COMMON ICD-10 DENTAL CODES

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ICD-10 Code ICD-10 DESCRIPTOR FROM WHO (complete) OWN REFERENCE / INTERPRETATION/ CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH THESE ICD-10 CODES MAY BE USED

K00 Disorders of tooth development and eruption
K00.0 Anodontia
K00.1 Supernumerary teeth
K00.2 Abnormalities of tooth size and form
K00.3 Mottled teeth
K00.4 Disturbances in tooth formation
K00.5 Hereditary disturbances in tooth structure, not elsewhere classified
K00.6 Disturbances in tooth eruption
K00.7 Teething syndrome
K00.8 Other disorders of tooth development
K00.9 Disorders of tooth development, unspecified

K01 Embedded and impacted teeth
K01.0 Embedded teeth
K01.1 Impacted teeth

K02 Dental caries
K02.0 Caries limited to enamel
K02.1 Caries of dentine
K02.2 Caries of cementum
K02.3 Arrested dental caries
K02.4 Odontoclasia
K02.8 Other dental caries
K02.9 Dental caries, unspecified

K03 Other diseases of hard tissues of teeth
K03.0 Excessive attrition of teeth
K03.1 Abrasion of teeth

Not a valid code. Heading only.
Congenitally missing teeth - complete or partial
Mesiodens
Mucro/dento-genesis imperfecta
Natal/neonatal teeth, retained deciduous tooth, premature, late
Teething
Colour changes due to blood incompatibility, biliary, porphyria, tetryc

Not a valid code. Heading only.
Distinguish from impacted tooth
Impacted tooth (in contact with another tooth)

Not a valid code. Heading only.
Filling, restoration, amalgam, composite, resin,
Filling, restoration, amalgam, composite, resin,
Filling, restoration, amalgam, composite, resin, crown
Filling, restoration, amalgam, composite, resin, crown
Infantile meladontia

Not a valid code. Heading only.
K03.2 Erosion of teeth
K03.3 Pathological resorption of teeth
K03.4 Hypercementosis
K03.5 Ankylosis of teeth
K03.6 Deposits [accretions] on teeth
K03.7 Posteruptive colour change of dental hard tissues
K03.8 Other specified diseases of hard tissue of teeth
K03.9 Diseases of hard tissue or teeth, unspecified

K04 Diseases of the pulp and periapical tissues
K04.0 Pulpitis
K04.1 Necrosis of pulp
K04.2 Pulp degeneration
K04.3 Abnormal hard tissue formation in pulp
K04.4 Acute apical periodontitis of pulpal origin
K04.5 Chronic apical periodontitis
K04.6 Periapical abscess with sinus
K04.7 Periapical abscess without sinus
K04.8 Radicular cyst
K04.9 Other and unspecified diseases of the pulp and periapical tissues

K05 Gingivitis and periodontal diseases
K05.0 Acute gingivitis
K05.1 Chronic gingivitis
K05.2 Acute Periodontitis
K05.3 Chronic Periodontitis
K05.4 Periodontosis
K05.5 Other periodontal disease
K05.6 Periodontal disease, unspecified

K06 Other disorders of the gingiva and edentulous alveolar ridges
K06.0 Gingival recession
K06.1 Gingival enlargement
K06.2 Gingiva and edentulous alveolar ridge lesions associated with trauma
K06.8 Other specified disorders of the gingiva and edentulous alveolar ridge
K06.9 Disorder of the gingiva and edentulous alveolar ridge, unspecified

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K07.0 Major anomalies of jaw size

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- Abscess of salivary gland
- Fistula of salivary gland
- Sialolithiasis
- Mucocoele of salivary gland
- Other specified diseases of the salivary glands

Dento-facial functional abnormalities: Asymmetry, pro/retrognathic, Cl 2, Cl 3, osteotomy, orthognathic, orthodontic, banding
- Overjet, overbite, crossbite, midline deviation, orthodontic, banding
- Crowding, rotation, distema, transposition
- Mouth breathing, abnormal swallowing, habits
- Dislocation, TMJ, click, pain

Cysts of oral origin, not elsewhere classified:
- Not a valid code. Heading only.
- cyst, eruption, gingival, Kerato, dentigerous, lateral periodontal
- Nasopalatine cyst
- Aneurysmal bone cyst
- Dermoid cyst

Other diseases of jaws:
- Not a valid code. Heading only.
- Tori
- Osteomyelitis, sequestra
- Dry socket

Diseases of the salivary glands:
- Not a valid code. Heading only.
- Salivary calculus, stone
K11.7 Disturbances of salivary secretion
K11.8 Other diseases of salivary glands
K11.9 Disease of salivary gland, unspecified

K12 Stomatitis and related lesions
K12.0 Recurrent oral aphthae
K12.1 Other forms of stomatitis
K12.2 Cellulitis and abscess of mouth. Excludes periapical abscess (K04.6-K04.7) and periodontal abscess (K02.5)

K13 Other diseases of the lip and oral mucosa
K13.0 Diseases of lips
K13.1 Cheek and lip biting
K13.2 Leukoplakia and other disturbances of the oral epithelium including tongue
K13.3 Hairy Leukoplakia
K13.4 Granuloma and granuloma-like lesions of oral mucosa
K13.5 Oral submucous fibrosis
K13.6 Irritative hyperplasia of oral mucosa
K13.7 Other and unspecified lesions of oral mucosa

K14 Diseases of the tongue
K14.0 Glossitis
K14.1 Geographic Tongue
K14.2 Median Rhomboid Glossitis
K14.3 Hypertrophy of papillae
K14.4 Atrophy of papillae
K14.5 Plicated tongue
K14.6 Glossodynia
K14.8 Other diseases of the tongue
K14.9 Disease of the tongue, unspecified

