

**TAMANG SAGOT**  
**PhilHealth Circular No. 30 - 2015**

**New ICD 10 Codes and Category Titles Related to  
Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)**

**1. What prompted PhilHealth to implement this new policy?**

This is in conformity with the Philippine ICD 10 Modifications on Certain Diseases, Conditions and Related Health Problems in Health Care Facilities (Second Edition, May 2014) published by the Department of Health through DOH Department Circular No. 2014 -0417.

**2. What are the new ICD 10 codes and category titles related to chronic kidney disease?**

Old ICD 10 code in Annex 1 of PC No. 35 s. 2013/ Category Titles	New ICD 10 code/ Category Titles	Case Rate
<b>N18.0</b> End stage renal disease	<b>N18.5</b> Chronic kidney disease, stage 5 Chronic uraemia End stage kidney disease: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• in allograft failure</li> <li>• NOS</li> <li>• on dialysis</li> <li>• without dialysis or transplant</li> </ul> Renal retinitis+(H32.8*) Uraemic: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• apoplexia+(I68.8*)</li> <li>• dementia+(F02.8*)</li> <li>• neuropathy+(G63.8*)</li> <li>• paralysis+(G99.8*)</li> <li>• pericarditis+(I32.8*)</li> </ul>	14,500
<b>N18.8</b> Other chronic renal failure	Delisted	Not applicable
<b>N18.9</b> Chronic renal failure	<b>N18.9</b> Chronic kidney disease, unspecified	14,500
<b>N19</b> Unspecified renal failure	<b>N19</b> Unspecified kidney failure Renal insufficiency NOS	14,500

This table is also in PC No. 30 - 2015.

**3. What about the other illnesses with updated codes that are also in the annexes of All Case Rate Circulars?**

We will be releasing Annex 1 – List of Medical Case Rates (Revision 1) which will contain all the new codes including these new ICD 10 codes and descriptions for CKD.

**4. Why will N18.0 (End stage renal disease or ESRD) no longer be used?**

ICD 10 code N18.0 and its category title was deleted in the ICD 10 Philippine modifications. End stage renal disease is currently referred to as End stage kidney disease or Chronic Kidney Disease stage 5 (ICD 10 code: N18.5).

**5. Can the member-patient still avail of the dialysis case rate or dialysis package if the written diagnosis is ESRD and not CKD stage 5?**

Yes. While the new name for the disease is Chronic Kidney Disease stage 5, other and older names for the same diagnosis shall still be acceptable. e.g. ESRD. However, coding should now follow the new codes from the Philippine ICD 10 Modifications (Second Edition, May 2014).

**6. When is the effectivity of the new ICD 10 codes and category titles related to chronic kidney disease?**

This Circular shall take effect on claims with admission dates starting November 11, 2015 onwards.