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ERRATA ICD-10 MASTER INDUSTRY TABLE (MIT) 1 JANUARY 2014: CODE Z09.0; REPORTING OF ERRATA

Errata: Code Z09.0

The ICD-10 Task Team has been informed that the current description of Z09.0 on the ICD-10 Master Industry Table (MIT) 1 January 2014 is incorrect.

Current version of code and description on MIT:

Z09.0	Malignant neoplasms follow-up examination after surgery for other conditions	

Error:

The words "Malignant neoplasms" should not be part of the full WHO description as this code falls under the category of Z09:Follow-up examination after treatment for conditions other than malignant neoplasm.

Correct version of code and description:

Z09.0 Follow-up examination after surgery for other conditions

Reporting of errata on the ICD-10 Master Industry Table

There could be other corrections that need to be carried out to the current ICD-10 MIT that has been published on the website of the National Department of Health and implemented on 1 July 2014. The ICD-10 Task Team will make such corrections in the next published version of the MIT.

The ICD-10 Task Team requests medical schemes, administrators and managed healthcare companies

- not to reject claims when a code is correct but the description is not
- to report identified errors to the ICD10 email address: icd10@health.gov.za.

All private and public healthcare stakeholders are requested to update their ICD-10 information according to this circular.

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