

Quick Review: IRF Reimbursement



- Non-Medicare Payments
- Medicare Payments based on an assigned Case Mix Group (CMG)
- CMG assigned using IRF-PAI
- Payment initiated using UB-04

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CMS Reimbursement Calculation Uses IRF-PAI

IGC (Supported by Etiologic(s) up to 3)

RIC (Payment Group) + Motor/Age

+ Comorbidities & Complications
(Tier diagnosis)

CMG (Payment Code)/HIPPS (Tier Letter + CMG)

*** Discharge status (May amend Payment)**

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IGC Options

Admission Impairment Group Code and Etiologic Diagnosis
Select ONLY ONE impairment group code (the underlying reason for IRF admission) per admission. The etiologic diagnosis (the condition that caused the impairment) supports the IGC.

- Stroke**
- ☐ 01.1 (L) Body Involvement (R) Brain
 - ☐ 01.2 (R) Body Involvement (L) Brain
 - ☐ 01.3 Bilateral Involvement
 - ☐ 01.4 No Paresis
 - ☐ 01.9 Other Stroke
- Brain Dysfunction**
- ☐ 02.1 Non-Traumatic
 - ☐ 02.21 Traumatic, Open Injury
 - ☐ 02.22 Traumatic, Closed Injury
 - ☐ 02.9 Other Brain
- Neurologic Conditions**
- ☐ 03.1 Multiple Sclerosis
 - ☐ 03.2 Parkinsonism
 - ☐ 03.3 Polyneuropathy
 - ☐ 03.4 Guillain-Barre Syndrome
 - ☐ 03.5 Cerebral Palsy
 - ☐ 03.8 Neuromuscular Disorders
 - ☐ 03.9 Other Neurologic
- Spinal Cord Dysfunction**
- Non-Traumatic**
- ☐ 04.110 Paraplegia, Unspecified
 - ☐ 04.111 Paraplegia, Incomplete
 - ☐ 04.112 Paraplegia, Complete
 - ☐ 04.120 Quadriplegia, Unspecified
 - ☐ 04.121 Quadriplegia, Incomplete C1-4
 - ☐ 04.122 Quadriplegia, Incomplete C5-8
 - ☐ 04.123 Quadriplegia, Complete C1-4
 - ☐ 04.124 Quadriplegia, Complete C5-8
 - ☐ 04.130 Other Non-Traumatic Spinal Cord Dysfunction
- Traumatic**
- ☐ 04.210 Paraplegia, Unspecified
 - ☐ 04.211 Paraplegia, Incomplete
 - ☐ 04.212 Paraplegia, Complete
 - ☐ 04.220 Quadriplegia, Unspecified
 - ☐ 04.221 Quadriplegia, Incomplete C1-4
 - ☐ 04.222 Quadriplegia, Incomplete C5-8
 - ☐ 04.223 Quadriplegia, Complete C1-4
 - ☐ 04.224 Quadriplegia, Complete C5-8
 - ☐ 04.230 Other Traumatic Spinal Cord Dysfunction
- Amputation**
- ☐ 05.1 Unilateral UE Above Elbow
 - ☐ 05.2 Unilateral UE Below Elbow
 - ☐ 05.3 Unilateral LE AKA
 - ☐ 05.4 Unilateral LE BKA
 - ☐ 05.5 Bilateral LE AKA / AKA
 - ☐ 05.6 Bilateral LE AKA / BKA
 - ☐ 05.7 Bilateral LE BKA / BKA
 - ☐ 05.8 Other Amputation
- Arthritis**
- ☐ 06.1 Rheumatoid Arthritis
 - ☐ 06.2 Osteoarthritis
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- Pain Syndrome**
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- Orthopedic Disorders**
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 - ☐ 08.3 Pelvic Fracture
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 - ☐ 08.62 Bilateral Knee Replacement
 - ☐ 08.71 Hip & Knee Replacement (same side)
 - ☐ 08.72 Hip & Knee Replacement (different sides)
 - ☐ 08.9 Other Orthopedic
- Cardiac**
- ☐ 09 Cardiac
- Pulmonary**
- ☐ 10.1 COPD
 - ☐ 10.9 Other Pulmonary
- Burns**
- ☐ 11 Burns
- Congenital Deformities**
- ☐ 12.1 Spinal Bifida
 - ☐ 12.9 Other Congenital Deformity
- Other Disabling Impairments**
- ☐ 13 Other Disabling Impairments
- Major Multiple Trauma**
- ☐ 14.1 Brain + Spinal Cord Injury
 - ☐ 14.2 Brain + Multiple Fractures / Amputation
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 - ☐ 14.9 Other Multiple Trauma
- Developmental Disability**
- ☐ 15 Developmental Disability
- Debilty**
- ☐ 16 Debility (non-cardiac, non-pulmonary)
- Medically Complex**
- CAUTION:** Use ONLY if the reason for admission is medical management and rehabilitation treatments are 2" to medical management.
- ☐ 17.1 Infections
 - ☐ 17.2 Neoplasms
 - ☐ 17.31 Nutrition w/ Intubation / Parenteral Nutrition
 - ☐ 17.32 Nutrition w/out Intubation / Parenteral Nutrition
 - ☐ 17.4 Circulatory Disorders
 - ☐ 17.51 Respiratory Disorders (Ventilator Dependent)
 - ☐ 17.52 Respiratory Disorders (Non-Ventilator Dependent)
 - ☐ 17.6 Terminal Care
 - ☐ 17.7 Skin Disorders
 - ☐ 17.8 Medical / Surgical Complications
 - ☐ 17.9 Other Medically Complex Conditions

