

# Occupational Health in ICD 11

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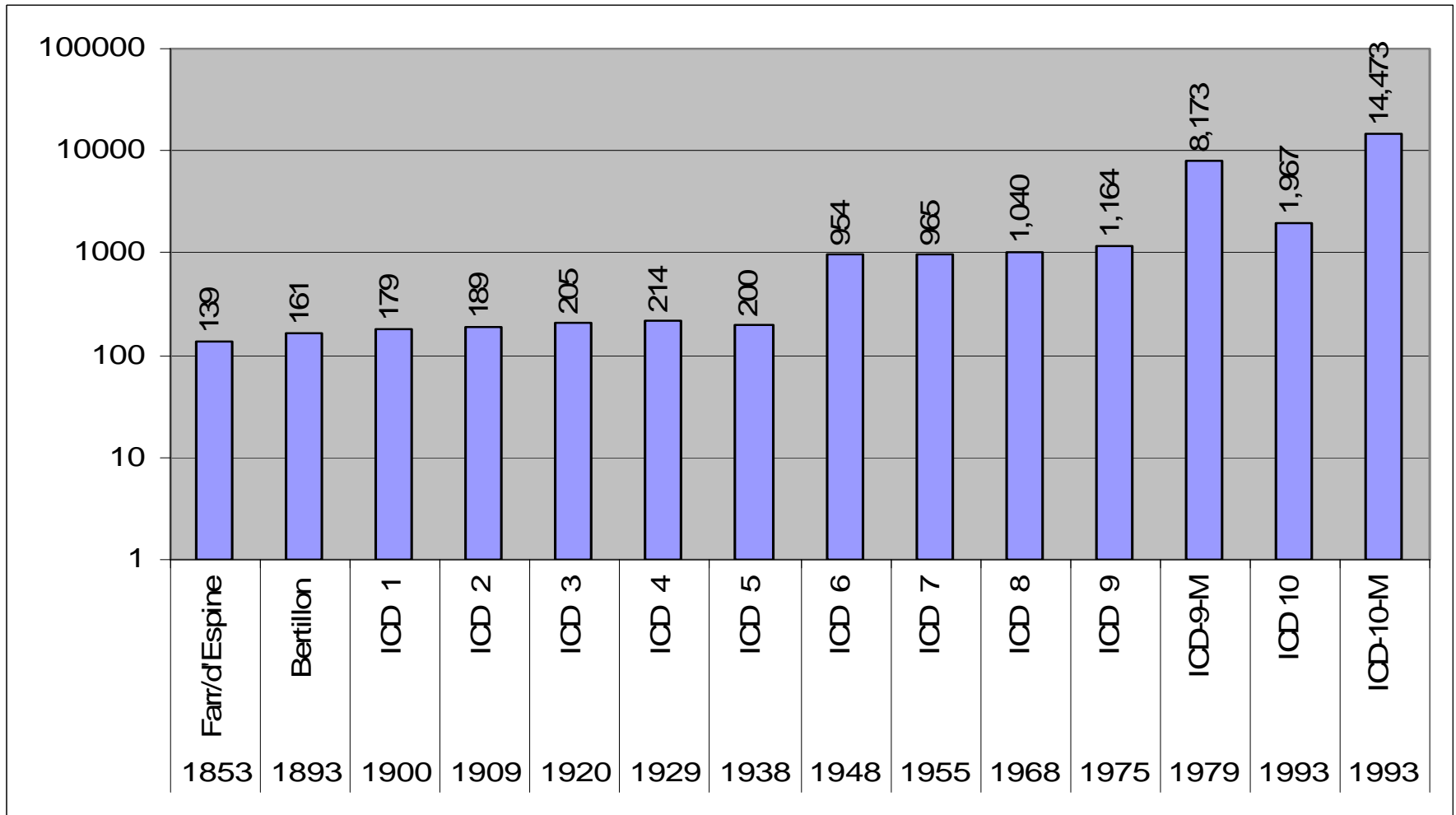
# Origins of ICD

William Farr (1807-1883)

“The advantages of a uniform statistical nomenclature, however imperfect, are so obvious, that it is surprising no attention has been paid to its enforcement in Bills of Mortality. Each disease has, in many instances, been denoted by three or four terms, and each term has been applied to as many different diseases: vague, inconvenient names have been employed, or complications have been registered instead of primary diseases. The nomenclature is of as much importance in this department of inquiry as weights and measures in the physical sciences, and should be settled without delay.”



