

DATA QUALITY MANAGEMENT UPDATE

Quality results and optimal outcomes through continuous performance improvement, education and collaboration

The following communication provides clarification on items that were discussed during the TQIP Collaborative Leadership meeting. If you have questions, or seek further clarification, please contact Lyndsey Diehl, RHIA—Trauma Data Quality Specialist at ldiehl@ptsf.org.

PTOS SOLITARY HIP FRACTURE EXCLUSION

To meet the exclusion criteria (non-PTOS), a patient must have a solitary hip fracture (ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes S72.00-S72.26), no other injuries (minor injuries such as external contusions and abrasions do not count as other injuries) and a fall on the same level (ICD-10-CM codes V00.111A, V00.121A, V00.131A, V00.141A, V00.151A, V00.211A, V00.221A, V00.281A, V00.311A, V00.321A, W00.0XXA, W01.____A, W03.XXXA, W18.30XA, W18.31XA, W18.39XA, and W19.XXXA).

Listed below is a list of the ICD-10 mechanism codes that meet this exclusion and their descriptions from the ICD-10 code book:

V00.111A	Fall from in-line roller-skates, initial encounter
V00.121A	Fall from non-in-line roller-skates, initial encounter
V00.131A	Fall from skateboard, initial encounter
V00.141A	Fall from scooter (nonmotorized), initial encounter
V00.151A	Fall from heeies, initial encounter
V00.211A	Fall from ice-skates, initial encounter
V00.221A	Fall from sled, initial encounter
V00.281A	Fall from other gliding-type pedestrian conveyance, initial encounter
V00.311A	Fall from snowboard, initial encounter
V00.321A	Fall from snow-skis, initial encounter
W00.0XXA	Fall on same level due to ice and snow, initial encounter
W01.____A	Fall on same level from slipping, tripping, and stumbling, initial encounter (includes with/without subsequent striking against object)
W03.XXXA	Other fall on same level due to collision with another person, initial encounter
W18.30XA	Fall on same level, unspecified, initial encounter
W18.31XA	Fall on same level due to stepping on an object, initial encounter
W18.39XA	Other fall on same level, initial encounter
W19.XXXA	Unspecified fall, initial encounter

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EXAMPLES

Please note, it is assumed that the patient has an injury diagnosis of a solitary hip fracture (\$72.00-\$72.26) with no other injuries for any non-PTOS recommendations:

- Fall from standing (lost balance) with isolated hip fracture **non-PTOS**
- Fall from standing (tripped over something) with an isolated hip fracture **non-PTOS**
- Fall from standing (knocked over/pushed) with an isolated hip fracture **non-PTOS**
- Fall from standing (slipped on ice) with an isolated hip fracture **non-PTOS**
- Fall from standing (fell skiing) with an isolated hip fracture **non-PTOS**
- Tripped up a curb with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (Curb falls under W10.1 – Fall on/from sidewalk curb)**
- Tripped off a curb with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (Curb falls under W10.1 – Fall on/from sidewalk curb)**
- Fell out of wheelchair with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (falls under W05 fall from non-moving wheelchair)**
- Fell off a chair/commode with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (falls under W07 – fall from chair)**
- Rolled out of bed with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (falls under W06 - fall from bed)**
- Fell going up steps but did not fall down them, just onto them with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (falls under W10 – fall on and from stairs and steps)**
- Fell off a single step with an isolated hip fracture **PTOS (falls under W10 – fall on and from stairs and steps)**