

BRIEF ICF CORE SET for NEUROLOGICAL CONDITIONS for POST-ACUTE CARE

BODY FUNCTIONS = physiological functions of body systems (including psychological functions)	
b126	Temperament and personality functions General mental functions of constitutional disposition of the individual to react in a particular way to situations, including the set of mental characteristics that makes the individual distinct from others. <i>Inclusions: functions of extraversion, introversion, agreeableness, conscientiousness, psychic and emotional stability, and openness to experience; optimism; novelty seeking; confidence; trustworthiness</i> <i>Exclusions: intellectual functions (b117); energy and drive functions (b130); psychomotor functions (b147); emotional functions (b152)</i>
b130	Energy and drive functions General mental functions of physiological and psychological mechanisms that cause the individual to move towards satisfying specific needs and general goals in a persistent manner. <i>Inclusions: functions of energy level, motivation, appetite, craving (including craving for substances that can be abused) and impulse control</i> <i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); temperament and personality functions (b126); sleep functions (b134); psychomotor functions (b147); emotional functions (b152)</i>
b160	Thought functions Specific mental functions related to the ideational component of the mind. <i>Inclusions: functions of pace, form, control and content of thought; goal-directed thought functions, non-goal directed thought functions; logical thought functions, such as pressure of thought, flight of ideas, thought block, incoherence of thought, tangentiality, circumstantiality, delusions, obsessions and compulsions</i> <i>Exclusions: intellectual functions (b117); memory functions (b144); psychomotor functions (b147); perceptual functions (b156); higher-level cognitive functions (b164); mental functions of language (b167); calculation functions (b172)</i>
b164	Higher-level cognitive functions Specific mental functions especially dependent on the frontal lobes of the brain, including complex goal-directed behaviours such as decision-making, abstract thinking, planning and carrying out plans, mental flexibility, and deciding which behaviours are appropriate under what circumstances; often called executive functions. <i>Inclusions: functions of abstraction and organization of ideas; time management, insight and judgement; concept formation, categorization and cognitive flexibility</i> <i>Exclusions: memory functions (b144); thought functions (b160); mental functions of language (b167); calculation functions (b172)</i>
b167	Mental functions of language Specific mental functions of recognizing and using signs, symbols and other components of a language. <i>Inclusions: functions of reception and decryption of spoken, written or other forms of language such as sign language; functions of expression of spoken, written or other forms of language; integrative language functions, spoken and written, such as involved in receptive, expressive, Broca's, Wernicke's and conduction aphasia</i> <i>Exclusions: attention functions (b140); memory functions (b144); perceptual functions (b156); thought functions (b160); higher-level cognitive functions (b164); calculation functions (b172); mental functions of complex movements (b176); Chapter 2 Sensory Functions and Pain; Chapter 3 Voice and Speech Functions</i>
b210	Seeing functions Sensory functions relating to sensing the presence of light and sensing the form, size, shape and colour of the visual stimuli. <i>Inclusions: visual acuity functions; visual field functions; quality of vision; functions of sensing light and colour, visual acuity of distant and near vision, monocular and binocular vision; visual picture quality; impairments such as myopia, hypermetropia, astigmatism, hemianopia, colour-blindness, tunnel vision, central and peripheral scotoma, diplopia, night blindness and impaired adaptability to light</i> <i>Exclusion: perceptual functions (b156)</i>
b420	Blood pressure functions Functions of maintaining the pressure of blood within the arteries. <i>Inclusions: functions of maintenance of blood pressure; increased and decreased blood pressure; impairments such as in hypotension, hypertension and postural hypotension</i> <i>Exclusions: heart functions (b410); blood vessel functions (b415); exercise tolerance functions (b455)</i>
b450	Additional respiratory functions Additional functions related to breathing, such as coughing, sneezing and yawning. <i>Inclusions: functions of blowing, whistling and mouth breathing</i>
b510	Ingestion functions Functions related to taking in and manipulating solids or liquids through the mouth into the body. <i>Inclusions: functions of sucking, chewing and biting, manipulating food in the mouth, salivation, swallowing, burping, regurgitation, spitting and vomiting; impairments such as dysphagia, aspiration of food, aerophagia, excessive salivation, drooling and insufficient salivation</i> <i>Exclusion: sensations associated with digestive system (b535)</i>