# ICD Revisions



# Construction of ICD-10:

## *Revision Process in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century*



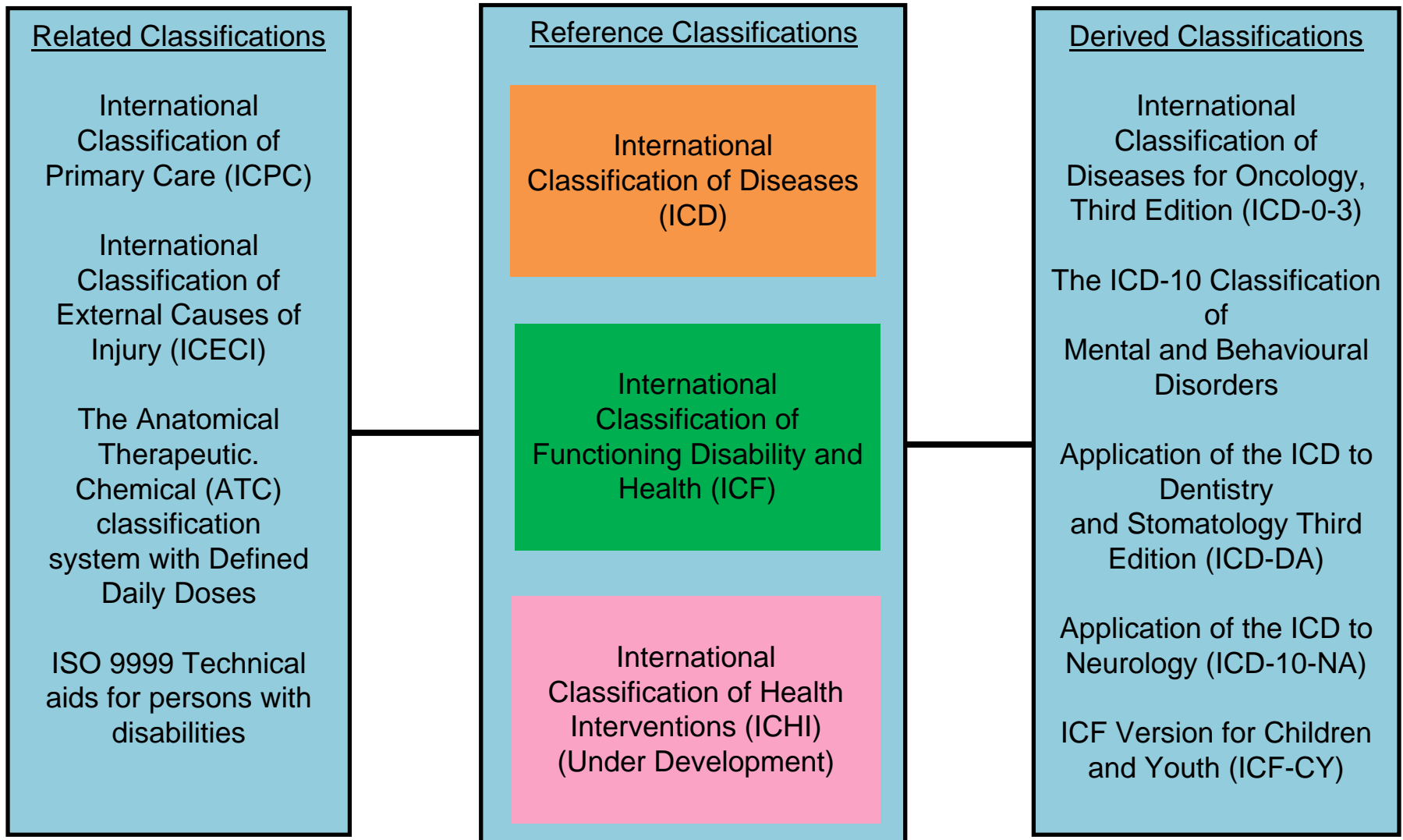
- 8 Annual Revision Conferences (1982 - 89)
  - 17 – 58 Countries participated
  - 1- 5 person delegations
  - mainly Health Statisticians, and some epidemiologists
- Manual curation
- Exchange of prepared lists of updates
- Index was done later
- Method of discussion: paper mail...
- Output: Paper Copy
- Work in English only
- Limited testing in the field

