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Non-radiographic Axial Spondyloarthritis (nr-axSpA) ICD-10 Codes

Sub-category (M45.A) for nr-axSpA

- Designed to help people living with nr-axSpA receive early and accurate diagnosis and appropriate treatment
- Created specifically for nr-axSpA to provide clarity in electronic medical records and with payers
- Please check with payers to ensure their systems have included these new codes

ICD-10 CODES	NON-RADIOGRAPHIC AXIAL SPONDYLOARTHRITIS CATEGORY
M45.A0	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of unspecified sites in spine
M45.A1	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of occipito-atlanto-axial region
M45.A2	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of cervical region
M45.A3	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of cervicothoracic region
M45.A4	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of thoracic region
M45.A5	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of thoracolumbar region
M45.A6	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of lumbar region
M45.A7	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of lumbosacral region
M45.A8	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of sacral and sacrococcygeal region
M45.AB	Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis of multiple sites in spine

UCB cannot recommend ICD-10 coding for the nr-axSpA patient. It is at the sole discretion of HCPs to determine the coding that best characterizes patients' clinical presentation.

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) posted updates to the ICD-10 coding. For more information, go to: <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/icd-10/2022-icd-10-cm>.

