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National Health Interview Survey: fiscal year 1963 - 1966

Diagnostic Recode #2  
Acute Conditions

Purpose: Recode #2 consists of 32 2-digit categories of frequently reported acute conditions. These acute condition categories have been selected from the more extensive diagnostic listing in Diagnostic Recode #1 following definitions shown below. Categories shown in this recode are used for summary tabulation and publication purposes.

Definition of Acute Condition: For the purposes of the National Health Interview Survey an acute condition is any disease or injury with onset in the 3-month reference period prior to the week of interview, exclusive of certain conditions always classed as chronic regardless of the date of onset. The incidence of acute conditions is limited to acute conditions with onset in the 2-week reference period prior to the interview week. Acute conditions also include current deliveries, normal or complicated, and current complications of pregnancy and the puerperium. Acute conditions must have had activity restriction or medical attention in order to be included in the survey statistics.

Acute conditions, as defined, are given a supplementary 1-digit code number identifying them as acute, and are sorted for tabulation under Recode #2 categories on this basis. Also, the incidence of acute conditions is tabulated under Recodes #1 and #2 only for those conditions with onset in the 2-week period prior to interview.

Content: Each line of the recode contains the following elements: Recode #2 number, title summarizing the contents of the category, Recode #1 inclusions, and rubric numbers from the International Classification of Diseases (ICD).

A summary listing of modifications which affect the use of the recode is shown as follows:

- (a) The letter "S" following an ICD rubric number means that this is a special number devised for survey purposes which is not to be found in the ICD.
- (b) Certain ICD rubrics are recoded to other locations within the list of rubrics; these recoded ICD rubrics are shown in parentheses in the recode listing.
- (c) A 4th digit "9" of any ICD rubric has been changed to "X" to avoid confusion with the use of ".9" as a 4th-digit denoting traumatic origin of a chronic condition.
- (d) The abbreviations "NOS" and "NEC" represent, respectively, "not otherwise specified" and "not elsewhere classified".

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Recode #2	Title	Recode #1 Inclusions	ICD Inclusions as modified by NHIS
01	Measles and rubella	024, 025	085, 086
02	Whooping cough, chickenpox, mumps	015, 026, 028	056, 087, 089
03	Virus (infection) ill-defined or NOS	032	097-S
04	Other acute infective and parasitic diseases	005-014, 016-023, 027, 029-031, 033-041	021, 029, 030, 032-034, 036-055, 057 exc. 057.2, 058-064, 070-074, 080, 082, 084, 088, 090-095, 096.0-096.8, 096.X, 100-138
05	Acute diseases of eye	117-119, 123	370-379, 381-384, 386, 388 (781.0-781.2)
06	Acute diseases of ear	124, 125	390-394 exc.: 391.1, 392.1, 393.1; 395, 396, (781.3)
07	Common cold	145	470
08	Other acute upper respiratory conditions	146, 156	471-475, 511, 517
09	Pneumonia, NEC	149, 150	492, 493, (490, 491 not used after 7/1/58)
10	Acute bronchitis	152	500, 501
11	Other acute respiratory conditions excluding influenza	157, 159, 229	518-525, 527, 783
12	Acute dental conditions	160, 161	530-535 exc. 533.0, 533.5-533.7
13	Functional and symptomatic upper gastro-intestinal conditions, NEC	165	544, 784.0-784.3, 784.5, 784.6, 784.8
14	Other acute digestive system disorders	162, 164, 166, 168, 170-178, 230-233	536-539, 543, 545, 550-553, 570, 571, 573-587 exc. 587.1, (784.4), 784.7, 785.0-785.3, 785.5, 785.7-785.X, (785.4, 785.6)
15	Headache, -3 mos.	225	791
16	Acute genitor-urinary disorders	179, 182, 183, 185-194, 234	590, 591, 593, 600, 601, 603, 605-609, 613-617, 621, 622, 624-637, 786, 789
17	Deliveries, normal or complicated	198-200	660, 661-S, 670-678
18	Abortions, and complications of pregnancy and puerperium	195-197, 201, 202	640-652, 680-689

For FY 1967, recode #1 "157" was removed from recode #2 "11".

19	Acute diseases of the skin	203-207	690-698, 700-714, 716 if -3 mos.
20	Lumbago, fibrositis, myositis	212	726.0, 726.1, 726.3
21	Other acute musculoskeletal disorders	213-217, 235	730 exc. 730.1, 731-733, 735, 738, 740-743, 787
22	Fractures and dislocations	242-250, 252-254	800-839
23	Sprains and strains	256-259	840-848
24	Open wounds and lacerations	264-267	870, 872-879, 880-885, 890-895, 900-908
25	Contusions and superficial injuries	268, 269	910-929
26	Reactions and complications due to medical and surgical procedures	279	997-999.2
27	Other injuries, -3 mos.	260, 261, 263, 270, 271, 273, 275-278	850-856, 860-869, 930-994, 996
28	Acute circulatory conditions	136, 139-144, 228	451-456, 463-468 exc. 468.0, 782.3, 782.5-782.8, 782.X
29	Other acute conditions	091-094, 096-101, 106, 111-116, 221-224, 227, 236-241	All other ICD code numbers which may be acute conditions
30	(Not used)		
31	Influenza with digestive manifestations	147	482
32	Other influenza	148	480, 481, 483