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IRF Payment Logic

RIC/IGC	CMG	CMG Description (M=motor, A=age)	National Average Unadjusted Payment Rate (\$18,541)											
			TIER 1 - B			TIER 2 - C			TIER 3 - D			NO COMORBIDS - A		
			RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS	RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS	RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS	RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS
(01) STROKE 01.1 - 01.9	0101	Stroke M >=72.50	0.9840	\$ 18,244.34	9	0.8414	\$ 15,600.40	10	0.7763	\$ 14,393.38	9	0.7348	\$ 13,623.93	9
	0102	Stroke M >=63.50 and M <72.50	1.2601	\$ 23,363.51	12	1.0774	\$ 19,976.07	11	0.9941	\$ 18,431.61	11	0.9409	\$ 17,445.23	11
	0103	Stroke M >=50.50 and M <63.50	1.6264	\$ 30,155.08	14	1.3907	\$ 25,784.97	14	1.2830	\$ 23,788.10	14	1.2144	\$ 22,516.19	13
	0104	Stroke M >=41.50 and M <50.50	2.0857	\$ 38,670.96	17	1.7834	\$ 33,066.02	18	1.6454	\$ 30,507.36	17	1.5574	\$ 28,875.75	17
	0105	Stroke M <41.50 and A >=84.50	2.5400	\$ 47,094.14	24	2.1718	\$ 40,267.34	21	2.0038	\$ 37,152.46	20	1.8966	\$ 35,164.86	20
	0106	Stroke M <41.50 and A <84.50	2.9022	\$ 53,809.69	25	2.4816	\$ 46,011.35	25	2.2895	\$ 42,449.62	23	2.1671	\$ 40,180.20	22

IGC 1.2

(03) NON-TRAUMATIC BRAIN 02.1 & 02.9	0301	Non-traumatic brain injury M >=65.50	1.2082	\$ 22,401.24	10	0.9506	\$ 17,625.07	10	0.8859	\$ 16,425.47	10	0.8275	\$ 15,342.68	9
	0302	Non-traumatic brain injury M >=52.50 and M <65.50	1.5486	\$ 28,712.59	13	1.2184	\$ 22,590.35	13	1.1355	\$ 21,053.31	12	1.0606	\$ 19,664.58	12
	0303	Non-traumatic brain injury M >=42.50 and M <52.50	1.8539	\$ 34,373.16	15	1.4586	\$ 27,043.90	15	1.3593	\$ 25,202.78	14	1.2697	\$ 23,541.51	13
	0304	Non-traumatic brain injury M <42.50 and A >=78.50	2.1918	\$ 40,638.16	19	1.7245	\$ 31,973.95	17	1.6091	\$ 29,834.32	16	1.5011	\$ 27,831.90	15
	0305	Non-traumatic brain injury M <42.50 and A <78.50	2.3908	\$ 44,327.82	20	1.8810	\$ 34,875.62	19	1.7530	\$ 32,502.37	17	1.6974	\$ 31,471.49	17