# Construction of ICD-11: Revision Process in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century



- **Internet-based permanent platform**
  - All year round
  - Open to all people in a structured way
  - Content experts focus
- **Digital curation**
  - Wiki enabled collaboration
  - Ontology based
- **Enhanced discussion & peer review**
  - TAGs serve as the editorial group
- **Electronic copy** → print version
- **Work in multiple languages**
- **Planned field tests**
  - Based on Use Cases

# The WHO Family of International Classifications



# ICD-11 Use–Cases

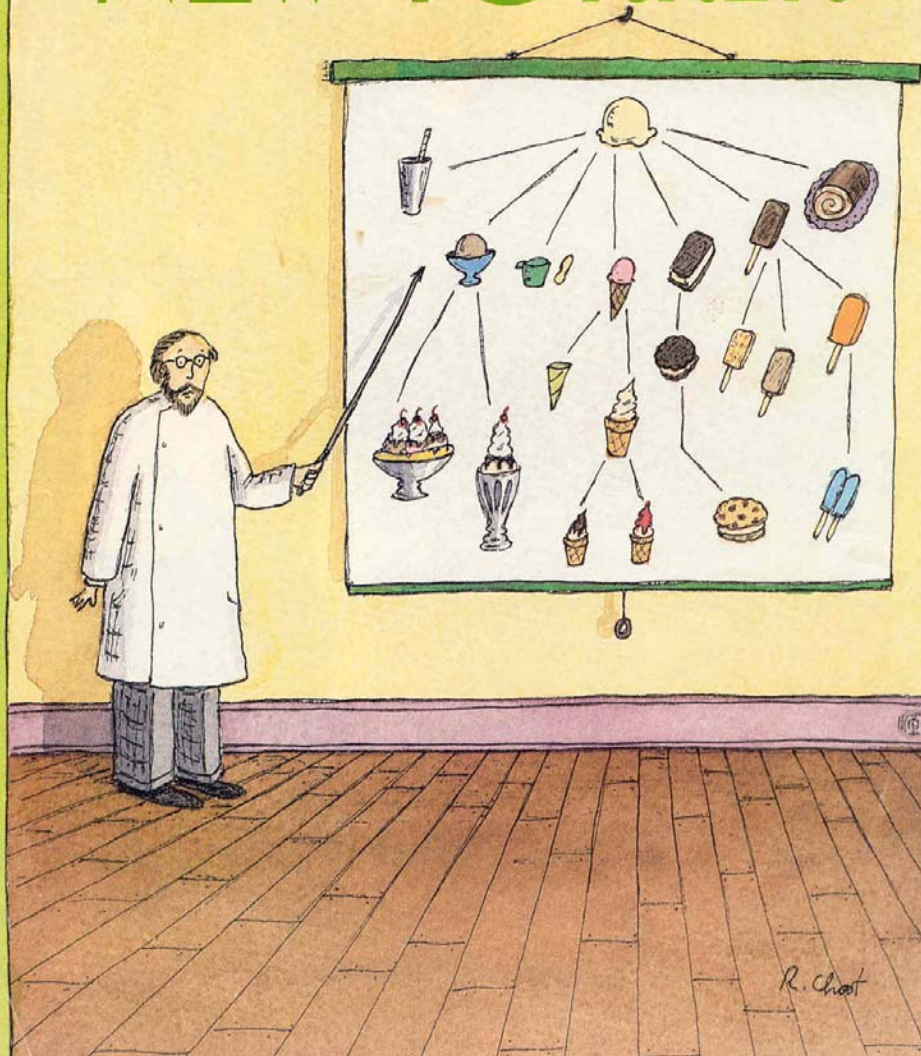
- 1.Mortality
- 2.Morbidity
- 3.Case Mix Groupings
- 4.Primary Care
- 5.Quality and Safety
- 6.Scientific agreement on clinical phenotype

