

# J2100: Recent Surgery Requiring Active SNF Care

**J2100. Recent Surgery Requiring Active SNF Care** - Complete only if A0310B = 01 or if state requires completion with an OBRA assessment

Enter Code

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Did the resident have a major surgical procedure during the prior inpatient hospital stay that requires active care during the SNF stay?

- 0. No
- 1. Yes
- 8. Unknown

## Item Rationale

### Health-related Quality of Life

A recent history of major surgery during the inpatient stay that preceded the resident's Part A admission can affect a resident's recovery.

### Planning for Care

This item identifies whether the resident had major surgery during the inpatient stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission. A recent history of major surgery can affect a resident's recovery.

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### Steps for Assessment

Ask the resident and *their* family or significant other about any surgical procedures that occurred during the inpatient hospital stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission.

Review the resident's medical record to determine whether the resident had major surgery during the inpatient hospital stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission.

Medical record sources include medical records received from facilities where the resident received health care during the inpatient hospital stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission, the most recent history and physical, transfer documents, discharge summaries, progress notes, and other resources as available.

### Coding Instructions

**Code 0, No:** if the resident did not have major surgery during the inpatient hospital stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission.

**Code 1, Yes:** if the resident had major surgery during the inpatient hospital stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission.

**Code 8, Unknown:** if it is unknown or cannot be determined whether the resident had major surgery during the inpatient hospital stay that immediately preceded the resident's Part A admission.

### Coding Tips

Generally, major surgery for item J2100 refers to a procedure that meets the following criteria:

the resident was an inpatient in an acute care hospital for at least one day in the 30 days prior to admission to the skilled nursing facility (SNF), **and**

the surgery carried some degree of risk to the resident's life or the potential for severe disability.

