

ICD-10 Definition of Sentinel Injuries

Category of Injury	ICD 10 Code(s)	Specific ICD 10 Definition
Child Physical Abuse--confirmed	T74.12XA through T74.12XS	
Child Physical Abuse--suspected	T76.12XA through T76.12XS	
Child Sexual Abuse--confirmed	T74.22XA through T74.22XS	
Child Sexual Abuse--suspected	T76.22XA through T76.22XS	
Shaken Infant Syndrome	T74.4XXA through T74.4XXS	
Ecchymosis/Bruising	R23.3	
Fractures	S02.0XXA through S02.92xS	Skull and facial fracture
Fractures	S12.000A through S12.691S S12.8xxA through S12.8xxS S12.9xxA through S12.9xxS	Cervical vertebra fracture
Fractures	S22.000A through S22.9xxS	Rib, sternum and thoracic spine fracture
Fractures	S32.000A through S32.9xxS	Lumbar spine and pelvis fracture
Fractures	S42.001A through S42.92xS	Shoulder and upper arm fracture
Fractures	S52.001A through S52.92xS	Forearm fracture
Fractures	S62.001A through S62.92xS	Wrist and Hand fracture
Fractures	S72.001A through S72.92xS	Femur fracture
Fractures	S82.001A through S82.92xS	Lower leg and ankle fracture
Fractures	S92.001A through S92.919S	Foot and toe fracture
Intracranial Injury	S06.310A through S06.389S	
Intracranial Injury	S06.4X0A through S06.6X0S	
Intracranial Injury	S06.300A through S06.309S	
Intracranial Injury	S06.810A through S06.819S S06.890A through S06.9X9S	
Abdominal Trauma	S36.200A through S36.69XS	GI tract
Abdominal Trauma	S36.112A through S36.119S	Liver
Abdominal Trauma	S36.00XA through S36.09XS	Spleen
Abdominal Trauma	S37.001A through S37.099A	Kidney
Abdominal Trauma	S37.10XA through S37.99XS	Pelvic Organs
Abdominal Trauma	S36.122A through S36.13XS S36.81XA through S36.99XS S37.812A through S37.819S S37.892A through S37.99XS	Other intrabdominal
Abdominal Trauma	S36.99XA through S36.99XS S37.99XA through S37.99XS	Unspecified or ill-defined
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S01.101A through S01.159S S05.40XA through S05.42XS	ocular adnexa

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Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S05.20XA through S05.72XS	eyeball
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S01.311A through S01.319S S08.111A through S08.129S S09.20XA through S09.991S	ear
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S01.00XA through S01.05XS S01.20XA through S01.25XS S01.401A through S01.95XS S08.0XXA through S08.89XS	head
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S11.011A through S11.95XS	neck
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S21.101A through S21.159S	chest wall
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S21.201A through S21.259S S31.000A through S31.050S	back
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S31.801A through S31.829S	buttock
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S31.20XA through S31.552S	external genital organs
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S21.001A through S21.059S S31.100A through S31.159S	other/unspecified, except limbs
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S41.001A through S41.159S	shoulder and upper arm
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S46.021A through S46.029S S46.121A through S46.129S S46.221A through S46.229S S46.321A through S46.329S S46.821A through S46.829S S46.921A through S46.929S	shoulder and upper arm
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S51.001A through S51.859S S61.501A through S61.559S	elbow, forearm, wrist