## Use Case Template

<b>Use Case</b>	<i>Use case identifier and reference number and modification history</i>
<b>Description</b>	<i>Goal to be achieved by use case and sources for requirement</i>
<b>Actors</b>	<i>List of actors involved in use case</i>
<b>Assumptions</b>	<i>Conditions that must be true for use case to terminate successfully</i>
<b>Steps</b>	<i>Interactions between actors and system that are necessary to achieve goal</i>
<b>Variations</b>	<i>Any variations in the steps of a use case</i>
<b>Non-Functionals</b>	<i>List any non-functional requirements that the use case must meet</i>
<b>Issues</b>	<i>List of issues that remain to be resolved</i>



# THE NEW YORKER



# What is Ontology?

- **Ontology (philosophy)**
  - the Organization of Reality ☺ !!!
- **Ontology (computer science)**
  - the explicit – operational description of the conceptualization of a domain:
    - Concepts: **entity** and **quality**  
*(properties and attributes)*
- An ontology defines:
  - a **common vocabulary** → a shared understanding/exchange:
    - among people
    - among software agents
    - between people and software
      - to reuse data - information
      - to introduce standards to allow interoperability



# Fit for use

## Input AND Output



REGISTRATION: MINOR A/CHEM | January 5, 1994

51. PART I. Enter the diseases, injuries, or complications that caused the death. Do not enter the mode of dying, such as cardiac or respiratory arrest, shock, or heart failure. List only one cause in each line. Approximate Interval Between Onset and Death

IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death) → a. Myocardial infarction  
DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):

b. ASHD  
DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):

c. \_\_\_\_\_  
DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):

d. \_\_\_\_\_  
DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):

52. PART II. Enter other significant conditions contributing to death but not resulting in the underlying cause given in Part I.

CHF, Asthma

53. WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED?  Yes  No

54. WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CAUSE OF DEATH?  Yes  No

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-428.0  
-493.9  
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# ICD-11



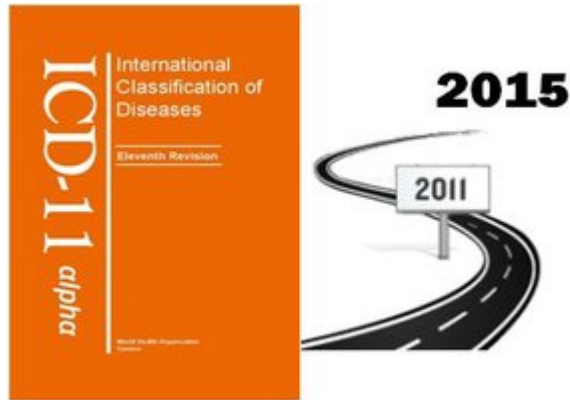
## **Multiple Settings**

Primary Care  
Clinical Services  
Research

## **Specialty Adaptations**

Dermatology  
Mental Health  
Musculoskeletal  
Neurology  
Paediatrics

# The International Classification of Diseases 11th Revision is due by 2015



ICD is the **international standard** to measure health & health services

- Mortality statistics
- Morbidity statistics
- Health care costs
- Progress towards the **Millenium Development Goals**
- Research

