

Description of Conditions

Infectious Diseases

AIDS – Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome or AIDS related complex.

HIV – Human Immunodeficiency Virus.

Septicemia – Bacterial infection of the blood.

Minor infectious disease – Treatment for minor infectious diseases.

Endocrinology

Hyper/Hypo-functioning thyroid gland – Diagnosis of hyperthyroidism or hypothyroidism.

Goiter – Enlargement of the thyroid gland.

Other diseases of the thyroid gland – Any condition of the thyroid including Graves' Disease.

Type I or Type II diabetes – Insulin resistance, hypoglycemia, glucose intolerance, metabolic syndrome, syndrome X or any blood sugars under observation or being managed by diet and/or medication.

Gout – Diagnosis or treatment of gout.

Hyperlipidemia – Diagnosis of high lipid levels to include cholesterol.

Obesity – Diagnosis or treatment of obesity.

Hematology

Leukemia with bone marrow transplant – Diagnosis of leukemia and treatment involving the replacement of bone marrow.

Non-neoplastic blood disease with splenectomy – Any diagnosis of non-neoplastic blood disease with the removal of spleen by surgery.

Hematology signs and symptoms – Past or present indications of a blood disease.

Psychiatry

Dementia – Any diagnosis of dementia.

Autism and child psychoses – Any diagnosis or treatment for Autism or child psychoses.

Depression – Any diagnosis

or treatment of depression by a health care provider, counselor or social worker.

Anxiety disorder and phobias – Any diagnosis or treatment for anxiety or phobias.

Eating disorders – Anorexia, bulimia, binge eating or other disorder characterized by disturbances in eating behavior.

Attention deficit disorder – Any learning or behavior disorder related to short attention span, impulsiveness and excessive physical movements that is present or has been treated in the past.

Development disorder – Any diagnosed disorder that occurs at some stage in a child's development, often retarding the development.

Mental retardation – Diagnosis or treatment of mental retardation.

Chemical Dependency

Cocaine or amphetamine dependency with complication – Any illegal use of amphetamines or cocaine.

Acute alcohol intoxication – Any treatment for acute alcohol intoxication.

Alcohol dependence – Any use of alcohol over two drinks per day for women and three drinks per day for men. Any treatment or counseling by a health care provider, clergy or AA.

Neurology

Viral meningitis – Any diagnosis of viral meningitis.

Viral encephalitis – Any diagnosis of the inflammation of the brain caused by a virus.

Brain abscess – Any diagnosis or treatment of a brain abscess (cerebral abscess).

Spinal abscess – Any diagnosis of inflammation around the spinal cord.

Epilepsy – Any history of seizures. Include date of last seizure.

Cerebral vascular accident, hemorrhagic – Any diagnosis of a stroke or cerebral aneurysm.

Major brain trauma – Any treatment of an injury to the brain.

Spinal trauma – Any condition of the spine including scoliosis, kyphosis herniated or bulging disc, congenital abnormality, fracture, dislocation, stenosis, spondylosis, prior back or neck surgery.

Hereditary and degenerative diseases of the central nervous system – Any diagnosis of disease of the brain or spinal cord.

Migraine headache – Migraines or cluster headaches.

Congenital and other disorders of the central nervous system – Any disorder of the brain or spinal cord.

Carpal tunnel syndrome – Treatment for or symptoms of a disorder related to nerve(s) of the hand, wrist or elbow; symptoms may include numbness, tingling, pain, weakness and/or decreased ability to grip.

Ophthalmology

Internal eye infection – Diagnosis of any internal eye infection.

Conjunctivitis – Any diagnosis or treatment of "pink eye."

Glaucoma – Disease of the optic nerve.

Cataract – Any diagnosis of the clouding of the eye's natural lens.

Trauma of the eye – Any history of injury to the eye.

Macular degeneration – Any diagnosis or treatment of macular degeneration.