IGC 2.1

Tier Opportunities

Code	Code Title	Tier	RIC Exclusion
J38.01	Paralysis of vocal cords and larynx, unilateral	1	15
J38.02	Paralysis of vocal cords and larynx, bilateral	1	15
J38.4	Edema of larynx	1	15
Z43.0	Encounter for attention to tracheostomy	1	--
Z93.0	Tracheostomy status	1	--
Z99.2	Dependence on renal dialysis	1	--
A04.71	Enterocolitis due to clostridium difficile, recurrent	2	--
A04.72	Enterocolitis due to clostridium difficile, not specified as recurrent	2	--
A04.8	Other specified bacterial intestinal infections	2	--
B96.5	Pseudomonas (aeruginosa) (mallei) (pseudomallei) as the cause of diseases classified elsewhere	2	--
I69.091	Dysphagia following nontraumatic subarachnoid hemorrhage	2	01
I69.191	Dysphagia following nontraumatic intracerebral hemorrhage	2	01
I69.291	Dysphagia following other nontraumatic intracranial hemorrhage	2	01
I69.391	Dysphagia following cerebral infarction	2	01
I69.891	Dysphagia following other cerebrovascular disease	2	01
I69.991	Dysphagia following unspecified cerebrovascular disease	2	01
K91.2	Postsurgical malabsorption, not elsewhere classified	2	--
R13.0	Aphagia	2	01
R13.10	Dysphagia, unspecified	2	01
R13.11	Dysphagia, oral phase	2	01
R13.12	Dysphagia, oropharyngeal phase	2	01
R13.13	Dysphagia, pharyngeal phase	2	01
R13.14	Dysphagia, pharyngoesophageal phase	2	01
R13.19	Other dysphagia	2	01

Common Tier 3 (Incomplete List)

- Pneumonia
- Sepsis
- Cellulitis specified location
- Abscess certain locations
- Diabetes with Manifestations
- Specified CHF (Systolic/Diastolic; Chronic/Acute)
- Encephalitis
- CAD of specified vessels w/ gangrene and/or ulceration
- Hemiplegia (in non-CVA patient)
- Certain Infections/Organisms
- Colostomy/Enterotomy malfunction, hemorrhage, infection, complication
- Post Op Infections

Appendix C – List of Comorbidities FY2022

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IRF-PAI Calculates CMG/HIPPS

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INPATIENT REHABILITATION FACILITY - PATIENT ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENT

Identification Information		Medical Information	
1. Facility Information A. Facility Name _____		21. Impairment Group* Condition requiring admission to rehabilitation, code according to procedure A	
2. Patient Medicare Number _____		22. Etiologic Diagnosis (Use ICD codes to indicate the etiologic problem that led to the condition for which the patient is receiving rehabilitation)	
3. Patient Medicaid Number _____		23. Date of Onset of Impairment MM/DD/YYYY	
4. Patient First Name _____		24. Comorbid Conditions Use ICD codes to enter comorbid medical conditions	
5A. Patient Last Name _____		24A. Are there any arthritis conditions recorded in items #21, #22, or #24 that meet all of the regulatory requirements for IRF classification (see 412.29(b)(2)(iii), (iv), and (vii))?	
5B. Patient Identification Number _____		24B. Height and Weight (While measuring the number in 1-1.3-4 round down, 1.5 or greater round up)	
6. Birth Date MM/DD/YYYY		25A. Height on admission (in inches) _____	
7. Social Security Number _____		26A. Weight on admission (in pounds) _____	
8. Gender (1 - Male; 2 - Female) _____		Measure weight consistently, according to standard facility practice (e.g., in a.m. after voiding, with shoes off, etc.)	
9. Marital Status (1 - Never Married; 2 - Married; 3 - Widowed; 4 - Separated; 5 - Divorced) _____			
10. Zip Code of Patient's Pre-Hospital Residence _____			
11. Admission Date MM/DD/YYYY			
12. Assessment Reference Date MM/DD/YYYY			
13. Admission Class (1 - Initial Rehab; 2 - Readmission; 3 - Discharge; 4 - Discharge to Home; 5 - Continuing Rehabilitation)			
14. Adult From (01 - Home (private home), 02 - Board care, assisted living, group home, transitional living, other residential care arrangements; 03 - Short-term General Hospital; 04 - Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF); 05 - Intermediate care; 06 - Home under care of organized home health service organization; 07 - Hospice (home); 08 - Hospice (medical facility); 09 - Living hall; 10 - Another Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility; 11 - Long-Term Care Hospital (LTC/H); 12 - Medical Nursing Facility; 13 - Inpatient Psychiatric Facility; 14 - Critical Access Hospital (CAH); 99 - Not Listed)			
15. Pre-hospital Living Setting Use codes from 15A. Adult From			
16. Pre-hospital Living With (Code only if from 15A.01 - Home. Code using 01 - Alone; 02 - Family/Relatives; 03 - Friends; 04 - Attendant; 05 - Other)			

