue (L00-L99)

Status	Code	Code Description
Revise	L02.212	From: Cutaneous abscess of back[any part, except buttock] To: Cutaneous abscess of back[any part, except buttock and flank]
Added	L02.217	Cutaneous abscess of flank
Revise	L02.222	From: Furuncle of back[any part, except buttock] To: Furuncle of back[any part, except buttock and flank]
Added	L02.227	Furuncle of flank
Added	L03.31A	Cellulitis of flank
Added	L03.32A	Acute lymphangitis of flank

There is addition of 112 codes for non-pressure Chronic Ulcer based on severity of Ulcer and location.

What is Non-pressure ulcer ?

Non-pressure ulcer is a skin wound that happens because of poor circulation or disease—not because of pressure on the skin.

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Difference from pressure ulcers:

- **Pressure ulcer** → caused by constant pressure (bedsores)
- **Non-pressure ulcer** → caused by disease, circulation problems, or injury

Status	Code	Code Description (With 6th character of Severity)
Added	L98.43-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of Abdomen
Added	L98.44-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of Chest
Added	L98.45-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of Neck
Added	L98.46-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of Face
Added	L98.46-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of Groin

Status	Code	Code Description (With 7th character of Severity)
Added	L98.A11-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of right upper arm
Added	L98.A12-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of left upper arm
Added	L98.A19-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of unspecified upper arm
Added	L98.A21-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of right forearm
Added	L98.A22-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of left forearm
Added	L98.A29-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of unspecified forearm
Added	L98.A31-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of right hand
Added	L98.A32-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of left hand
Added	L98.A39-	Non-pressure chronic ulcer of unspecified hand

Chapter 13: Diseases of the Musculoskeletal System and Connective Tissue (M00-M99)

Status	Code	Code Description (With 6th character of Severity)
Added	M05.A	Abnormal rheumatoid factor and anti-citrullinated protein antibody with rheumatoid arthritis
Revise	M21.159	From : Varus deformity, not elsewhere classified, unspecified. To:Varus deformity, not elsewhere classified, unspecified Hip.



Revise	M24.076	From: Loose bodies in unspecified toe joints. To: Loose bodies in unspecified toe joint(s).
Revise	M61.129	From: Myositis ossificans progressiva,Unspecified arm From: Myositis ossificans progressiva,Unspecified upper arm

Chapter 14: Diseases of Genitourinary System (N00-N99)

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	N00.B1	Acute nephritis syndrome with idiopathic immune membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis (IC-MPGN)
Added	N00.B2	Acute nephritis syndrome with secondary immune complex membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis (IC-MPGN)
Added	N04.B1	Nephrotic syndrome with idiopathic immune complex membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis (IC-MPGN)
Added	N04.B2	Nephrotic syndrome with secondary immune complex membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis (IC-MPGN)
Added	N07.B	Hereditary nephropathy, not elsewhere classified with APOL1-mediated kidney disease [AMKD]

Chapter 15: Pregnancy, Childbirth, and the Puerperium (O00-O9A)

There are no any changes in this chapter.

Chapter 16: Certain Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period (P00-P96)

Status	Code	Code Description
Revise	P09.6	From : Abnormal finding on Neonatal screening for neonatal hearing loss To:Abnormal finding on neonatal sceening

Chapter 17: Congenital malformations, deformations, and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-QA1)

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	Q87.87	Hao-Fountain syndrome
Added	Q87.88	CTNNB1 syndrome
Delete	Q89.8	Other specified Congenital malformations



Added	Q89.81	Kabuki syndrome
Added	Q89.89	Other specified congenital malformations

What is Usher Syndrome?

Usher Syndrome is a genetic disorder that causes both hearing loss and vision loss. The type 1,2,3 varies based on the extent of the vision and hearing loss.