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Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S56.021A through S56.029S S56.121A through S56.129S S56.221A through S56.229S S56.321A through S56.329S S56.421A through S56.429S S56.521A through S56.529S S56.821A through S56.829S S56.921A through S56.929S	elbow, forearm, wrist
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S61.401A through S61.459S	hand except finger
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S66.821A through S66.929S	hand except finger
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S61.001A through S61.359S	finger(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S66.021A through S66.029S S66.120A through S66.129S S66.221A through S66.229S S66.320A through S66.329S S66.421A through S66.429S S66.520A through S66.529S	finger(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S41.001A through S41.009S S41.101A through S41.109S S51.001A through S51.009S S51.801A through S51.809S S61.009A through S61.009S S61.101A through S61.109S S61.200A through S61.209S S61.300A through S61.309S S61.401A through S61.409S S61.501A through S61.509S	multiple/unspecified of upper limb
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S68.011A through S68.029S S68.511A through S68.529S	traumatic amp of thumb
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S68.110A through S68.129S S68.610A through S68.629S	traumatic amp of other fingers
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S68.411A through S68.429S S68.711A through S68.729S	traumatic amp of arm and hand
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S71.001A through S71.059S S71.101A through S71.159S	hip and thigh



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Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S76.021A through S76.029S S76.121A through S76.129S S76.221A through S76.229S S76.321A through S76.329S S76.821A through S76.829S S76.929A through S76.929S	hip and thigh
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S81.001A through S81.059S S81.801A through S81.859S S91.001A through S91.059S	knee, leg and ankle
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S86.021A through S86.029S S86.121A through S86.129S S86.221A through S86.229S S86.321A through S86.329S S86.821A through S86.829S S86.921A through S86.929S S96.211A through S96.229S S96.821A through S96.829S S96.921A through S96.929S	knee, leg and ankle
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S91.301A through S91.359S	foot except toes
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S96.221A through S96.229S S96.821A through S96.829S S96.921A through S96.929S	foot except toes
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S91.101A through S91.159S S91.201A through S91.259S	toe(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S96.021A through S96.129S	toe(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S71.001A through S71.109S S81.001A through S81.009S S81.801A through S81.809S	multiple/unspecified of lower limb
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S98.111A through S98.149S S98.211A through S98.229S	traumatic amp of toe(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S98.011A through S98.029S S98.311A through S98.329S S98.911A through S98.929S	traumatic amp of foot
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S78.011A through S78.929S S88.011A through S88.929S	traumatic amp of legs
Oropharyngeal Injury	S01.502A through S01.552S S02.5XXA through S02.5XXS	



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Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S00.00XA through S00.02XS S00.05XA through S00.07XS S00.30XA through S00.32XS S00.34XA through S00.37XS S00.401A through S00.429S S00.441A through S00.479S S00.501A through S00.522S S00.541A through S00.572S S00.80XA through S00.82XS S00.84XA through S00.87XS S00.90XA through S00.92XS S00.94XA through S00.97.XS S10.10XA through S10.17XS S10.80XA through S10.82XS S10.84XA through S10.87XS S10.90XA through S10.92XS S10.94XA through S10.97XS	face, neck, scalp
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S20.101A through S20.179S S20.301A through S20.479S S20.90XA through S20.97XS S30.810A through S30.98XS	trunk
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S40.211A through S40.929S	shoulder and upper arm
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S50.311A through S50.919S S60.811A through S60.919S	elbow, forearm, wrist
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S60.511A through S60.579S S60.921A through S60.929S	hand except fingers
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S60.311A through S60.479S S60.931A through S60.949S	finger(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S70.211A through S70.929S S80.211A through S80.929S S90.511A through S90.579S S90.911A through S90.919S	hip, thigh, leg and ankle
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	S90.411A through S90.476S S90.811A through S90.879S S90.921A through S90.936S	foot and toe(s)
Cutaneous injury other than ecchymosis/bruising or burns (e.g. open wounds, abrasion)	T07	other, multiple, unspecified