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Discharge Information		Therapy Information	
40. Discharge Date MM/DD/YYYY		0401. Week 1: Total Number of Minutes Provided	
41. Patient discharged against medical advice? (0 - No; 1 - Yes)		0401A. Physical Therapy	
42. Program Interruption(s) (0 - No; 1 - Yes)		a. Total minutes of individual therapy _____	
43. Program Interruption Dates (Code only if item 42 is 1 - Yes)		b. Total minutes of concurrent therapy _____	
A. 1st Interruption Date MM/DD/YYYY		c. Total minutes of group therapy _____	
B. 1st Return Date MM/DD/YYYY		d. Total minutes of co-treatment therapy _____	
C. 2nd Interruption Date MM/DD/YYYY		0401B. Occupational Therapy	
D. 2nd Return Date MM/DD/YYYY		a. Total minutes of individual therapy _____	
E. 3rd Interruption Date MM/DD/YYYY		b. Total minutes of concurrent therapy _____	
F. 3rd Return Date MM/DD/YYYY		c. Total minutes of group therapy _____	
44C. Was the patient discharged alive? (0 - No; 1 - Yes)		d. Total minutes of co-treatment therapy _____	
44D. Patient's discharge destination (living setting, using codes below: answer only if 44C = 1; if 44C = 0, skip to item 46)		0401C. Speech-Language Pathology	
(01 - Home (private home), board care, assisted living, group home, transitional living, other residential care arrangements; 02 - Short-term General Hospital; 03 - Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF); 04 - Intermediate care; 05 - Home under care of organized home health service organization; 06 - Hospice (home); 07 - Hospice (medical facility); 08 - Living hall; 09 - Another Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility; 10 - Long-Term Care Hospital (LTC/H); 11 - Medical Nursing Facility; 12 - Inpatient Psychiatric Facility; 13 - Critical Access Hospital (CAH); 99 - Not Listed)		a. Total minutes of individual therapy _____	
45. Discharge to Living With (Code only if from 44C is 1 - Yes and 44D is 01 - Home. Code using 1 - Alone; 2 - Family/Relatives; 3 - Friends; 4 - Attendant; 5 - Other)		b. Total minutes of concurrent therapy _____	
46. Complications during rehabilitation stay (The ICD codes to specify up to six conditions that began with this rehabilitation stay)		c. Total minutes of group therapy _____	
A. _____ B. _____		d. Total minutes of co-treatment therapy _____	
C. _____ D. _____		0402. Week 2: Total Number of Minutes Provided	
E. _____ F. _____		0402A. Physical Therapy	
		a. Total minutes of individual therapy _____	
		b. Total minutes of concurrent therapy _____	
		c. Total minutes of group therapy _____	
		d. Total minutes of co-treatment therapy _____	
		0402B. Occupational Therapy	
		a. Total minutes of individual therapy _____	
		b. Total minutes of concurrent therapy _____	
		c. Total minutes of group therapy _____	
		d. Total minutes of co-treatment therapy _____	
		0402C. Speech-Language Pathology	
		a. Total minutes of individual therapy _____	
		b. Total minutes of concurrent therapy _____	
		c. Total minutes of group therapy _____	
		d. Total minutes of co-treatment therapy _____	

IGC + CC +
GG =
CMG

Discharge Status—
Consistent with NUBC
Guidelines (UB-04
codes)
(MOST OF THE TIME)

Interruption or
Death Dx

Complications

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HIPPS Code (CMG) Determines Payment

**HIPPS
code/CMG
determines
payment
amounts (CMS)**

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Making Reimbursement Happen (Both Forms Required)

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POLL - Putting it All Together # 1

Which of the following are added together to form a HIPPS Code?

- A. DRG and RIC
- B. CMG and DRG
- C. CMG and Tier
- D. RIC and Tier only

POLL - Putting it All Together # 2

Which of the following contains the information used for CMG calculation?

- A. IRF-PAI
- B. UB-04
- C. Pre-Admission Screen
- D. None of the Above

POLL - Putting it All Together # 3

How many face-to-face visits is the rehab physician required to make per week?

- A. One visit
- B. Three visits
- C. Five visits
- D. No minimum requirement exists

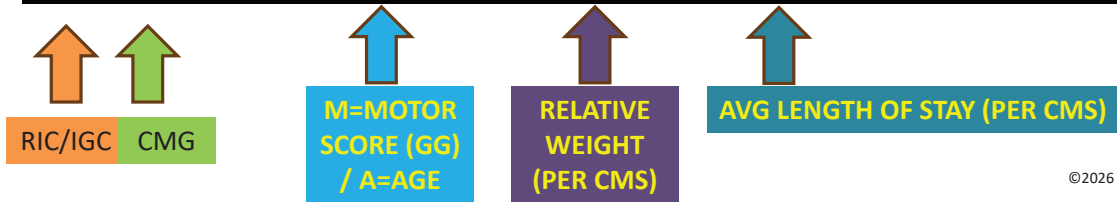
POLL - Putting it All Together # 4

67-year-old female, IGC 3.2 Parkinson's, Motor Score = 37.5, Tier 3 diagnosis reported, What is CMG?