# ICD-11 Timeline

- **2011 : Alpha version ( ICD 11 alpha draft)**
  - +1 YR : Commentaries and consultations
- **2012 : Beta version & Field Trials Version**
  - +2 YR : Field trials
- **2014 : Final version for public viewing**  
**–2015 : WHA Approval**
- **2015+ implementation**



# Definitions



- All ICD entities will have definitions:  
that give key descriptions and guidance on what the meaning of the entity/category is
- in human readable terms - to guide users
  - All ICD entities will have a concise definition (100 words) in the print version
  - More detailed definitions can be found ONLINE
  - the Content Model
  - Diagnostic Criteria
  - across the whole classification and the versions



# Content Model

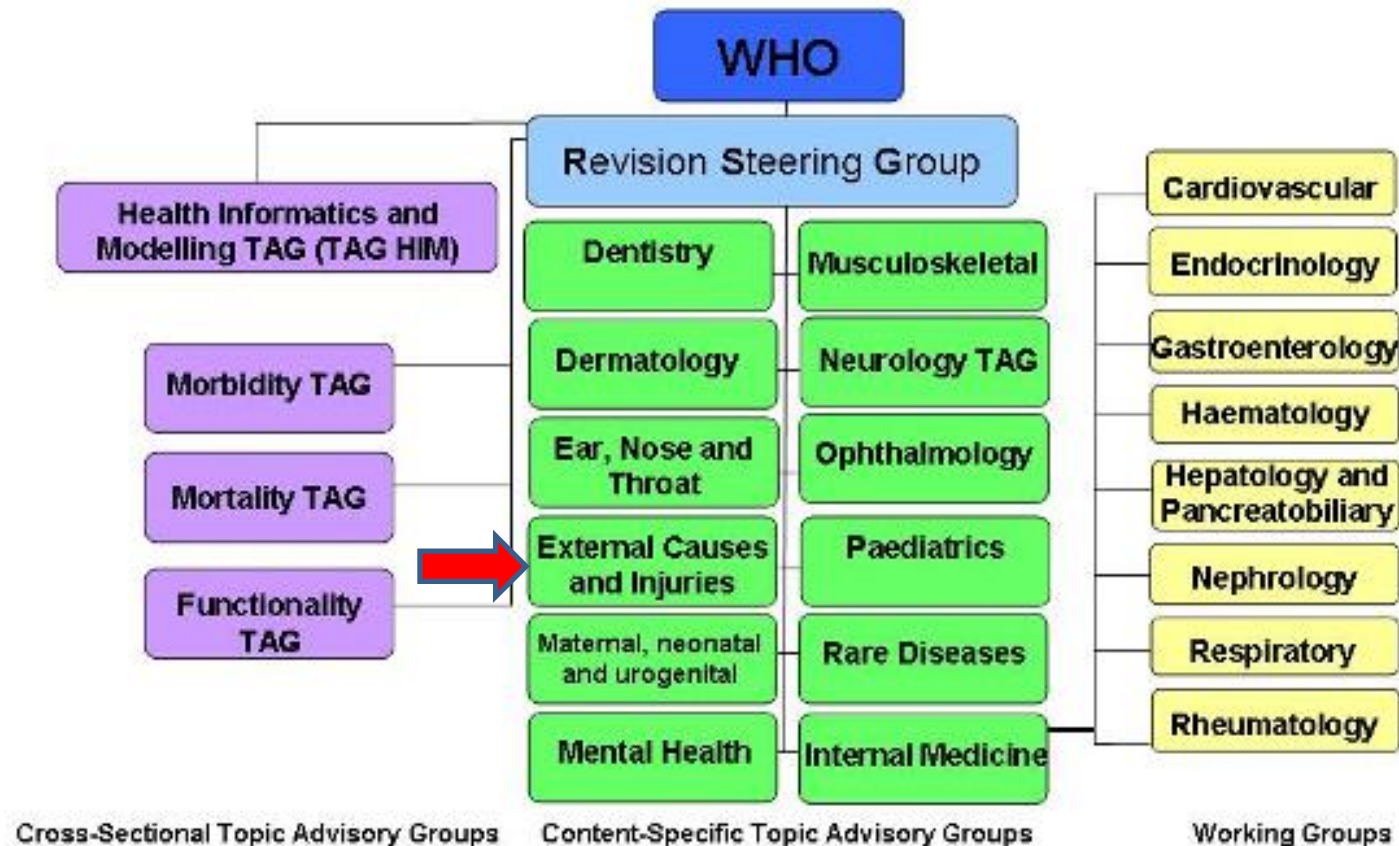


The content model is a structured framework that captures the knowledge that underpins the definition of an ICD entity.

## **Content Model Parameters**

1. ICD Entity Title
2. Classification Properties
3. Textual Definitions
4. Terms
5. Body System/Structure Description
6. Temporal Properties
7. Severity of Subtypes Properties
