

NEWBORN, BIRTH INJURIES

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

- Identify the site and type of trauma (e.g., facial nerve, subdural hemorrhage, Erb's palsy, fractured clavicle, cephalhematoma, etc.).
- List any condition that has implications for future healthcare needs.
- Specify when equipment used during labor and delivery causes injuries (e.g., facial bruising due to a forceps delivery)