



GENERAL SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

The following are important documentation tips and strategies for this disease/condition as required by the specificity needed in ICD-10:

- Indicate the type or cause of fevers (e.g., unknown origin, drug-induced, neutropenic, post-procedure, post-vaccination, etc.).
- Report the type of a seizure (e.g., febrile, simple, complex, post-traumatic, etc.)
- Detail enlarged lymph nodes as being localized or generalized.
- Specify edema as being localized or generalized, the underlying cause, and site.
- List the underlying cause of Systemic Inflammatory Response Syndrome (SIRS).
- Identify it as severe sepsis, and specify any related organ failure.