



*Practice Management
for the Referral Specialties*

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New Otolaryngology Diagnosis Codes/Changes

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ADDED:

389.15	Sensorineural hearing loss, unilateral
389.16	Sensorineural hearing loss, asymmetrical
478.11	Nasal mucositis (ulcerative)
478.19	Other disease of nasal cavity and sinuses
519.11	Acute brochospasm
519.19	Other diseases of trachea and bronchus
784.91	Postnasal drip
784.99	Other symptoms involving head and neck
V58.30	Encounter for change or removal of nonsurgical wound dressing
V58.31	Encounter for change or removal of surgical wound dressing
V58.32	Encounter for removal of sutures
V72.11	Encounter for hearing examination following failed hearing screening
V72.19	Other examination of ears and hearing

DELETED:

- 478.1 Other diseases of nasal cavity and sinuses (NOW REQUIRES 5TH DIGIT)**
- 519.1 Other diseases of trachea and brochus (NOW REQUIRES 5TH DIGIT)**
- 784.9 Other symptoms involving head and neck (NOW REQUIRES 5TH DIGIT)**
- V72.1 Examination of ears and hearing (NOW REQUIRES 5TH DIGIT)**

REVISED DESCRIPTION *changes in italics:*

- 389.11 Sensory hearing loss *bilateral***
- 389.12 Neural hearing loss *bilateral***
- 389.14 Central hearing loss *bilateral***
- 389.18 Sensorineural hearing loss of combined types, *bilateral***