

ICD-10 REQUIRED Documentation for Specificity



Depression

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Documentation

Distinguish: Single episode of a major depressive disorder versus a recurrent episode of major depression.	Severe episodes of depression: specify if the patient presents with or without psychotic features
Indicate the severity of the depressive disorder: mild, moderate, or severe	For patients in remission: Not if it is partial or full remission Indicate if there is an associated adjustment disorder

ICD-9 Codes

296.23 Major depressive affective disorders, single episode, severe, without mention of psychotic behavior

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Below are a few example ICD-10 codes selected to help display how the clinical features of this condition align with the documentation requirements of ICD-10

F32.0 Major depressive disorder, single episode, mild

F32.1 Major Depressive disorder, single episode, moderate

F32.2 Major Depressive disorder, single episode, severe w/o psych features

F32.3 Major Depressive disorder, single episode, severe w psych features

F32.4 Major Depressive disorder, single episode, in partial remission

F32.5 Major Depressive disorder, single episode, in full remission

F33.0 Major Depressive disorder, recurrent, mild

F33.1 Major Depressive disorder, recurrent, moderate

F33.2 Major depressive disorder, recurrent severe w/o psych features

F33.3 Major Depressive disorder, recurrent, severe w psych symptoms

F33.41 Major Depressive disorder, recurrent, in partial remission

F33.42 Major Depressive disorder, recurrent, in full remission