Visual disturbances – Diagnosis of any visual disturbance not otherwise listed.

Cardiology

Heart transplant – Replacement of the heart.

Coronary artery disease – Any diagnosis or treatment of coronary artery disease.

Ischemic heart disease – Any diagnosis or treatment of ischemic heart disease.

Pulmonary heart disease – Any diagnosis or treatment for pulmonary heart disease.

Congestive heart failure – Any diagnosis related to heart failure.

Aortic aneurysm – Any diagnosis of swelling of the aorta.

Cardiac infection – Any diagnosis or treatment of a bacterial or viral infection of the heart.

Valvular disorder – The diagnosis or treatment of a malfunction of one or more heart valves.

Benign hypertension – High blood pressure.

Cardiac congenital disorder – Cardiac disorder present at birth.

Major cardiac trauma – Any condition requiring heart surgery.

Arterial inflammation – Any diagnosis or treatment of inflammation of the arteries.

Embolism and thrombosis of the veins – Any diagnosis of the blocking or clotting of blood vessels.

Varicose veins of the lower extremity – History of vein stripping or varicose veins requiring medical treatment.

Otolaryngology

Trauma of the oral cavity – Any history of trauma to the oral cavity.

Otitis media – Any diagnosis or treatment of otitis media (middle ear infection).

Tonsillitis, adenoiditis or pharyngitis – Any diagnosis or treatment of tonsillitis, adenoiditis or pharyngitis.

Allergic rhinitis – Any diagnosis or treatment of inflammation of the nasal passages.

Sinusitis – Chronic or multiple episodes of sinus inflammation.

Hearing disorder – Hearing loss from any cause, including the use of hearing aids or surgery done to improve hearing.

ENT trauma – Any trauma of the ear, nose or throat.

Other ENT disorders – Diagnosis of any disorders of the ear, nose or throat.

Pulmonology Diseases

Lung Transplant – Replacement of a lung.

Viral pneumonia – Diagnosis of viral pneumonia.

Bacterial lung infections – Diagnosis or treatment for a bacterial lung infections including pneumonia.

Pulmonary TB – Any diagnosis or treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis.

Bronchitis – Diagnosis of bronchitis.

Asthma – Treatment for asthma, including exercise induced asthma.

Emphysema – Any treatment for or diagnosis of emphysema or Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD).

Occupational and environmental pulmonary diseases – Any diagnosis of a pulmonary disease caused by occupational or environmental factors.

Benign pulmonary neoplasm – Any diagnosis of non-malignant pulmonary neoplasm.

Chest trauma – Any history of trauma to the chest.

Gastroenterology

Infection of the stomach and esophagus – Any history of infection of the stomach or esophagus.

Gastritis and/or duodenitis – Ulcer – Any diagnosis or treatment for an ulcer.

Trauma of the stomach or esophagus – Any history of trauma to the stomach or esophagus.

Appendicitis – Any diagnosis or treatment of an inflammation of the appendix.

Diverticulitis – Any diagnosis or treatment for diverticulitis.

Other infectious diseases of the intestines and abdomen – Diagnosis or treatment of any infectious diseases of the intestines and abdomen not otherwise listed.

Trauma of the intestines and abdomen – Any history of trauma to the intestines or abdomen.

Congenital anomalies of the intestines/abdomen/ stomach – Diagnosis or treatment of congenital anomalies of the intestines, abdomen or stomach.

Irritable bowel syndrome – Diagnosis or treatment of irritable bowel syndrome.

Hernias, except hiatal – Inguinal, Incisional, Ventral, Umbilical, a bulge or protrusion that is present or has been treated.

Hemorrhoids – Any diagnosis or treatment of hemorrhoids.

Hematology

Liver transplant – Replacement of the liver.

Hepatitis – Any treatment or

positive testing for any form of hepatitis.

Cirrhosis – Chronic liver disease.