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Ecchymosis/Bruising	S00.03XA through S00.03XS S00.33XA through S00.33XS S00.431A through S00.439S S00.531A through S00.532S S00.83XA through S00.83XS S00.93XA through S00.93XS S10.0XXA through S10.0XXS S10.83XA through S10.83XS S10.93XA through S10.93XS	face, neck, scalp
Ecchymosis/Bruising	S00.10XA through S00.12XS S05.10XA through S05.12XS	eye and adnexa
Ecchymosis/Bruising	S20.00XA through S20.02XS S20.20XA through S30.3XXS	trunk
Ecchymosis/Bruising	S40.011A through S40.029S S50.00XA through S50.12XS S60.00XA through S60.059S S60.10XA through S60.229S	upper limb
Ecchymosis/Bruising	S70.00XA through S70.12XS S80.00XA through S80.12XA S90.00XA through S90.129S S90.211A through S90.219S S90.221A through S90.229S S90.30XA through S90.32XS	lower limb, other, unspecified
Genital Injury	S30.201A through S30.202S S30.21XA through S30.23XS	contusion external genital
Genital Injury	S31.40XA through S31.551S S38.211A through S38.232S	Open wound external genital
Burns	T26.00XA through T26.92XS	eye and adnexa
Burns	T20.00XA through T20.79XS or category T20 T28.411A through T28.419S T28.911A through T28.919S	face, neck, scalp
Burns	T21.00XA through T21.79XS	trunk
Burns	T22.00XA through T22.799S	upper limb except wrist and hand
Burns	T23.001A through T23.799S	wrist and hand
Burns	T24.001A through T25.799S	lower limb
Burns	T30.0	multiple specified
Burns	T27.0XXA through T28.99XS	internal organs
Burns	T31.0 through T32.99XS	extent of body surface involved
Burns	T30.4	unspecified



EXCLUSIONS

Category of Injury	ICD 10 Code(s)	Specific ICD 10 Definition
(subconjunctival hemorrhage)	H11.30 through H11.33	Exclude only if <.5 Months of age
(superficial injuries like cuts, scrapes, and lacerations)	S00.201A through S00.279S	Eye and adnexa
(motor vehicle accidents)	V02.00XA through V09.9XXS V12.0XXA through V79.9XXS V80.31XA through V80.52XA V81.0XXA through V81.1XXS V82.0XXA through V82.1XXS V84.0XXA through V89.9XXS	
(insect bites)	S00.06XA through S00.06XS	Insect Bites--scalp
	S00.16XA through S00.16XS S10.86XA through S10.86XS	Insect Bites--neck
	S20.161A through S20.169S S20.361A through S20.369S S20.461A through S20.469S S20.96XA through S20.96XS	Insect Bites--thorax
	S30.860A through S30.867S	Insect Bites--abdomen, lower back, pelvis, external genitalia
	S40.261A through S40.269S S40.861A through S40.869S	Insect Bites--shoulder and upper arm
	S50.361A through S50.369S S50.861A through S50.869S	Insect Bites--elbow and forearm
	S60.361A through S60.369S S60.460A through S60.469S S60.561A through S60.569S S60.861A through S60.869S	Insect Bites--wrist, hand and fingers
	S70.261A through S70.269S S70.361A through S70.369S	Insect Bites--hip and thigh
	S80.261A through S80.269S S80.861A through S80.869S	Insect Bites--knee and lower leg
	S90.461A through S90.466S S90.561A through S90.569S S90.861A through S90.869S	Insect Bites--ankle, foot and toes
	W53.01XA through W59.89XS	Contact with Rodent, dog, mammals, nonvenomous marine animal, bitten or stung by nonvenomous insect and other nonvenomous arthropods, crocodile or alligator, other nonvenomous reptiles
	W61.01XA through W62.9XXS	Contact with Birds, nonvenomous amphibians,



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	T63.001A through T63.94XS	Toxic effect of contact with venomous animals
	S30.842A through S30.842S	Hair tourniquet--penis
	S60.341A through S60.349S	hair tourniquet--thumb
	S60.440A through S60.449S	hair tourniquet--fingers
	S90.441A through S90.446S	hair tourniquet--toe
	Y92.230 through Y92.239	Injury occurred in a hospital setting
	P10.0 through P15.9	Birth related injuries

