

**Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
Prevention Quality Indicators (PQIs)**

ICD-9-CM Coding Updates to Version 3.0a

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The following changes were implemented in Version 3.0a of the Prevention Quality Indicators (PQIs) software code and reflect changes to indicator definitions based on updates to ICD-9-CM codes for Fiscal Year 2006 (effective 10-1-2005). All changes noted below have been incorporated into the SAS software syntax, SAS software documentation, *Prevention Quality Indicators: Technical Specifications*, and the *Guide to Prevention Quality Indicators*. With this software update, the PQIs software definitions now incorporate ICD-9-CM codes valid from October 1, 1994 through September 30, 2006.

Indicator Name (#)	Component	Change
Multiple Indicators	Numerator (exclusion)	Added new (FY2006) codes 00.66 "Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary Angioplasty" and 37.41 "Implantation of prosthetic cardiac support device around the heart" to the cardiac procedure exclusion. Applicable PQIs: 7, 8, and 13
Dehydration (PQI #10)	Numerator	Added new (FY2006) codes 276.50 "Volume depletion, unspecified", 276.51 "Dehydration", and 276.52 "Hypovolemia" to the inclusion criteria.
Urinary Tract Infection (PQI #12)	Numerator (Exclusion)	Added exclusion for any diagnosis code of kidney/urinary tract disorder and for any diagnosis code of immunocompromised state.
Asthma (PQI #15)	Numerator (Exclusion)	Added exclusion for any diagnosis code of cystic fibrosis and anomalies of the respiratory system.