

The classification criteria of the pain-related diagnosis

ICD-10 pain code “not neuropathic”

F413	fear/tension- type pain syndrome
F4534	psychogenic painful micturition
F4539	psychogenic pain of the abdomen
F4540	continuing somatoform disorder
F4541	chronic pain with somatic and psychological factors
G440	cluster headache
G441	vasomotor headache
G442	tension headache
G443	chronic posttraumatic headache
G444	headache caused by drugs
G448	other headache without detailed specification
G501	atypical facial pain
H571	eye pain
I702	arteriosclerosis of the extremities: physical stress induced leg pain
L905	cicatix pain
M2550	joint pain: multiple sites
M2551	joint pain: shoulder region (clavicula, scapula, acromioclavicular-/shoulder-/sternoclavicular joints)
M2552	joint pain: upper arm (humerus, elbow joint)
M2553	joint pain: forearm (radius, ulna, wrist)
M2554	joint pain: hand (finger, carpus, metacarpus)
M2555	joint pain: pelvic region and thigh (pelvis, femur, buttocks, hip, hip joint, sacroiliac joint)
M2556	joint pain: lower leg (fibula, tibia, knee joint)
M2557	joint pain: ankle and foot (tarsal, metatarsal, toes, ankle, subtalar joint, other ankle joints)
M2558	joint pain: multiple sites (neck, head, ribs, torso, spine)
M2559	joint pain: multiple localisation
M545	back pain
M546	pain in area of thoracic spine
M5480	other back pain: different areas of the spine
M5481	other back pain: atlanto-occipital joint
M5482	other back pain: cervical area
M5483	other back pain: cervical-thoracic area
M5484	other back pain: thoracic area
M5485	other back pain: thoracic-lumbar area
M5486	other back pain: lumbar area
M5487	other back pain: lumbar-sacral area
M5488	other back pain: sacral area
M5489	other back pain: not detailed localisation
M5490	back pain- nondetailed specification: several localisations of the spine
M5491	back pain- no detailed specification: atlanto-occipital joint
M5492	back pain- no detailed specification: cervical area
M5493	back pain- no detailed specification: cervical-thoracic area
M5494	back pain- no detailed specification: thoracic area
M5495	back pain- no detailed specification: thoracic-lumbar area
M5496	back pain- no detailed specification: lumbar area
M5497	back pain- no detailed specification: lumbar-sacral area
M5498	ankle and foot (tarsal, metatarsal, toes, ankle, subtalar joint, other ankle joints)
M5499	back pain- not detailed specification: area not detailed localisation
M7960	pain in extremities: several localisations
M7961	pain in extremities: shoulder region (clavicula, scapula, acromioclavicular-/shoulder-/sternoclavicular joint)
M7962	pain in extremities: upper arm (humerus, elbow joint)
M7963	pain in extremities: forearm (radius, ulna, wrist)
M7964	pain in extremities: hand (finger, carpus, metacarpus)
M7965	pain in extremities: pelvic region and thigh (pelvis, femur, buttocks, hip, hip joint, sacroiliac joint)
M7966	pain in extremities: lower leg (fibula, tibia, knee joint)
M7967	pain in extremities: ankle and foot (tarsal, metatarsal, toes, ankle, subtalar joint, other ankle joints)
M7969	pain in extremities: no detailed localisation
M961	post dissection syndrome
N3981	flank pain
N940	intermenstrual pain
O294	headache after spinal cord anesthesia during pregnancy
O745	headache after spinal cord anesthesia during pregnancy
O894	headache after spinal cord anesthesia during childbirth
R070	sore throat

R071	chest pain while breathing
R072	precordial pain
R073	other kind of chest pain
R074	chest pain: no detailed specification
R101	pain in the area of upper abdomen
R102	pain in the area of pelvis and perineum
R103	pain in other areas of lower abdomen
R104	other pains without detailed specification
R309	pains passing water without detailed specification
R51	headache
R520	acute pain
R521	chronic unswayable pain
R522	other chronic pain
R529	pain without detailed specification

ICD-10 pain codes “typically neuropathic”
(Diagnoses with an improved evidence via controlled randomised studies)

B02	herpes zoster
G500	trigeminal neuralgia
G530	post zoster neuralgia
G546	phantom pain
G9585	deafferentation pain due to spinal cord impairment
M797	fibromyalgia
T926	stump pain after traumatically arm amputation
T936	stump pain after traumatically leg amputation

ICD-10 pain code “possibly neuropathic”
(diseases with a potentially neuropathic genesis based upon aetiology/anatomical deliberations, independent from the therapeutic benefit of P/G according to the guideline “diagnostic for neuropathic pain” from the German Society of Neurology [1])

G130	paraneoplastic neuromyopathy and neuropathy
G521	diseases of N. glossopharyngeus and glossopharyngeus neuralgia
G56	mono neuropathy of the upper extremity
G57	mono neuropathy of the lower extremity
G58	other mono neuropathies
G59	mono neuropathy parallel to other illness
G60	hereditary and idiopathic neuropathy
G61	polyneuritis
G62	other polyneuropathies
G63	polyneuropathy parallel to other illness
G990	autonomous neuropathy through endokrinal and metabolic diseases
M501	cervical intervertebral disc degeneration with radiculopathy
M511	lumbal intervertebral disc degeneration with radiculopathy
M541	radiculopathy
M542	cervical neuralgia
M543	ischialgia
M544	lumboischialgia

1 Deutsche Gesellschaft für Neurologie. Diagnostik neuropathischer Schmerzen: S1-Leitlinie 2012.