

OTHER DORSOPATHIES

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

- Identify the spinal region affected such as:
 - *Occipito-atlanto-axial.*
 - *Cervical.*
 - *Thoracic.*
 - *Thoracolumbar.*
 - *Lumbosacral.*

- When documenting cervical, thoracic, and lumbar intervertebral disc disorders, specify the occurrence of:
 - *Myelopathy.*
 - *Radiculopathy.*
 - *Disc displacement.*
 - *Disc degeneration.*

- Include any:
 - *Cervicocranial and cervicobrachial syndromes.*
 - *Sacrococcygeal disorders.*