- A. A0602
- B. C0604
- C. D0604
- D. None of the above

RIC/CMG VALUATION FY 2025

RIC/IGC	CMG	CMG Description (M=motor, A=age)	National Average Unadjusted Payment Rate (\$18,907)											
			TIER 1 - B			TIER 2 - C			TIER 3 - D			NO COMORBIDS - A		
			RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS	RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS	RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS	RW	PMT *1	AVG LOS
(06) NEURO 03.1; 03.2; 03.3; 03.5; 03.8-03.9	0601	Neurological M >=64.50	1.3287	\$ 25,121.73	10	0.9948	\$ 18,808.68	10	0.9287	\$ 17,558.93	10	0.8376	\$ 15,836.50	9
	0602	Neurological M >=52.50 and M <64.50	1.6853	\$ 31,863.97	13	1.2618	\$ 23,856.85	12	1.1779	\$ 22,270.56	12	1.0623	\$ 20,084.91	11
	0603	Neurological M >=43.50 and M <52.50	1.9858	\$ 37,545.52	15	1.4867	\$ 28,109.04	14	1.3879	\$ 26,241.03	13	1.2517	\$ 23,665.89	13
	0604	Neurological M <43.50	2.4904	\$ 47,085.99	20	1.8645	\$ 35,252.10	17	1.7406	\$ 32,909.52	16	1.5698	\$ 29,680.21	16



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POLL - Putting it All Together # 5

75-year-old male, IGC 8.4 Multiple Fractures, Motor Score = 50.50, Tier 2 diagnosis reported, What is CMG?

- A. B1802
- B. D1704
- C. B1702
- D. C1702

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POLL - Putting it All Together # 6

IGC 8.11 Left Hip Fracture, Motor Score = 60.25, Tier 1 diagnosis reported, patient expired on day 6 following admission. What is CMG?

- A. B0702
- B. A5101
- C. C0702
- D. None of the above

POLL - Putting it All Together # 7

Patient is 69 year old male. IGC 2.1 Non-Traumatic Brain, Motor Score = 47.50, Tier 3 diagnosis reported. Patient discharged on day 2 back to acute and does not return to the IRF. What CMG is paid?

- A. D0305
- B. A5001
- C. D0304
- D. D0303

POLL - Putting it All Together # 8

Patient is 48-year-old male. IGC 8.3, Motor Score = 49.20, Tier 1 diagnosis reported. What is CMG?

- A. A0703
- B. B0704
- C. A0704
- D. B0703

POLL - Putting it All Together # 9

Same as last patient - patient is 48-year-old male. IGC 8.3, Motor Score = 49.20, Tier 1 diagnosis reported. According to the RIC CMG Valuation grid provided, this patient must be discharged by day 16.

- A. True
- B. False

POLL - Putting it All Together # 10

Diagnoses reported as complications
can impact the CMG.

- A. True
- B. False



IGC Selection Basics

A Walk Through the IGC's

Stroke

- ☐ 01.1 (L) Body Involvement (R) Brain
- ☐ 01.2 (R) Body Involvement (L) Brain
- ☐ 01.3 Bilateral Involvement
- ☐ 01.4 No Paresis
- ☐ 01.9 Other Stroke

Brain Dysfunction

- ☐ 02.1 Non-Traumatic
- ☐ 02.21 Traumatic, Open Injury
- ☐ 02.22 Traumatic, Closed Injury
- ☐ 02.9 Other Brain

Neurologic Conditions

- ☐ 03.1 Multiple Sclerosis
- ☐ 03.2 Parkinsonism
- ☐ 03.3 Polyneuropathy
- ☐ 03.4 Guillain-Barre Syndrome
- ☐ 03.5 Cerebral Palsy
- ☐ 03.8 Neuromuscular Disorders
- ☐ 03.9 Other Neurologic

Spinal Cord Dysfunction

- ☐ 04.10 Paraplegia, Unspecified
- ☐ 04.11 Paraplegia, Incomplete
- ☐ 04.12 Paraplegia, Complete
- ☐ 04.120 Quadriplegia, Unspecified
- ☐ 04.121 Quadriplegia, Incomplete C1-4
- ☐ 04.122 Quadriplegia, Complete C1-4
- ☐ 04.1222 Quadriplegia, Complete C1-4
- ☐ 04.130 Other Non-Traumatic Spinal Cord Dysfunction