Z CODES
Z01.2  Dental examination
Z41.8  other procedures for purposes other than remedying health state
Z29.8  Other specified prophylactic procedures
Z46.3  Fitting and adjusting of dental prosthetic device
Z46.3  Fitting and adjusting of dental prosthetic device
Z46.4  Fitting and adjusting of dental orthodontic device
Z48.0  Attention to surgical dressings or sutures
Z45.8  Adjustment and management of other implanted devices

Replace amalgams with composites in absence of clinical need; teeth whitening
Denture repair or adjustment
All orthodontic laboratory procedures
Removal of sutures when original surgery not done by person removing.
Replacement of implant or implant-supported components, implant misr
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Foreign body in alimentary tract
Foreign body in respiratory tract
Crown - new
Bridge new

Use code showing reason for crown e.g. prev. caries/endo/fracture

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Note that this is a 5 character code and requires a secondary external cause code.

Example: S03.21/Y04.28 Use for avulsed tooth from fight at school Y.04 = assault by bodily force; .2 = at school; .-8 = during unspecified activity.

Example 2: S03.21/W01.99 Avulsed tooth from fall while playing at home W01 = Fall on same level from tripping, slipping and stumbling; .0 = at home; .-9 = during unspecified activity.

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Use applicable code from category K07

Must be preceded by a primary code

Requires secondary code and separated by a forward slash
LABORATORY PROCEDURES

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Distinguish from impacted tooth

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STANCES IN WHICH THESE ICD-10 CODES MAY BE USED

SERVICE PROVIDERS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT AN ICD-10 CODE IS A DIAGNOSTIC CODE. i.e. A CODE GIVING THE REASON FOR A PROCEDURE; SO THERE MIGHT BE MORE THAN ONE ICD-10 CODE FOR A PARTICULAR PROCEDURE CODE AND THE SERVICE PROVIDER NEEDS TO SELECT WHICHEVER IS THE MOST APPROPRIATE.
Gingivitis, bleeding gums, scaling, ulcerative - excludes Vincent's (A69.10)
Gingiva, recession
Fibromatosis
Denture hyperplasia, occlusion, toothbrushing
Not a valid code. Heading only.
Gingivitis, bleeding gums, scaling, curettage
Vomiting, anorexia, bulhemia, acid, diet
Pink spot
Not a valid code. Heading only.
Pulp cap, root canal treatment, sedative dressing, endodontic, obturate
Gingivitis, chronic pericoronitis, bleeding gums, scaling
Juvenile, gingivitis, bleeding gums, scaling, curettage
Gingivitis, bleeding gums, scaling
Root canal treatment, endodontic, obturate, abscess
Apical cyst, enucleate, apicectomy, apicoectomy
Gangrene, root canal treatment, sedative dressing, endodontic, obturate
Root canal treatment, endodontic, obturate, abscess
Not a valid code. Heading only.
Gingivitis, bleeding gums, scaling
Secondary dentine - excludes pulp stones (K04.2)
Pulp stones, sclerosis
Pigmentation, tobacco, betel, plaque, calculus, scaling and polishing
Metal, pulpal bleeding, betel, tobacco
Sensitive dentine
Granuloma, root canal treatment, endodontic, obturate, abscess
Root canal treatment, endodontic, obturate, abscess
Gingival cyst, epulis, pyogenic granuloma
Asymetry, pro/retrognathic, Cl 2, Cl 3, osteotomy, orthognathic, orthodontic

Overjet, overbite, crossbite, midline deviation, orthodontic, banding

Crowding, rotation, distema, transposition

Mouth breathing, abnormal swallowing, habits

Aneurysmal bone cyst

Hypophosphatasia, scurvy

Denture, bridge, implant, space maintainer

Dislocation, TMJ, click, pain

gingival mucosal graft

Root rest

Toothache NOS

cyst, eruption, gingival, Kerato, dentigerous, lateral periodontal

Nasopalatine cyst

Dermoid cyst

Tori

Osteomyelitis, sequestra

Dry socket

Salivary calculus, stone
Replace amalgams with composites in absence of clinical need; teeth whitening

Denture repair or adjustment

Replacement of implant or implant-supported components, implant maintenance

All orthodontic laboratory procedures

All prosthetic laboratory procedures, Facing replacement

FLUORIDE Rx, FISSURE SEALANT, MOUTH GUARD, PROPHYLACTIC ANTIBIOTIC

Removal of sutures when original surgery not done by person removing.

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Xerostoma, dry mouth

Not a valid code. Heading only.

Pyogenic granuoma

Not a valid code. Heading only.

Angular chelitis

Not a valid code. Heading only.

Ulcer, abscess

Black hairy tongue

Scrotal, fissured tongue
Failed or cancelled appointment

Note that this is a 5 character code. The fifth character: 0 or 1 indicates “open” or “closed” fracture.

Primary and secondary codes must be separated by a forward slash.

Example: S02.61/V43.42, where V43 indicates car occupant injured in collision with car, also requires secondary code, indicating where, when and how occurred.

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Example: Tooth farcatured by hocky stick - S02.51/W21.30, where W21 indicates "striking against or struck by sports equipment; .3 indicates at sports or athletics arena and .-0 indicates during sports activity unspecified place. .-9 indicates during unspecified activity.

Use the primary code for the procedure being done.

Routine check-up (Not for use with specific consultation

Use the primary code for the procedure being done

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Use code showing reason for crown e.g. prev. caries/endo/fracture

-0 indicates

-9 during unspecified activity
Must be preceded by a primary code
Use applicable code from category K07
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Requires secondary code and separated by a forward slash
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