

Coding Guideline for Certain Encounters for Routine and Administrative Purposes

Encounters / Services for the following ICD-10 codes are allowed under the following circumstances:

- Z02.2 Encounter for examination for admission to a residential institution
- Nursing Home Admission Physical Examinations
 - Annual Physicals required for members living in an ICF/IID
- Z02.89 Encounter for other administrative examinations
- Refugee/New American / Immigration Physicals
 - A description of the service i.e. “refugee” or “New American” must be noted in Box 19 of the CMS 1500 or 837-P equivalent field, or box 80 of the CMS UB-04 or 837-I equivalent field
- Z04.8 Encounter for examination and observation for other specified reason
- Documentation supporting medical necessity must be submitted for all claims containing this diagnosis

Non-Covered General and Administrative Services

- Occupational Health Screenings
- Pre-Employment Screenings
- DOT Physicals
- Volunteer Activity Screenings
- Medical Clearance for incarceration without an acute injury / illness / symptom
- Camp Physicals

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