Traumatic

- ☐ 04.210 Paraplegia, Unspecified
- ☐ 04.211 Paraplegia, Incomplete
- ☐ 04.212 Paraplegia, Complete
- ☐ 04.220 Quadriplegia, Unspecified
- ☐ 04.221 Quadriplegia, Incomplete C1-4
- ☐ 04.222 Quadriplegia, Complete C1-4
- ☐ 04.2222 Quadriplegia, Complete C1-4
- ☐ 04.230 Other Traumatic Spinal Cord

Amputation

- ☐ 05.1 Unilateral UE Above Elbow
- ☐ 05.2 Unilateral UE Below Elbow
- ☐ 05.3 Unilateral LE AKA
- ☐ 05.4 Unilateral LE BKA
- ☐ 05.5 Bilateral LE AKA / AKA
- ☐ 05.6 Bilateral LE AKA / BKA
- ☐ 05.7 Bilateral LE BKA / BKA
- ☐ 05.9 Other Amputation

Arthritis

- ☐ 06.1 Rheumatoid Arthritis
- ☐ 06.2 Osteoarthritis
- ☐ 06.9 Other Arthritis

Pain Syndrome

- ☐ 07.1 Neck Pain
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- ☐ 07.3 Extremity Pain
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Orthopedic Disorders

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- ☐ 08.61 Unilateral Knee Replacement
- ☐ 08.62 Bilateral Knee Replacement
- ☐ 08.71 Hip & Knee Replacement (same side)
- ☐ 08.72 Hip & Knee Replacement (different sides)
- ☐ 08.9 Other Orthopedic

Cardiac

- ☐ 09 Cardiac

Pulmonary

- ☐ 10.1 COPD
- ☐ 10.9 Other Pulmonary

Burns

- ☐ 11 Burns

Congenital Deformities

- ☐ 12.1 Spinal Bifida
- ☐ 12.9 Other Congenital Deformity

Other Disabling Impairments

- ☐ 13 Other Disabling Impairments

Major Multiple Trauma

- ☐ 14.1 Brain + Spinal Cord Injury
- ☐ 14.2 Brain + Multiple Fractures / Amputation
- ☐ 14.3 Spinal Cord + Multiple Fractures / Amputation
- ☐ 14.9 Other Multiple Trauma

Developmental Disability

- ☐ 15 Developmental Disability

Debilux

- ☐ 16 Debility (non-cardiac, non-pulmonary)

Medically Complex

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- ☐ 17.1 Infections
- ☐ 17.2 Neoplasms
- ☐ 17.31 Nutrition w/ Intubation / Parenteral Nutrition
- ☐ 17.32 Nutrition w/out Intubation / Parenteral Nutrition
- ☐ 17.4 Circulatory Disorders
- ☐ 17.51 Respiratory Disorders (Ventilator Dependent)
- ☐ 17.52 Respiratory Disorders (Non-Ventilator Dependent)
- ☐ 17.6 Terminal Care
- ☐ 17.7 Skin Disorders
- ☐ 17.8 Medical / Surgical Complications
- ☐ 17.9 Other Medically Complex Conditions

IRF-PAI Items 21 and 22

Identification Information		Medical Information	
1. Facility Information A. Facility Name B. Facility Medicare Provider Number _____		21. Impairment Group* Admission Discharge Condition requiring admission to rehabilitation; code according to Appendix A.	
2. Patient Medicare Number _____ 3. Patient Medicaid Number _____ 4. Patient First Name _____ 5A. Patient Last Name _____		22. Etiologic Diagnosis <i>(Use ICD codes to indicate the etiologic problem that led to the condition for which the patient is receiving rehabilitation)</i> (Use ICD codes to indicate the etiologic problem that led to the condition for which the patient is receiving rehabilitation) A. _____ B. _____ C. _____	
		23. Date of Onset of Impairment MM / DD / YYYY	
		24. Comorbid Conditions Use ICD codes to enter comorbid medical conditions A. _____ B. _____ J. _____ K. _____ S. _____ T. _____	

Admission IGC Determines CMG

ETIOLOGIC(S) SUPPORT(S) IMPAIRMENT (IGC)

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STROKE (01)

The STROKE Impairment Group includes cases with the diagnosis of cerebral ischemia due to vascular thrombosis, embolism, or hemorrhage.

NOTE: Do NOT use for cases with brain dysfunction secondary to non-vascular causes such as trauma, inflammation, tumor, or degenerative changes. These should be coded under BRAIN DYSFUNCTION (02) instead.

