



# Western Australian Coding Rule

## 0318/49 Failed gastric band

Documentation of “failed gastric band” without further qualification should be queried with the clinician.

See also ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS Coding Rules:

- **Removal or replacement of a failed (meaning ineffective) implanted device** (Ref No: Q3444) effective 1 January 2020; and
- **Revision procedures for obesity** (Ref No: Q3016) effective 1 January 2016; (log in to view on the [IHPA Australian Classification Exchange](#)).

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## DECISION

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[Effective 01 July 2017, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ASC 10<sup>th</sup> Ed.]



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### Q.

How do you code failed gastric band with vomiting and no weight loss?

### A.

We are not able to provide an answer to this query. Documentation such as this should be queried with the treating clinician. Clarification is required to determine if the symptom/condition is related to the device. It does not need to be documented as causal but there needs to be an association.

Refer to ACS 1904 *Procedural Complications* page 254, "...when the complication relates to a prosthetic device, implant or graft, look up the main term 'complication' and then by the device..."

Refer also to 8.7 Haemorrhage due to or associated with prosthetic devices, implants and grafts WA Coding Committee decision date: 11/07/12.

### DECISION

**Each case should be queried with the treating clinician for further clarification to determine if the symptom/condition is related to the device.**

[Effective 23 Jan 2013, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ASC 7<sup>th</sup> Ed.]