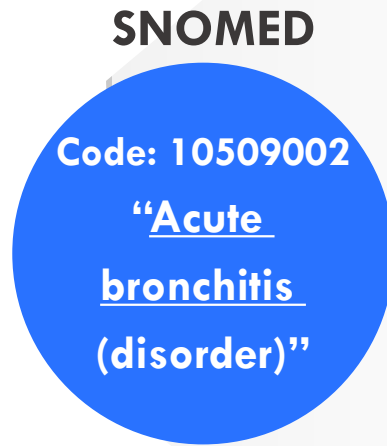
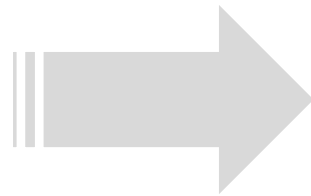


One ICD-10 Code with Many SNOMED Interpretations

Using Acute Bronchitis as an Example



Code J20.9 is recorded in ICD-10 for any patient under the age of 15 who has acute bronchitis. It is also used for six other types of acute bronchitis such as bronchospasm or obstruction.



Code 10509002 for acute bronchitis has 11 “child” or sub-categories of terminologies in SNOMED. These codes are frequently updated for more specific definitions.

SNOMED Codes

- 5505005 Acute bronchiolitis (disorder) ?
- 714203003 Acute bronchitis co-occurrent with bronchiectasis (disorder) ?
- 80257001 Acute bronchitis with bronchospasm (disorder) ?
- 5875001 Acute bronchitis with obstruction (disorder) ?
- 195714005 Acute fibrinous bronchitis (disorder) ?
- 275495004 Acute fibrinous laryngotracheobronchitis (disorder) ?
- ... There are **five more** potential terminologies that could be used ?