

Western Australian Coding Rule

1209/08 External cause codes with Y95

Q.

What do we show for hospital acquired pneumonia? We have coded J18.9 Y95 Y922.22 U73.8 is this correct?

A.

Yes we assign Y95. There has been an edit change and Y95 along with the Y90, Y91, Y96, Y97 and Y98 no longer require place of occurrence and activity code. The condition onset flag also tells us it was hospital acquired this episode.

DECISION

Place of occurrence and activity codes are no longer required with Y95.

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