8. Manifestation Properties
9. Causal Properties
10. Functioning Properties
11. Specific Condition Properties
12. Treatment Properties
13. Diagnostic Criteria

# ICD Revision Organizational Structure



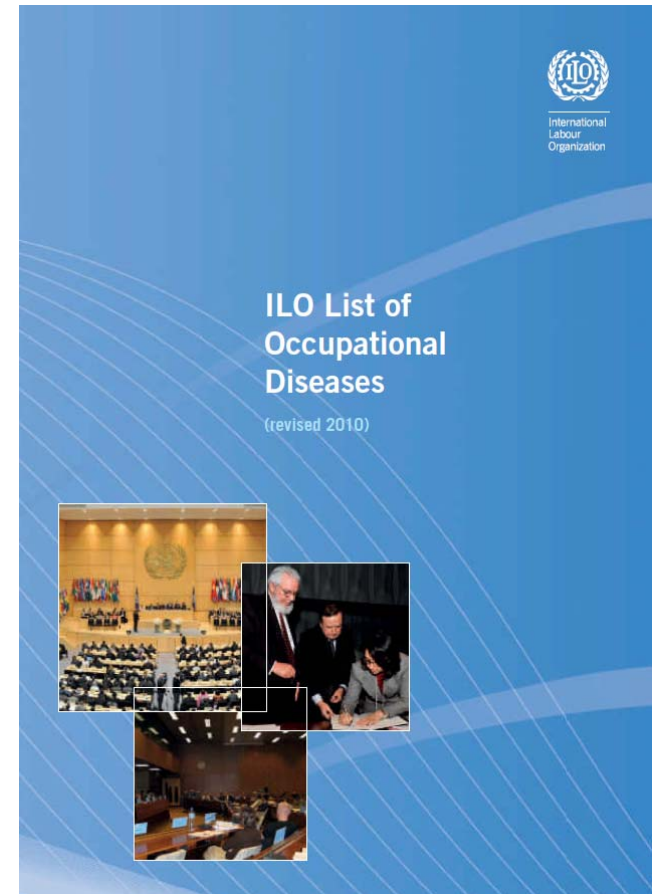
# Occupational Diseases in ICD-11

Map the ILO list of diseases and definitions to the appropriate ICD-10 codes, diseases and definitions

Review the ILO List of Occupational Diseases for ICD-11 inclusion

Identify and prioritise diseases from ICD-10 that may be considered for inclusion in ICD-11

Welcome contribution from stakeholders to support the appropriate inclusion of occupational diseases in ICD-11



Details for G56.0 Carpal tunnel syndrome

- Title & Definition
- Classification Properties
- Terms
- Clinical Description
- Manifestation Properties
- Causal Properties
- Temporal Properties
- Severity Properties
- Functioning Properties

CAT DEMO and TRAINING PLATFORM

Sign Out Options Send feedback

- My ICD
- ICD Content
- Category Notes and Discussions
- Reviews
- Change History
- Manage Hierarchy
- Export and Import