- 01.1 Left Body (Right Brain)
- 01.2 Right Body (Left Brain)
- 01.3 Bilateral
- 01.4 No Paresis
- 01.9 Other Stroke

UDS SM Impairment Group	UDS SM Impairment Group Code (Item 21)	RIC	ICD-10 CM Code (Item 22)	Etiologic Diagnosis
STROKE	01.1 – 01.9	Stroke (01)	I60.00–I60.9	Nontraumatic subarachnoid hemorrhage, including ruptured cerebral aneurysm
			I61.0–I61.9	Nontraumatic intracerebral hemorrhage
			I62.00–I62.9	Other and unspecified Nontraumatic intracranial hemorrhage
			I63.00, I63.011–I63.019, I63.02, I63.031–I63.039, I63.09–I63.10, I63.111–I63.119, I63.12, I63.131–I63.139, I63.19–I63.20, I63.211–I63.219, I63.22, I63.231–I63.239, I63.29	Occlusion and stenosis of precerebral arteries, with cerebral infarction
			I63.30, I63.311–I63.349, I63.39, I63.40, I63.411–I63.449, I63.49–I63.50, I63.511–I63.549, I63.59, I63.6, I63.8–I63.9	Occlusion and stenosis of cerebral arteries, with cerebral infarction
			I67.89	Other cerebrovascular disease

IGC/RIC
Instructions

IGC Options

Crosswalk
Table

FIND YOUR ETIOLOGIC (CAUSE OF THE IMPAIRMENT) AND MATCH TO IMPAIRMENT (IGC)

HINT: ICD-10 & IGC By the Letter

- **A, B** – Infections (Organisms) → Debility
- **C, D** - Neoplasms → NT Brain, NT Spine, Ortho, Debility
- **E** – Endocrine/Metabolic → Amputation, Brain
- **F**- Mental, Behavioral, Neurodevelopmental Disorders → Other, Developmental Disability
- **G** – Nervous System → Neuro, Ortho, Spinal Cord, NT Brain
- **H** – Eye/Ear → None
- **I** – Circulatory System (Cerebrovascular and Cardiovascular) → Stroke, Cardiac
- **J** – Respiratory → Pulmonary
- **K** - Digestive → Debility

Common IGC's

FIND YOUR ETIOLOGIC (CAUSE OF THE IMPAIRMENT) AND MATCH TO IMPAIRMENT (IGC)

HINT: ICD-10 & IGC By the Letter

- **L** – Skin /SubQ Tissues → Debility
- **M** – Musculoskeletal (Not Traumatic Injuries) → Ortho, NT Spine
- **N** - Genitourinary → Debility
- **O/P** - Pregnancy/Newborns → Determined by Deficits/Cause
- **Q** - Congenital → Congenital, Ortho
- **R** – Signs, Symptoms and Abnormal Clinical/Lab Findings → Debility
- **S, T** – Injuries (Including Burns and Complications) and Poisonings → Debility, Ortho, Burns, Spine, T Brain
- **U**- Codes For Special Circumstances → Debility,
- **V, Y** – External Causes → None
- **Z** – Factors Influencing Health (Status Codes – Not typically used as etiologic) → None

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For Correct IGC - ASK!

*What is/are the Underlying Diagnosis(es) that caused the **PRIMARY** Impairment?*



*What is the **PRIMARY** Focus of Treatment?*



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You Select the IGC

Patient found on the side of the road; fractured breast plate, left femur fracture and right humeral fracture, left tri-malleolar fracture, multiple facial fractures, missing teeth, patient was unconscious first 24 hours while in the acute hospital. No brain injury noted.

IGC_____

You Select the IGC

Patient found in alley with LaFort III fractures and traumatic subdural hemorrhage and loss of consciousness for 12 hours after arrival in the acute setting.

IGC_____

You Select the IGC

Patient presents to rehabilitation following a lumbar laminectomy with fusion L4-L5 for spinal stenosis, primary focus of care post surgical strengthening.

IGC_____

You Select the IGC

Patient presents with incomplete paraparesis following cervical fusion at C3-T1 for Spondylosis with myelopathy, now with residual bowel and bladder incontinence; proximal weakness; problems with fine motor skills in the upper extremities.

IGC_____

POLL - Putting it All Together #11

IRF patient had a TBI in 1992 oddly enough they have a recent diagnosis of NPH and cognitive impairment. The acute side does not make the link between the old TBI and these impairments, but the rehab provider does. Per the H&P "Reason for admission: NPH S/P VP shunt...CNS dysfunction w weakness LE and upper para stenosis. Evidence of large ventricles, VP shunt inserted 7/18."

