



DOCUMENTING ANEMIA (D50-D89)

- Identify the type of anemia as nutritional, hemolytic, aplastic or as a result of blood loss
- Specify whether acute or chronic
- Document the deficient vitamin(s) and/or mineral(s) for nutritional anemias
- Describe hemolytic anemias as being hereditary, acquired, enzyme disorders, autoimmune or non-autoimmune
- Detail the underlying cause or provide a statement indicating “unknown cause”
- List the name and purpose of medications or other substance causing anemia
- Link any laboratory findings to a related diagnosis