

Post Cerebral Vascular Accident (CVA) ICD-10 CM Diagnoses

A diagnosis and coding guide for medical providers
and coding and billing staff.



In hospital

**During initial hospitalization
for a new CVA, diagnosis is acute
CVA until discharge.**



Post Discharge

**Following discharge from hospital
for acute CVA, diagnosis becomes
a history of CVA, with or without
residual deficit.**



Diagnosis and Coding Tips

- Following hospital discharge, member diagnosis becomes a history of cerebral infarction, Z86.73, or sequelae of cerebral infarction.
- Use history of cerebral infarction and/or sequelae of cerebral infarction for diagnoses in post-hospitalization skilled nursing facilities, rehabilitation, physical therapy, and office visits.
- Specificity in residual deficits is encouraged, e.g., identification of laterality.
- Reference the ICD-10-CM Handbook for instructions to know when additional coding is appropriate.
- If late effects of CVA have resolved, the diagnosis should be history of cerebral infarction without residual deficit, Z86.73.

Sequelae Category, ICD-10-CM Codes and Descriptions

Cognitive deficits following cerebral infarction

- I69.310** Attention and concentration deficit following cerebral infarction
- I69.311** Memory deficit following cerebral infarction
- I69.312** Visuospatial deficit and spacial neglect following cerebral infarction
- I69.313** Psychomotor deficit following cerebral infarction
- I69.314** Frontal lobe and executive function deficit following cerebral infarction
- I69.315** Cognitive social or emotional deficit following cerebral infarction
- I69.318** Other symptoms and signs involving cognitive functions following cerebral infarction
- I69.319** Unspecified symptoms and signs involving cognitive functions following cerebral infarction

Speech and language deficits following cerebral infarction

- I69.320** Aphasia following cerebral infarction
- I69.321** Dysphasia following cerebral infarction
- I69.322** Dysarthria following cerebral infarction
- I69.323** Fluency disorder following cerebral infarction
- I69.328** Other speech and language deficits following cerebral infarction

Monoplegia of upper limb following cerebral infarction*

- I69.331** Monoplegia of upper limb following cerebral infarction affecting right dominant side
- I69.332** Monoplegia of upper limb following cerebral infarction affecting left dominant side
- I69.333** Monoplegia of upper limb following cerebral infarction affecting right non-dominant side
- I69.334** Monoplegia of upper limb following cerebral infarction affecting left non-dominant side
- I69.339** Monoplegia of upper limb following cerebral infarction affecting unspecified side

Monoplegia of lower limb following cerebral infarction*

- I69.341** Monoplegia of lower limb following cerebral infarction affecting right dominant side
- I69.342** Monoplegia of lower limb following cerebral infarction affecting left dominant side
- I69.343** Monoplegia of lower limb following cerebral infarction affecting right non-dominant side
- I69.344** Monoplegia of lower limb following cerebral infarction affecting left non-dominant side
- I69.349** Monoplegia of lower limb following cerebral infarction affecting unspecified side

Hemiplegia and hemiparesis following cerebral infarction*

- I69.351** Hemiplegia and hemiparesis following cerebral infarction affecting right dominant side
- I69.352** Hemiplegia and hemiparesis following cerebral infarction affecting left dominant side
- I69.353** Hemiplegia and hemiparesis following cerebral infarction affecting right non-dominant side
- I69.354** Hemiplegia and hemiparesis following cerebral infarction affecting left non-dominant side
- I69.359** Hemiplegia and hemiparesis following cerebral infarction affecting unspecified side

Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction*

- I69.361** Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction affecting right dominant side
- I69.362** Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction affecting left dominant side
- I69.363** Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction affecting right non-dominant side
- I69.364** Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction affecting left non-dominant side
- I69.365** Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction, bilateral
- I69.369** Other paralytic syndrome following cerebral infarction affecting unspecified side

Other sequelae of cerebral infarction

- I69.390** Apraxia following cerebral infarction
- I69.392** Facial weakness following cerebral infarction
- I69.393** Ataxia following cerebral infarction
- I69.398** Other sequelae of cerebral infarction



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*Risk Adjusting Condition