b530	Weight maintenance functions
	<p>Functions of maintaining appropriate body weight, including weight gain during the developmental period.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of maintenance of acceptable Body Mass Index (BMI); impairments such as underweight, cachexia, wasting, overweight, emaciation and such as in primary and secondary obesity</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: assimilation functions (b520); general metabolic functions (b540); endocrine gland functions (b555)</i></p>
b550	Thermoregulatory functions
	<p>Functions of the regulation of body temperature.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of maintenance of body temperature; impairments such as hypothermia, hyperthermia</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: general metabolic functions (b540); endocrine gland functions (b555)</i></p>
b620	Urination functions
	<p>Functions of discharge of urine from the urinary bladder.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of urination, frequency of urination, urinary continence; impairments such as in stress, urge, reflex, overflow, continuous incontinence, dribbling, automatic bladder, polyuria, urinary retention and urinary urgency</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: urinary excretory functions (b610); sensations associated with urinary functions (b630)</i></p>
b740	Muscle endurance functions
	<p>Functions related to sustaining muscle contraction for the required period of time.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions associated with sustaining muscle contraction for isolated muscles and muscle groups, and all muscles of the body; impairments such as in myasthenia gravis</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: exercise tolerance functions (b455); muscle power functions (b730); muscle tone functions (b735)</i></p>
b770	Gait pattern functions
	<p>Functions of movement patterns associated with walking, running or other whole body movements.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: walking patterns and running patterns; impairments such as spastic gait, hemiplegic gait, paraplegic gait, asymmetric gait, limping and stiff gait pattern</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: muscle power functions (b730); muscle tone functions (b735); control of voluntary movement functions (b760); involuntary movement functions (b765)</i></p>

BODY STRUCTURES

= anatomical parts of the body such as organs, limbs and their components

s410	Structure of cardiovascular system
s730	Structure of upper extremity

ACTIVITIES AND PARTICIPATION

= execution of a task or action by an individual and involvement in a life situation