Pancreatitis – Diagnosis of pancreatitis.

Cholelithiasis – Gallbladder disease.

Nephrology

Kidney transplant – Replacement of kidney.

Acute renal failure – Rapid breakdown of kidney function.

Chronic renal failure – Gradual loss of kidney function.

Renal inflammation – Inflammation of the kidney.

Nephrotic syndrome – Diagnosis or treatment of Nephrotic syndrome (a damaged kidney allowing protein leakage from the blood into the urine).

Urology

Sexually transmitted disease – Any treatment of a sexually transmitted disease.

Kidney stones with surgery – Any past surgery to treat for kidney stones.

Urinary incontinence – Loss of bladder control.

Infertility – Problems with conception or fertilization, including artificial means of becoming pregnant.

Obstetrics

Normal pregnancy – Confirmed or suspected pregnancy; includes positive home pregnancy test or missing more than one period or presence of all or most of the symptoms of pregnancy, whether the pregnancy has been confirmed by a physician or not.

Complicated pregnancy – Hemorrhage during pregnancy – Diagnosis or treatment of hemorrhage during pregnancy.

Other conditions during pregnancy – Other conditions complicating pregnancy.

Ectopic pregnancy – History of a pregnancy in which the fertilized ovum implanted in any tissue other than the uterine wall.

Pregnancy, not yet delivered – Current pregnancy.

Gynecology

Infection of the ovary and/or fallopian tube – Any diagnosis or treatment of an infection of the ovary or fallopian tube.

Infection of the uterus – Any

diagnosis or treatment of an infection of the uterus.

Infection of the cervix – Any diagnosis or treatment of an infection of the cervix.

Vaginal infection – Any diagnosis or treatment of a vaginal infection.

Conditions associated with menstruation – Any diagnosis or treatment related to menstruation.

Conditions associated with infertility – Any diagnosis or treatment of infertility.

Dermatology

Bacterial infection of the skin – Any diagnosis or treatment of a bacterial skin infection.

Viral skin infection – Any diagnosis of a viral skin infection.

Fungal skin infection – Any diagnosis of a fungal skin infection.

Parasitic skin infection – Any diagnosis of a skin infection caused by a parasite.

Inflammation of skin – Any history of skin inflammation.

Burns – Any treatment for burns.

Skin trauma – Any history of trauma to the skin.

Open wounds – Any open wounds requiring surgery to repair.

Orthopedics and Rheumatology

Infection of the bone and joint – Diagnosis of an infection of any bone or joint.

Joint inflammation – Any history of inflammation of any joint.

Joint degeneration – Any diagnosis of degeneration of a joint(s) regardless of the cause.

Open fracture – Any history of a fracture of a bone puncturing the skin (compound fracture).

Closed fracture/dislocation – Any history of a fracture of a bone, not puncturing the skin (simple fracture).

Joint derangement – Any diagnosis or treatment of a joint derangement.

Major trauma other than fracture – Any other major trauma not already listed.

Juvenile rheumatoid arthritis – Any diagnosis or treatment of Juvenile rheumatoid arthritis.

Adult rheumatoid arthritis – Any diagnosis or treatment of adult rheumatoid arthritis.

Lupus – Any diagnosis of lupus.

Bursitis or tendonitis – Any diagnosis of bursitis or tendonitis

regardless of the cause.

Orthopedic deformities – Any diagnosis or treatment of orthopedic deformities.

Congenital anomalies – Any diagnosis or history of congenital anomalies.

Neonatology

Chromosomal anomalies – Diagnosis of Turner's Syndrome, Trisomy 21 (Down Syndrome) or any other chromosomal anomalies.

Metabolic disorders – Any diagnosis of a genetic or acquired metabolic disorder.

Late Effects, Environmental Trauma and Poisonings

Environmental trauma – Any history of trauma due to environmental exposure.

Poisonings and toxic effects of drugs – Any history of drug poisoning.



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