

Nordic Casemix Centre - Case #209

Case 2009-MDC09-01 Excision of scar caused by burn

2014-01-23 12:31 - Anonymous

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Initiator: Sweden	Target year:
MDC: MDC09	Owner / responsible:
Target Grouper:	Old forum status: CLOSITEM - Closed item

Description

Last updated: 2010-04-09

Status: CLOSITEM - Closed item

Error corrected by Nordic Centre

Initiated: 2009-04-28

By: Paul Tordai, Aleris/CPK, Sweden

Expert Network 2010-03-12 - Correction recommended

Board 2010-04-09 - Recommendation accepted

Problem

CPK ID 317

The procedure codes for excision of scar caused by burn listed below are not properly handled in the NordDRG logic if combined with a principal diagnosis in MDC 09 (for example L910 Keloid scar plus T95 Sequelae of burn, corrosion and frostbite ...). Inpatients are grouped to DRG 477 and Swedish outpatients are grouped to a DRG for visits without any significant procedures.

SWE code	NCSP code	codetext
QAE25	QASE25	Excision and repair of scar of head or neck caused by burn
QBE25	QBSE25	Excision and repair of scar of trunk caused by burn
QCE25	QCSE25	Excision and repair of scar of upper limb caused by burn
QDE25	QDSE25	Excision and repair of scar of lower limb caused by burn

The reason for this is that the codes have no procedure property for MDC 09. They should have the same procedure property (09S02) as the codes for "Excision and repair of scar or web of skin ..." (Q*SE20) and "Excision and repair of surgical scar ..." (Q*SE30) in addition to the existing properties.

We think that this is an error that can be corrected by the Nordic Casemix Centre in the 2010 version without discussion in the expert network (but it should be documented in the NordDRG Forum).

COMMENTS

Nordic Centre, Martti Virtanen 2009-10-07

I agree that this can be changed as an error. The coding is correct and the result is not acceptable.

QXE25 (QXSE25) Excision and repair of scar caused by burn of unspecified region¹ has to be added to the list.

Expert Network 2010-03-12

The meeting recommended accepting the correction.

History

#1 - 2014-03-11 12:45 - Anonymous

- Case type deleted (Error correction)
- Priority changed from Normal to Error correction

Files

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