



CDC ANNOUNCEMENT, NEW COVID-19 CM CODES FOR USE 1/1/21

- Encounter for screening for COVID-19 (Z11.52)
- Contact with and (suspected) exposure to COVID-19 (Z20.822)
- Personal history of COVID-19 (Z86.16)
- Multisystem inflammatory syndrome (MIS) (M35.81)
- Other specified systemic involvement of connective tissue (M35.89)
- Pneumonia due to coronavirus disease 2019 (J12.82)

NEW CODES – BOLD *Old codes Italics and red*

ENCOUNTER FOR SCREENING FOR COVID-19 (Z11.52)

encounter for screening for other viral diseases (Z11.59)

The 5th character has changed from 9 to 2.

CONTACT WITH AND (SUSPECTED) EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 (Z20.822)

contact with and (suspected) exposure to other viral communicable diseases (Z20.828)

The 6th character has changed from 8 to 2.

PERSONAL HISTORY OF COVID-19 (Z86.16)

personal history of other infectious and parasitic diseases (Z86.19)

The 5th character has changed for 9 to 6.

PNEUMONIA DUE TO CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (J12.82)

other viral pneumonia (J12.89)

The 5th character has changed from 9 to 2

MULTISYSTEM INFLAMMATORY SYNDROME (MIS) (M35.81)

OTHER SPECIFIED SYSTEMIC INVOLVEMENT OF CONNECTIVE TISSUE (M35.89)

Other specified systemic involvement of connective tissue (M35.8)

A new 5th character of 1 and 9, have been introduced.

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