

Centegra Health System

Clinical Documentation Tips

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Specify and provide additional documentation
for

Encephalopathy

Document CAUSE of any Mental Status Changes

- Specify type of encephalopathy:

Toxic

Metabolic

Septic

Hepatic

Anoxic

Hypertensive

Documentation should reflect the following:

- Type of encephalopathy
- Cause of the encephalopathy:
 - Toxic - including solvents, drugs, radiation, paints, industrial chemicals, and certain metals
 - Metabolic - Infection, mitochondrial dysfunction, poor nutrition, tumors, increase intracranial pressure, seizures, CVA ect...



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