ICD Categories

Create Watch Branch Search: Type search string

- 04 IV Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases 2 2275
- 05 V Mental and behavioural disorders 3 207
- 06 VI Diseases of the nervous system 1902
  - Needing a decision to be made 1 300
    - To be retired 1 541
  - 06 C Multiple sclerosis and clinically isolated syndromes of the central nervous system 15
  - 06 D Epilepsy, seizures and non-epileptic seizures 1 1
  - 06 E Headache disorders 1 226
  - 06 F Disorders of nerve root, plexus and peripheral nerves 74
    - 06 F 00 Disorders of trigeminal nerve 10
    - 06 F 01 Facial nerve disorders 5
    - 06 F 02 Disorders of other cranial nerves 7
    - 06 F 03 0 Postzoster neuralgia 1 5
    - 06 F 03 6 Postherpetic geniculate ganglionitis 3
    - 06 F 03 9 Multiple cranial nerve palsies in sarcoidosis 2
    - 06 F 03 Cranial nerve disorders classified elsewhere 1 3
    - 06 F 04 Nerve root and plexus disorders 24
    - 06 F 05 Nerve root and plexus compressions in diseases classified elsewhere 1 2
    - G56 Mononeuropathies of arm 2
      - G56.0 Carpal tunnel syndrome 1
      - G56.1 Other lesions of median nerve
      - G56.2 Lesion of ulnar nerve

Parents of G56.0 Carpal tunnel syndrome

- G56 Mononeuropathies of arm

Details for G56.0 Carpal tunnel syndrome

Title & Definition Classification Properties Terms Clinical Description Manifestation Properties Causal Properties Temporal Properties Severity Properties Functioning Properties

Specific Condition Properties Treatment Diagnostic Criteria ICD 10 Notes and Hints Editorial Information

ICD 10 Code G56.0

Sorting label G56.0

ICD Title Carpal tunnel syndrome

Fully Specified Name

Short Definition Text  
A compression neuropathy due to entrapment of the median nerve within the carpal tunnel at the wrist.

Detailed Definition Text  
Add new value

External Definitions Definition  
entrapment of the median nerve in the carpal tunnel, which is formed by the flexor retinaculum and the carpal bones; this syndrome may be associated with repetitive occupational trauma, wrist injuries, amyloid neuropathies, rheumatoid arthritis, acromegaly, pregnancy, and other conditions; symptoms include burning pain and paresthesias involving the ventral surface of the hand and fingers which may radiate proximally; impairment of sensation in the distribution of the median nerve and thenar muscle atrophy may occur.

