

OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY

This section is for identifying and recording developmental disabilities other than those attributable to mental retardation, cerebral palsy, epilepsy or autism. "Other" developmental disabilities are disabling conditions found to be closely related to mental retardation or to require treatment similar to that required for individuals with mental retardation. It does not include handicapping conditions that are solely psychiatric disorders, solely learning disabilities, or solely physical in nature. Examples of conditions that could be included in this section are intracranial neoplasms, degenerative brain disease, spina bifida, etc., resulting in substantial handicap.

TYPE OF OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY (Items 33, 33a and 33b)

Items 33, 33a and 33b are to be used to record the type(s) of disability(ies).



Completing the Hard-Copy CDER Form

Items 33 and 33a - 33b : Type of Other Developmental Disability

Users of the hard-copy form should complete Items 33, and 33a - 33b as follows:

- If the consumer does not have a related disability, check the "No" box in Item 33 and leave Items 33a - 33b and Items 34a - 34b blank.
- If the consumer does have a related disability, check the "Yes" box in Item 33 and complete Items 33a-33b. Using ICD-9-CM codes, enter the code for the particular disability in Item 33a. If the client has more than one disability, record the second one in Item 33b using ICD-9-CM codes.



NOTE: *If the "hard copy" of this form is to be placed in the client's chart, you may want to write the name of the disability in the "specify" space provided.*

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Example of Coding Other Type of DD on the Hard Copy Form

This example shows the coding for a consumer who has Werdnig-Hoffman disease, a severe and progressive infantile spinal atrophy.

33. Other Disability: Yes No

Type of Other Disability
(ICD-9-CM)

33a. Werdnig-Hoffman disease |3|3|5| . |0|_|
(specify)

33b. _____ |_|_|_| . |_|_|
(specify)

ETIOLOGY OF OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY (Items 34a and 34b)

These items refer to any causal or contributing factors associated with the conditions codes in items 33a and 33b.

When coding etiology of Other Developmental Disabilities:

- If the client does not have such a disability, leave the item blank.
- If the client has such a disability, enter any additional contributing factor associated with the disability, using ICD-9-CM codes, in Item 34a.
- If the client has two such disabilities, as indicated by entries in both Item 33a and Item 33b, enter any contributing or associated factor for the second disability in Item 34b.
- If the client has such a disability but the secondary contributing factor(s) is not known, enter "999.99" in Item 34a and/or Item 34b.

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Example of Coding Etiology of Other DD on the Hard Copy Form

This example shows the coding for a consumer who has spina bifida with hydrocephalus and with a secondary condition of H. Influenzae meningitis.

Etiology of Other Developmental Disability

ICD-9-CM Code

34a. (Spina bifida with hydrocephalus)

|7|4|1| . |0|_|

34b. (H. influenzae meningitis)

|3|2|0| . |0|_|