Western Australian Coding Rule

0911/04 Recurrent implantation failure

Q.
Principal diagnosis is documented as “recurrent implantation failure” and patient has come in for hysteroscopy with biopsy looking for UNK cells. Histology results return as “Abnormal” (high level of UNK cells). What is the correct diagnosis code?

A.
Research suggests that there are reasons to suspect that uterine natural killer (UNK) cells may be associated with reproductive failure. No direct link has been made in this case. We advise to code infertility, nonimplantation = N97.2 Female infertility of uterine origin.

DECISION
Assign N97.2 Female infertility of uterine origin for recurrent implantation failure.

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