2a Errata for Year 2008

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Section III - Editing and Interpreting Entries

20. Varices NOS and Bleeding Varices NOS (I839)

    a. Code I859 (Esophageal varices) or

    b. Code I850 (Bleeding esophageal varices):

    When reported due to or on same line with:

       Alcoholic disease classified to: F101-F109
       Liver diseases classified to: B150-B199, B251, B942, K700-K769
       Toxic effect of alcohol classified to: T510-T519, T97

		Codes for Record
I (a) Varices		I859
(b) Cirrhosis of liver		K746

    Code to K746. The code K746 is listed as a subaddress to I859 in the causation table; therefore, this sequence is accepted.

21. Pneumonia in J188 or J189
    Bronchopneumonia (J180)

    Code J182 (Hypostatic pneumonia) when reported anywhere on record with:

Bedbound	Immobilization
Bedfast	Inactivity
Bedrest	Lying in bed
Bedridden	Prolonged recumbency
Bed Patient	Recumbency
Confined to bed	Sitting in chair
Hypostasis	Stasis
Immobility	

		Codes for Record
I (a) Cardiac arrest		I469
(b) Bronchopneumonia		J182
(c) Inactivity		

    Code to J182. Bronchopneumonia reported on record with inactivity becomes hypostatic pneumonia.

22. Pneumoconiosis (J64)

Code J60 (Coal worker's pneumoconiosis):

When Occupation is reported as:

Coal miner
Coal worker
Miner

                                        Codes for Record

Occupation: Coal Miner
I (a) Bronchitis   J40
    (b) Pneumoconiosis   J60

Code to J60. Pneumoconiosis becomes coal worker's pneumoconiosis when occupation is reported as coal miner.

23. Alveolar Hemorrhage (diffused) (K088)

Code R048 (Lung hemorrhage) when reported with conditions listed in the causation table under address R048.

I (a) Respiratory Failure   J969
  (b) Alveolar Hemorrhage   R048

Code to R048. The alveolar hemorrhage is reported on the record with a condition listed in the causation table under address R048.

24. Diaphragmatic Hernia in K44.-

Code Q790 (Congenital diaphragmatic hernia) when reported as causing hypoplasia or dysplasia of lung NOS (Q336).

                                          Codes for Record
I (a) Lung dysplasia   Q336
    (b) Diaphragmatic hernia   Q790
    (c)

Code to congenital diaphragmatic hernia (Q790). The code Q790 is listed as a subaddress to Q336 in the causation tables; therefore, this sequence is accepted.

34. <u>Intracranial Nontraumatic Hemorrhage of Fetus and Newborn (P52)</u>

    <u>Code</u> P10 (Intracranial laceration and hemorrhage due to birth injury) with the appropriate fourth character:

    When reported due to conditions listed in the causation table under address code P10:

Male, 9 hours		Codes for Record
I	(a) Cerebral hemorrhage	P101
	(b) Fractured skull during birth	P130

    <u>Code to</u> P130. The code P130 is listed as a subaddress to P101 in the causation table; therefore, this sequence is accepted.

35. <u>Hypoplasia or Dysplasia of Lung NOS (Q336)</u>

    <u>Code</u> P280 (Primary atelectasis of newborn):

    When reported anywhere on the record with the following codes and not reported due to diaphragmatic hernia in K44.- or in Q790, and there is no indication that the condition was congenital:

A500-A509	P220-P229
B200-B24	P280
P000-P009	P350-P399
P011-P013	P612
P050-P073	R75

		Codes for Record
I	(a) Hypoplasia lung	P280
	(b)	
	(c)	
II	Prematurity	P073

    <u>Code to</u> primary atelectasis of newborn (P280).

Female, 5 hrs.			Codes for Record
I	(a) Dysplasia of lung	5 hrs	Q336
	(b)		
	(c)		
II	Hyaline membrane disease		P220

    <u>Code to</u> Q336 since the duration and age are the same indicating that the condition was congenital.

36. <u>Fracture (any site) (T142)</u>

<u>Code</u> M844 (Pathological fracture):

a. When reported due to conditions listed in the causation table under address code M844.

b. When reported on the same line with:

     C40-C41   M83
     C795   M88
     M80-M81

> **NOTE:** If a fracture qualifies as pathological, code all fractures reported of the same site pathological as well.

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<tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td><u>Codes for Record</u></td></tr>
<tr><td>I</td><td>(a)</td><td>Fracture hip</td><td>M844</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td>(b)</td><td>Osteoarthritis</td><td>M199</td></tr>
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<u>Code to</u> M199. The code M199 is listed as a subaddress to M844 in the causation table; therefore, this sequence is accepted.

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<tr><td>I</td><td>(a)</td><td>Aspiration pneumonia</td><td>J690</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td>(b)</td><td>Left hip fracture</td><td>M844</td></tr>
<tr><td>II</td><td colspan="2">Hip fracture, anemia, osteoporosis</td><td>M844 D649   M819</td></tr>
</table>

<u>Code to</u> M809. Hip fracture in Part II is reported on the same line with osteoporosis and is coded as pathological. Since fracture of the same site is reported on (b), it is coded as pathological as well. The sequence is accepted and Rule C is applied.