

# MANAGING YOUR PATIENT EPISODES

## CARE TYPE SELECTION DESCRIPTIONS



The following list gives examples of the typical types of diagnoses that would be included within a Care Type to assist with the selection of the appropriate care type for your patient episodes.

### ORTHOPEDIC

- Arthropathies
- Spine Pathology
- Muscle, Tendon & Soft Tissue Disorders
- Osteo, Chondropathies & Acquired Musculoskeletal deformities
- Fractures / Dislocations
- Sprains / Strains
- Wounds and Traumatic Amputation
- Contusions
- Crushing Injuries
- Burns
- Post-surgical procedures: Musculoskeletal system
- NOC\*-Musculoskeletal disorders

ORTHOPEDIC BODY PART
Shoulder
Pelvis
Hip
Upper Leg
Knee
Lower Leg (w/o Knee)
Ankle
Foot
Craniofacial
Neck
Ribs – Trunk
Thoracic spine
Lumbar spine
Upper Arm
Elbow
Forearm
Wrist
Hand

### NEUROLOGICAL

- Cerebrovascular Disorders
- Endocrine, Metabolic, Immunity Disorders
- Psychotic Conditions
- Neurotic, Personality & Other Non-Psychotic Disorders
- Inflammatory Diseases of the Nervous System
- Degenerative CNS disorders
- Multiple Sclerosis
- Non Traumatic CNS Dysfunction
- Quadriplegic Syndromes
- Paraplegic Syndromes
- Other Paralytic Syndromes
- Peripheral nervous system disorders Vertigo
- Congenital anomalies
- Brain Injury
- Vertigo
- Post-surgical procedures: Nervous system
- NOC\*-Neuromuscular disorders

### INDUSTRIAL

- *(Caution: Select only if patient is being treated in a Work Hardening or Work Conditioning Program)*

### PAIN MANAGEMENT

- *(Caution: Select only if patient is being treated in a Multidisciplinary Pain Management Program)*

### PELVIC FLOOR DYSFUNCTION

- Urinary Incontinence
- Failure to store – Bowel
- Failure to empty – Urinary Retention
- Failure to empty – bowel constipation
- Other Urinary or Bowel Dysfunctions
- Pelvic Floor Pain
- Supportive Dysfunction

### CARDIOVASCULAR & PULMONARY

- Rheumatic and Heart Disease
- Diseases of Arteriel System
- Diseases of Veins and Lymphatics
- Lung Disease

**Orthopedic Care Type** is classified with a **Body Part** (cervical, thoracic, lumbar, knee, wrist, hand, shoulder, etc.) and Impairment.

The exception to this is when the patient has a diagnosis that does not localize to one area of the body – a fibromyalgia patient, general deconditioning, etc. for example. These patients can be set up in the Orthopedic Care Type **without a body part selection**, as long as an Impairment is selected in lieu of the body part.

Patients in the **Neurological, Cardiovascular and Pelvic Floor Care Types** **DO NOT REQUIRE A BODY PART SELECTION** – only the impairment is needed to assure comparison with analogous episodes nationally.

**Industrial and Pain Management Care** types require the Body Part and Impairment as listed shown under Orthopedic Care Type.

\*NOC – Not Otherwise Classified