

CMS Chronic Conditions Algorithms Change History

Purpose: The CCW algorithm specifications may change slightly from year to year due to changing coding standards. This document is provided to assist CCW data users to identify changes in the CCW Condition Category algorithms, following the February 2019 algorithm version (revision date 02/2019). The algorithm specifications posted on the “Condition Categories” page of the ccwdata.org website contain a revision date within the PDFs, and this Change History document identifies conditions with any changes and describes the nature of the change. The calendar year that the change was implemented in the data is specified (e.g., for algorithm updates that appear in the 02/2019 revision, the code changes were reflected in the 2017-current data file).

Revision Date ¹	Conditions File Implementation Date ²	Description ³
02/2019	2017	<p>The following changes resulted from the 2018/2019 ICD-10 Code Review.</p> <p>CCW Condition Algorithms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hyperlipidemia: Added codes E78.00, E78.01, E78.41, E78.49 <p>Other Chronic or Potentially Disabling Condition Algorithms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ADHD, Conduct Disorders, and Hyperkinetic Syndrome: Added code F91.3 • Alcohol Use Disorders: Removed codes Z13.89, Z71.51, Z71.52, Z71.6 • Fibromyalgia, Chronic Pain and Fatigue: Added codes M79.10, M79.11, M79.12, M79.18 • Intellectual Disabilities and Related Conditions: Added codes Q93.51, Q93.529 • Muscular Dystrophy: Added codes G71.00, G71.01, G71.02, G71.09 • Tobacco Use: Added code Z72.0 • Incorporated Opioid-related Indicators and Algorithms (documentation only)

¹ Revision Date: The date the algorithms documentation was last updated.

² Conditions File Implementation Date: This indicates the earliest Conditions Data File that incorporates the revised algorithm.

³ Description: Details of what changed, listed by algorithm type.

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08/2018	1999 +	<p>Other Chronic or Potentially Disabling Condition Algorithms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added Opioid-related Indicators and Algorithms
06/2018	2016	<p>CCW Condition Algorithms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Correction to punctuation in Heart Failure series, period changed to a comma between 'I50.40 and I50.41'. <p>Other Chronic or Potentially Disabling Condition Algorithms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Correction to codes for Leukemias and Lymphomas. The C81.xx series was updated to fix the incorrect display between C82.23, C82.33, C82.43, C82.73, and C82.93. They now display as C81.23, C81.33, C81.43, C81.73, and C81.93.