

## Module 4 Guideline Lesson 1

Martha Wayne is going to a surgical procedure however, the surgeon is concerned with Martha's benign hypertensive cardiovascular disease. He would like Martha to see her cardiologist for clearance before the procedure. What main term is referenced in the alphabetic index for this diagnosis?

Correct answer 1 - hypertension

What diagnosis code is provided in the alphabetic index for Martha's benign hypertensive cardiovascular disease?

Correct answer 1 - I11.9

Correct

For "hypertension, cardiovascular, disease" in the alphabetic index, a coder is directed to "see hypertension, heart". Under "hypertension, heart", code I11.9 is provided.

Under I11.9 in the tabular list, **select all** the directional notations listed: (check all that apply)

Use additional code to identify tobacco use (Z72.0)

Missed

This notation is listed under the categories I10-I16 indicating the "use additional" notes will be referenced v  
Excludes1 neonatal hypertension (P92.2)

Missed

This notation is listed under the categories I10-I16 indicating the Excludes1 notes will be for every code in

Use additional code to identify the stage of chronic kidney disease (N18.5, N18.6)

Includes any condition in N18 and N26 - due to hypertension

Which guideline would the coder need to confirm for this diagnosis?

Guideline I.C.9.a.2

Guideline I.C.9.a.3

Guideline I.C.9.a.1

None of the chapter 9 guidelines will apply for this diagnosis.

Correct