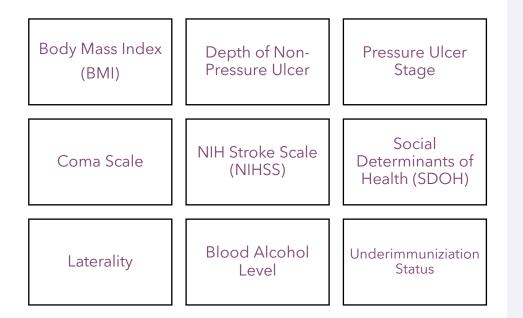


## **2023 Coding Guidelines: Documentation by Clinicians Other than the Patients Provider**

2023 ICD-10-CM Conventions and Guidelines Changes



Updated ICD-10-CM Guidelines are available for use on October 1, 2022. ICD-10-CM guidelines are used to classify diagnoses, morbidities, and reasons for patient visits. The following can be documented by someone other than the patient's provider.



## NOTE:

Underimmunization status has been added to the list of conditions that can be coded using documentation from individuals other than the patient's provider- for example clinicians or self-reporting

The BMI, coma scale, NIHSS, blood alcohol level, SDOH, and underimmunization status codes should only be reported as secondary diagnosis.