

# Documentation Tip



## Gastrointestinal Bleed

The following are important documentation tips and strategies for this disease/condition.

- Identify the following:
  - Location
    - Upper GI
    - Lower GI
    - Unspecified
  - Cause of GI Bleed
    - Acute vascular insufficiency of the intestines
    - Angiodysplasia/arteriovenous malformation (AVM)
    - Colitis
    - Diverticulitis
    - Diverticulosis
    - Duodenitis
    - Gastritis/Gastroduodenitis
    - Hemorrhoids
    - Ulcer
    - Unspecified/Other
  - Complications of GI Bleed
    - Anemia, acute and/or chronic blood loss, or unspecified
    - Shock
    - Orthostatic hypotension
    - Tachycardia
    - Syncope