LGMD: ICD-10 Diagnostic Codes

A Resource for Clinicians

Background

- LGMD subtypes were previously classified under a single diagnostic code (*G71.09: Other specified MD*)
- New ICD-codes were approved for several LGMD subtypes in September 2022

LGMD ICD-10 Diagnostic Codes (Revised Sep 2022)*

G71.031	Autosomal dominant LGMD	LGMD D
G71.032	Autosomal recessive LGMD due to calpain-3 dysfunction	LGMDR1
G71.033	LGMD due to dysferlin dysfunction	LGMDR2
G71.0340	LGMD due to sarcoglycan dysfunction, unspecified	LGMDR3-6
G71.0341	LGMD due to alpha sarcoglycan dysfunction	LGMDR3
G71.0342	LGMD due to beta sarcoglycan dysfunction	LGMDR4
G71.0349	LGMD due to other sarcoglycan dysfunction	LGMDR5/6
G71.035	LGMD due to anoctamin-5 dysfunction	LGMDR12
G71.038	Other LGMD	LGMD
G71.039	LGMD, unspecified	LGMD

*LGMDR9 (LGMD-2I) remains without a code, despite being relatively prevalent.

Next Steps

Document

- Include text in your assessment to assist coders (gene name, subtype)

Educate

- Communicate these changes to your clinic staff and increase awareness

Advocate

- Advocate for inclusion of missing codes for other subtypes

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