Delete	Q99.8	Other specified chromosome abnormalities
Added	Q99.811	Usher syndrome
Added	Q99.812	Usher syndrome, type 2
Added	Q99.813	Usher syndrome, type 3
Added	Q99.818	Other Usher syndrome
Added	Q99.89	Other specified chromosome abnormalities

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	QA0.0101	SCN2A-related neurodevelopmental disorder
Added	QA0.0102	CACNA1A-related neurodevelopmental disorder
Added	QA0.0109	Neurodevelopmental disorder related to pathogenic variant in other ion channel gene
Added	QA0.0111	Neurodevelopmental disorders, related to pathogenic variants in glutamate receptor genes
Added	QA0.0122	Neurodevelopmental disorders, related to pathogenic variants in other receptor genes



Chapter 18: Symptoms, signs, and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified (R00-R99)

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	R10.2	Pelvic and Perineal pain
Added	R10.20	Pelvic and perineal pain, unspecified side
Added	R10.21	Pelvic and perineal pain, right side
Added	R10.22	Pelvic and perineal pain, left side
Added	R10.23	Pelvic and perineal pain, bilateral side
Added	R10.24	Suprapubic pain
Added	R10.85	Abdominal pain of multiple sites

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	R10.8A1	Right flank tenderness
Added	R10.8A2	Left flank tenderness
Added	R10.8A3	Suprapubic tenderness
Added	R10.8A9	Flank tenderness, unspecified
Added	R10.A0	Flank pain, unspecified side
Added	R10.A1	Flank pain, right side
Added	R10.A2	Flank pain, left side
Added	R10.A3	Flank pain, bilateral



Status	Code	Code Description
Added	R11.6	Cannabis hyperemesis syndrome
Added	R39.851	Costovertebral (angle) tenderness, right side
Added	R39.852	Costovertebral (angle) tenderness, left side
Added	R39.853	Costovertebral (angle) tenderness, bilateral
Added	R39.859	Costovertebral (angle) tenderness, unspecified side
Deleted	R76.8	Other Specified abnormal immunological findings in serum
Added	R76.81	Abnormal rheumatoid factor and anti-citrullinated protein antibody without rheumatoid arthritis
Added	R76.89	Other specified abnormal immunological findings in serum

Chapter 19: Injury, poisoning, and certain other consequences of external causes (S00-T88)

Several new code are added for contusion of abdominal wall, Contusion of groin. Blister (non-thermal) of Flank, Superficial injury and bites of Flank. So, this chapter is not as much important for interview.

Chapter 21: Factors influencing health status and contact with health services (Z00-Z99)

What is Genetic Susceptibility ?

Genetic susceptibility means a person has inherited genes that make them more likely to develop a certain disease or condition.

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	Z15.05	Genetic susceptibility to malignant neoplasm of fallopian tube(s)
Added	Z15.060	Genetic susceptibility to colorectal cancer
Added	Z15.068	Genetic susceptibility to other malignant neoplasm of digestive system
Added	Z15.07	Genetic susceptibility to malignant neoplasm of urinary tract
Added	Z15.3	Genetic susceptibility to kidney disease



What is prophylaxis?

Prophylaxis means taking preventive measures to stop a disease or condition before it happens.

Status	Code	Code Description
Deleted	Z40.8	Encounter for other prophylactic surgery
Added	Z40.81	Encounter for prophylactic surgery for removal of ovary(s) for persons without known genetic/familial risk factors
Added	Z40.82	Encounter for prophylactic surgery for removal of fallopian tube(s) for persons without known genetic/familial risk factors
Added	Z40.89	Encounter for other prophylactic surgery
Deleted	Z59.86	Financial insecurity
Added	Z59.861	Financial insecurity, difficulty paying for utilities
Added	Z59.868	Other specified financial insecurity
Added	Z59.869	Financial insecurity, unspecified

Status	Code	Code Description
Added	Z85.4A	Personal history of malignant neoplasm of fallopian tube(s)
Added	Z86.00A	Personal history of in-situ neoplasm of the fallopian tube(s)
Added	Z91.011	Allergy to milk products, unspecified
Added	Z91.0110	Allergy to milk products with tolerance to baked milk
Added	Z91.0111	Allergy to milk products with reactivity to baked milk
Added	Z91.0120	Allergy to eggs, unspecified
Added	Z91.0121	Allergy to eggs with tolerance to baked egg
Added	Z91.0122	Allergy to eggs with reactivity to baked egg