



Western Australian Coding Rule

0719/17 Prescribed drug induced psychosis

WA Coding Rule 1214/06 *Prescribed drug induced psychosis* is superseded by ACCD Coding Rule ***Delirium due to opioids*** (Ref No: Q3144) effective 1 October 2017; (log in to view on the [ACCD CLIP portal](#)).

This change was inadvertently missed in 2017.

DECISION

WA Coding Rule 1214/06 *Prescribed drug induced psychosis* is retired.

[Effective 1 October 2017, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS 10th Ed.]



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1214/06 Prescribed drug induced psychosis

Q.

What is the correct code to assign for drug induced psychosis, when the drug is prescribed and taken therapeutically? Is it appropriate to assign a code from F11-F19? This patient was admitted with L-Dopa induced psychosis.

A.

The block notes at F10-F19 state that “This block contains a wide variety of disorders that differ in severity and clinical form but that are all attributable to the use of one or more psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed.”

Therefore, these codes may be assigned for drug induced psychosis occurring during therapeutic use. The index pathway for L-Dopa induced psychosis is:

Psychosis

- drug induced – code to F11-F19 with fourth character .5

L-Dopa does not fit into any of the categories F11-F18, therefore F19.5 *Mental and behavioural disorders due to multiple drug use and use of psychoactive substances, psychotic disorder* should be assigned. External cause codes for adverse effect in therapeutic use should also be assigned: Y46.7 *Antiparkinsonism drugs causing adverse effects in therapeutic use*, Y92.2 *Place of occurrence, health service area*, U73.8 *Other specified activity*.

DECISION

A code from F11-F19 with a fourth character of .5 should be assigned for drug induced psychosis occurring during therapeutic use. External cause codes for adverse effect in therapeutic use should also be assigned.

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