- A. 2.1 Non Traumatic Brain
- B. 2.22 Traumatic closed TBI
- C. 2.21 Traumatic open TBI
- D. Other IGC not listed

POLL - Putting it All Together # 12

82-year-old lady with respiratory debility secondary to recent pneumonia. She is status post foot surgery. She is status post recent acute respiratory failure, acute kidney injury and has oxygen dependent hypoxia, anemia, urinating difficulties requiring of indwelling Foley catheter at the time of admission. She has hypertension, tachycardia, hiatal hernia and history of gastric ulcer and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. Reported IGC is 10.9 Do you agree?

- A. Yes
- B. No

POLL - Putting it All Together #13

IGC: 17.8-Medical/Surgical Complications

Etiology: G72.81 Critical illness myopathy 2/2
prolonged ventilation, NSTEMI I21.4, pneumonia J69.0

80-year-old female with a history of obstructive sleep apnea, hypertension, dyslipidemia, obesity, atrial fibrillation. Patient was initially admitted to the hospital because of left knee surgery, but developed aspiration pneumonia, became unresponsive and was subsequently intubated for multifocal pneumonia. She stayed several days in the ICU resulting in CIM. Agree with IGC?

- A. Yes
- B. No

POLL - Putting it All Together #14

Pt is coded as 4.130 with Etiologic of G93.5 (compression of brain)

Just prior to rehab admit, pt. had a sub occipital craniotomy, complete C1 decompression, partial C3 decompression. Had previous back surgeries at L4-L5 with disc compression on spinal canal. No evidence of continued compression. Do you agree with IGC?

- A. Yes
- B. No

POLL - Putting it All Together #15

Etiology: Spinal stenosis. Left lumbar hemilaminectomy and posterolateral fusion of L2 through S1.

Patient is a 46-year-old with history of lumbar stenosis, L3-L4 and L4-L5 hemilaminectomy and posterolateral fusion of L2 through S1. Patient had left lower extremity weakness after her surgery and was put on Decadron treatment. During subacute stay, patient was trying to get out of the bed, had difficulty moving her LLE and fell on the floor sustaining trauma to the head. She denied loss of consciousness. Patient admitted to rehab due to impaired ambulation and ADL's secondary to lumbar stenosis L3-L3 and L4-L5 with radiculopathy.

- A. 4.130 Non-Traumatic Cord, Unsp
- B. 8.9 Other Ortho
- C. 03.9 Other Neuro
- D. 14.1 Brain and Spinal Cord

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You Select the IGC: 59-year-old female s/p MVA.....

IGC: _____ **A** Traumatic Fractures at L-1 through L-4 now with gait instability and extreme pain, non-surgical candidate care is focused on the patient's pain

IGC: _____ **B** Traumatic Fractures at L-1 through L-4, laminectomy and fusion following to rehab with foot drop, radiculopathy.

IGC: _____ **C** Traumatic Fractures at L-1 through L-4 Laminectomy and fusion to rehab with bilateral incomplete Lower extremity paralysis, bowel and bladder incontinence.



Let's Chat – Speed Round

- CVA with left hemiparesis
- Left BKA
- CVA with ataxia
- Compression Fracture L2 & L4 not surgical candidate
- Metabolic Encephalopathy



Let's Chat - Speed Round

- Critical Illness Myoneuropathy
- Pneumonia
- Critical Illness Neuropathy
- Skull Fracture with SAH and SDH
- Acute on Chronic CHF

Let's Chat - Speed Round

- Seizures without cognitive deficits, stated with generalized weakness
- Right AKA with former BKA
- Sepsis
- Lumbar Spondylosis with radiculopathy s/p surgery



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Let's Chat - You Select the IGC

- Ankle fracture with surgical repair
- Post Op CABG
- Acute on Chronic Kidney Failure
- Fracture Hip and Metacarpal both surgically repaired



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Potential RISK – IGC Selection

- ✓ Neuro vs Other Ortho vs Non-Traumatic Spine
- ✓ Hip Fracture vs Hip Replacement
- ✓ Non-Traumatic Brain vs Debility
- ✓ Neuromuscular vs Other Neurologic
- ✓ Other Pulmonary or Cardiac vs Debility
- ✓ Medically Complex vs Debility/any other IGC
- ✓ Major Multiple Fractures vs MMT
- ✓ Other Disabling vs Amputation
- ✓ Debility vs Traumatic Spine

Potential RISK-Documentation



- ✓ Reporting Spine, Non-Traumatic Brain, and Neuro IGC without Deficits to Support
- ✓ Not Supporting a single IGC (but Many)
- ✓ Admitted for “Multiple Medical Reasons”
- ✓ Not documenting the clear reason for admission states “debility” or “gait dysfunction”

