



Government of **Western Australia**
Department of **Health**

Western Australian Coding Rule

0712/11 Diabetic foot and osteomyelitis

WA Coding Rule 0110/01 *Diabetic foot and osteomyelitis* is retired.

Coders must follow ACS 0401 *Diabetes mellitus and Intermediate hyperglycaemia* for classification of Diabetes mellitus and Intermediate hyperglycaemia.

DECISION

WA Coding Rule 0110/01 *Diabetic foot and osteomyelitis* is retired.

[Effective 1 Jul 2012, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS 7th Ed.]



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0110/01 Diabetic foot and osteomyelitis

Q.

Does osteomyelitis of the foot qualify for diabetic foot (E11.73)?

A.

Osteomyelitis of the foot does not qualify for coding Diabetic Foot.

Only conditions listed in categories 1 to 5 of the Diabetic Foot section of ACS 0401 *Diabetes mellitus and intermediate hyperglycaemia* influence assignment of E11.73 *Type 2 diabetes mellitus with foot ulcer due to multiple causes*.

DECISION

Osteomyelitis of the foot does not qualify for coding Diabetic Foot

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