

**Table of V.39 MS-DRG Codes and Service Line Categories<sup>1</sup>**

<b>HCAHPS Sampling Protocol Service Line – MS-DRG Crosswalk for HCAHPS</b>		
<u>MS-DRG</u>	<u>Service Line</u>	<u>Eligible for HCAHPS</u>
768, 783-788, 796-798, 805-807 <i>Note: While the Federal Register classifies these codes as medical or surgical, for HCAHPS they are to be coded as Maternity Care.</i>	1 = Maternity Care	Yes
14, 16-18, 52-103, 121-125, 146-159, 175-208, 280-282, 286-316, 368-395, 432-446, 533-566, 592-607, 637-645, 682-684, 686-690, 693-700, 722-730, 754-761, 776, 779, 808-816, 831-849, 862-872, 913-923, 933-935, 947-951, 963-965, 974-977	2 = Medical	Yes
1-8, 10-13, 19-42, 113-117, 135-145, 163-168, 215-229, 231-236, 239-274, 319-320, 326-358, 405-425, 453-483, 485-489, 492-522, 570-585, 614-630, 650-675, 707-718, 734-750, 769-770, 799-804, 817-830, 853-858, 901-909, 927-929, 939-941, 955-959, 969-970, 981-983, 987-989	3 = Surgical	Yes
283-285, 789-795, 876, 880-887, 894-897, 945-946, 998-999	Ineligible	No
A missing MS-DRG code does not exclude a patient from being drawn into the sample frame.	M = Missing	Yes

*Note: Ineligible MS-DRGs include patients with MS-DRGs for newborn, psychiatric, substance abuse, rehabilitation, or deceased, and MS-DRGs with no assigned type.*

*If a patient with an ineligible MS-DRG code from the above table is drawn into the sample, please code the Final Survey Status, as “3 – Ineligible: Not in eligible population.”*

*Please verify that the hospital is not using any of the ineligible MS-DRG codes as a “filler” code (e.g., 999) prior to obtaining the final billing MS-DRG code.*

*If patient service line is unknown at time of sample frame creation and the patient is otherwise eligible for HCAHPS, then include the patient in the sample frame.*

Final Rule Tables can be found at: <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/acute-inpatient-pps/fy-2022-ipps-final-rule-home-page#Table>

<sup>1</sup> This table of MS-DRG codes is based on Table 5 of the FY 2022 Federal Register Notice, Vol. 86, No. 154 / Friday, August 13, 2021.