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Section 97225@ Definition of Data Element for Inpatients-Principal Diagnosis and Present on Admission Indicator

## **97225 Definition of Data Element for Inpatients-Principal Diagnosis and Present on Admission Indicator**

### **(a)**

For discharges occurring on and after October 1, 2015: The patient's principal diagnosis, defined as the condition established, after study, to be the chief cause of the admission of the patient to the facility for care, shall be coded according to the ICD-10-CM.

### **(b)**

Effective with discharges on or after July 1, 2008, whether the patient's principal diagnosis was present on admission shall be reported as one of the following:

(1) Y. Yes. Condition was present at the time of inpatient admission. (2) N. No.

Condition was not present at the time of inpatient admission. (3) U. Unknown.

Documentation is insufficient to determine if the condition was present at the time of inpatient admission. (4) W. Clinically undetermined. Provider is unable to

clinically determine whether the condition was present at the time of inpatient

admission. (5) (blank) Exempt from present on admission reporting.

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