




# NEW/UPDATED ICD-10-CM DIAGNOSIS CODES FOR 2022

**E**ffective each year on October 1, additions, deletions, and updates to the ICD-10-CM code set are published. This year, no significant changes were made to Chapter 15, the obstetrics chapter. However, there are a few new codes that could affect the practice of maternal-fetal medicine.

OLD CODE(S)	NEW CODE(S)	NOTES
<p><b>F32.9</b> Major depressive disorder, single episode, unspecified</p> <p><b>F33.9</b> Major depressive disorder, recurrent, unspecified</p>	<p><b>F32.A</b> Depression, unspecified</p>	<p>All of these codes are still valid, but <b>F32.A</b> can now be used for occasions in which the provider is not aware of the nature of the patient's depression.</p>
<p><b>M54.5</b> Low back pain</p>	<p><b>M54.50</b> Low back pain, unspecified</p> <p><b>M54.51</b> Vertebrogenic low back pain</p> <p><b>M54.59</b> Other low back pain</p>	<p><b>M54.5</b> is no longer a valid code. Provider documentation will need to be more specific to facilitate diagnosis assignment.</p>
<p><b>R05</b> Cough</p>	<p><b>R05.1</b> Acute cough</p> <p><b>R05.2</b> Subacute cough</p> <p><b>R05.3</b> Chronic cough</p> <p><b>R05.4</b> Cough syncope</p> <p><b>R05.8</b> Other specified cough</p> <p><b>R05.9</b> Cough, unspecified</p>	<p><b>R05</b> is no longer a valid code. Provider documentation will need to be more specific to facilitate diagnosis assignment.</p>
	<p><b>R45.88</b> Nonsuicidal self-harm</p>	
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	<b>Z71.85</b> Encounter for immunization safety counseling	This new code can be used for an encounter related to any immunization safety counseling. If the patient does pursue the immunization, <b>Z23</b> should be reported as the secondary diagnosis. If the patient does not pursue the immunization, the appropriate <b>Z28.-</b> code should be reported.
<b>Z59.0</b> Homelessness	<b>Z59.00</b> Homelessness, unspecified <b>Z59.01</b> Sheltered homelessness <b>Z59.02</b> Unsheltered homelessness	<b>Z59.0</b> is no longer a valid code. Provider documentation will need to be more specific to facilitate diagnosis assignment.
<b>Z59.4</b> Lack of adequate food	<b>Z59.41</b> Food insecurity <b>Z59.48</b> Other specified lack of adequate food	<b>Z59.4</b> is no longer a valid code. Provider documentation will need to be more specific to facilitate diagnosis assignment.
<b>Z59.8</b> Other problems related to housing and economic circumstances	<b>Z59.81</b> Housing instability, housed <b>Z59.811</b> ...w/risk of homelessness <b>Z59.812</b> ...homelessness in past 12 months <b>Z59.819</b> ...unspecified <b>Z59.89</b> Other problems related to housing and economic circumstances	<b>Z59.8</b> is no longer a valid code. Provider documentation will need to be more specific to facilitate diagnosis assignment. <b>Z59.81</b> is not a valid code because it has additional valid codes within its category.

The complete detail of every change in ICD-10-CM for 2022 can be found at <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/icd-10/2022-icd-10-cm>

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