Hematology & Oncology Tip Sheet for ICD-10



Diagnosis Documentation Requirements

Document the chronic disease and link it to the anemic:		
- Anemic due to chronic kidney disease		
- Anemic due to colon cancer		
Document, when appropriate: - Anemia due to acute blood loss - Anemia due to chronic blood loss	If acute blood loss anemia is due to blood loss during surgery: - Documentation of postoperative anemia is not enough - Document instead postoperative anemia due to acute blood loss	When it is your clinical judgment that the surgery resulted in a expected amount of blood loss, no diagnosis of acute blood loss is needed
Document Iron deficiency anemia by type: - Sideropenic iron deficiency anemia - Iron deficiency due to inadequate dietary iron intake	Document vitamin B12 type, such as: - Due to intrinsic factor deficiency - Vitamin B12 malabsorption	Document folate deficiency type, such as: - Due to diet - Drug induced Document other nutritional types, such as: -Protein deficiency
Document cause and effect, for example: -Agranulocytosis due to sulfasalazine -Pancytopenia due to chemotherapy		
Document type: - Intentional versus - Unintentional	Document reason for underdosing, such as: - Financial hardship or	
Document: - Acute versus - Chronic	Document specific type, for example: - Acute lymphoblastic - Chronic lymphocytic of B- cell type - Prolymphocytic of B-cell type - Hairy cell	Document remission- relapse status for each patient visit: - Not having achieved remission - In remission - In relapse
Document specific site Document laterality: - Right - Left - Bilateral	Detail when a patient has presented for a specific treatment related to the neoplasm (e.g., surgical removal, chemotherapy, immunotherapy, radiation therapy)	Document morphology: - Malignant - Benign - In situ - Uncertain behavior - Unspecified behavior
Document etiology: - Due to excess calories or nutritional - Due to drugs - Other, for example, due to thyroid or pituitary disorder	If morbidly obese, also document if with alveolar hypoventilation	Document BMI
Document type:	Document state of dependence:	Document if used during
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