Source UMLS/CSP2 006

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### Type

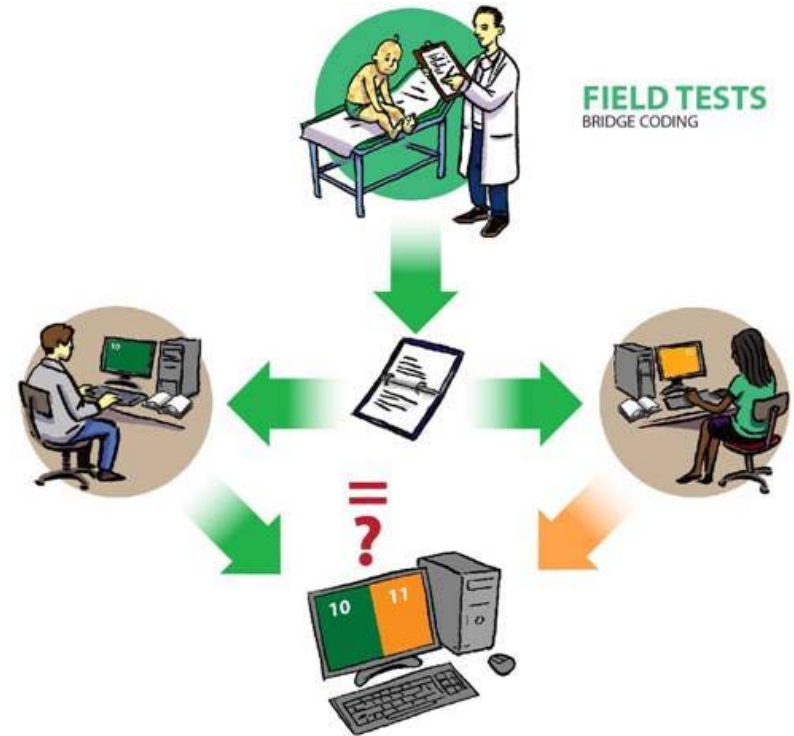
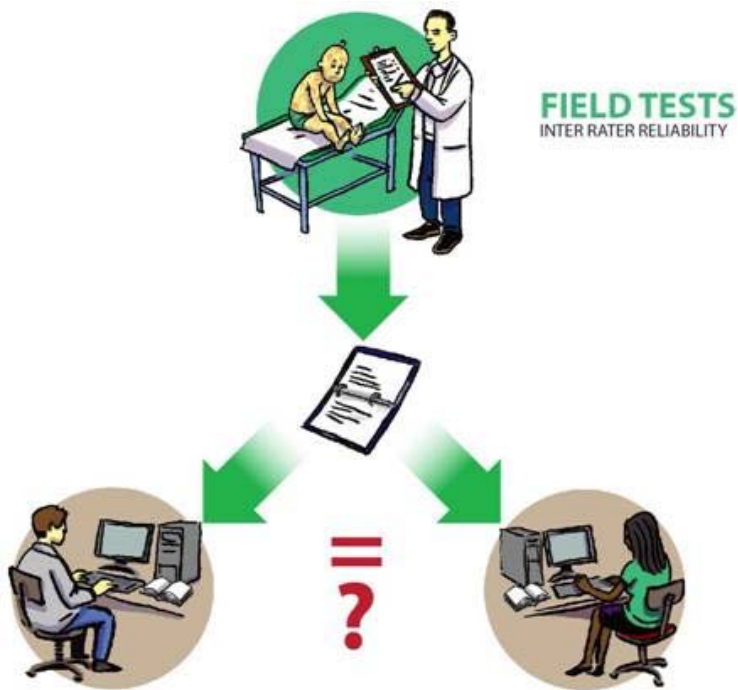
- Disease
- Disorder/Syndrome
- Exposure to External Causes
- Injuries
- Sign/Symptom
- Reason for Encounter
- Unspecified

### Use ?

Linearization	Is part of?	Is grouping?	Sorting label	Linearization Parent	
01. Morbidity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
02. Mortality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
03. Primary Care	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
04. Research	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
05. Spec. Adapt: Mental Health	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
06. Spec. Adapt: Dermatology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
07. Spec. Adapt: Musculoskeletal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
08. Spec. Adapt: Neurology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
09. Spec. Adapt: Paediatrics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	
10. Spec. Adapt: Occupational Health	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		[G56 Mononeuropathies of arm]	1



# Field Tests



# Multiple Languages

**Multilingual Representation**, not a **Translation**. The aim is to represent equivalent concepts rather than word-by-word translation.

The priority will be on 6 Official United Nations Languages:

English

French

Spanish

Russian

Chinese

Arabic

And two WHO Regional Official languages:

German

Portuguese

Other languages will be at the request of WHO Collaborating Centers in different language areas < indicate your interest here >

## Classifications

- [Family of International Classifications](#)
- [Family of International Classifications network](#)
- [Classification of Diseases \(ICD\)](#)
- [Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health \(ICF\)](#)
- [Classification of Health Interventions \(CHI\)](#)
- [Frequently asked questions](#)

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The alpha-draft can be viewed online at: [ICD-11 alpha browser](#)

– Alpha draft is updated **daily** as the work progresses  
takeholders early

## ICD-11 Highlights



**Sign Up!**

**Register to become involved**

WHO wants to know if you are interested in being involved in the ICD Revision.

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**Caveats**  
Read more on what to expect in the ICD-11 Alpha Draft

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