d115	Listening
	Using the sense of hearing intentionally to experience auditory stimuli, such as listening to a radio, music or a lecture.
d155	Acquiring skills
	Developing basic and complex competencies in integrated sets of actions or tasks so as to initiate and follow through with the acquisition of a skill, such as manipulating tools or playing games like chess. <i>Inclusion: acquiring basic and complex skills</i>
d170	Writing
	Using or producing symbols or language to convey information, such as producing a written record of events or ideas or drafting a letter. <i>Exclusion: learning to write (d145)</i>
d175	Solving problems
	Finding solutions to questions or situations by identifying and analysing issues, developing options and solutions, evaluating potential effects of solutions, and executing a chosen solution, such as in resolving a dispute between two people. <i>Inclusions: solving simple and complex problems</i> <i>Exclusions: thinking (d163); making decisions (d177)</i>
d410	Changing basic body position
	Getting into and out of a body position and moving from one location to another, such as getting up out of a chair to lie down on a bed, and getting into and out of positions of kneeling or squatting. <i>Inclusions: changing body position from lying down, from squatting or kneeling, from sitting or standing, bending and shifting the body's centre of gravity</i> <i>Exclusion: transferring oneself (d420)</i>
d420	Transferring oneself
	Moving from one surface to another, such as sliding along a bench or moving from a bed to a chair, without changing body position. <i>Inclusion: transferring oneself while sitting or lying</i> <i>Exclusion: changing basic body position (d410)</i>
d440	Fine hand use
	Performing the coordinated actions of handling objects, picking up, manipulating and releasing them using one's hand, fingers and thumb, such as required to lift coins off a table or turn a dial or knob. <i>Inclusions: picking up, grasping, manipulating and releasing</i> <i>Exclusion: lifting and carrying objects (d430)</i>
d450	Walking
	Moving along a surface on foot, step by step, so that one foot is always on the ground, such as when strolling, sauntering, walking forwards, backwards or sideways. <i>Inclusions: walking short or long distances; walking on different surfaces; walking around obstacles</i> <i>Exclusions: transferring oneself (d420); moving around (d455)</i>
d460	Moving around in different locations
	Walking and moving around in various places and situations, such as walking between rooms in a house, within a building or down the street of a town. <i>Inclusions: moving around within the home, crawling or climbing within the home; walking or moving within buildings other than the home, and outside the home and other buildings</i>
d465	Moving around using equipment
	Moving the whole body from place to place, on any surface or space, by using specific devices designed to facilitate moving or create other ways of moving around, such as with skates, skis, or scuba equipment, or moving down the street in a wheelchair or a walker. <i>Exclusions: transferring oneself (d420); walking (d450); moving around (d455); using transportation (d470); driving (d475)</i>
d520	Caring for body parts
	Looking after those parts of the body, such as skin, face, teeth, scalp, nails and genitals, that require more than washing and drying. <i>Inclusions: caring for skin, teeth, hair, finger and toe nails</i> <i>Exclusions: washing oneself (d510); toileting (d530)</i>
d530	Toileting
	Planning and carrying out the elimination of human waste (menstruation, urination and defecation), and cleaning oneself afterwards. <i>Inclusions: regulating urination, defecation and menstrual care</i> <i>Exclusions: washing oneself (d510); caring for body parts (d520)</i>

d540	Dressing
	Carrying out the coordinated actions and tasks of putting on and taking off clothes and footwear in sequence and in keeping with climatic and social conditions, such as by putting on, adjusting and removing shirts, skirts, blouses, pants, undergarments, saris, kimono, tights, hats, gloves, coats, shoes, boots, sandals and slippers. <i>Inclusions: putting on or taking off clothes and footwear and choosing appropriate clothing</i>
d550	Eating
	Carrying out the coordinated tasks and actions of eating food that has been served, bringing it to the mouth and consuming it in culturally acceptable ways, cutting or breaking food into pieces, opening bottles and cans, using eating implements, having meals, feasting or dining. <i>Exclusion: drinking (d560)</i>
d560	Drinking
	Taking hold of a drink, bringing it to the mouth, and consuming the drink in culturally acceptable ways, mixing, stirring and pouring liquids for drinking, opening bottles and cans, drinking through a straw or drinking running water such as from a tap or a spring; feeding from the breast. <i>Exclusion: eating (d550)</i>

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS

= make up the physical, social and attitudinal environment in which people live and conduct their lives

e110	Products or substances for personal consumption
	Any natural or human-made object or substance gathered, processed or manufactured for ingestion. <i>Inclusions: food, drink and drugs</i>
e115	Products and technology for personal use in daily living
	Equipment, products and technologies used by people in daily activities, including those adapted or specially designed, located in, on or near the person using them. <i>Inclusions: general and assistive products and technology for personal use</i>
e120	Products and technology for personal indoor and outdoor mobility and transportation
	Equipment, products and technologies used by people in activities of moving inside and outside buildings, including those adapted or specially designed, located in, on or near the person using them. <i>Inclusions: general and assistive products and technology for personal indoor and outdoor mobility and transportation</i>
e125	Products and technology for communication
	Equipment, products and technologies used by people in activities of sending and receiving information, including those adapted or specially designed, located in, on or near the person using them. <i>Inclusions: general and assistive products and technology for communication</i>
e355	Health professionals
	All service providers working within the context of the health system, such as doctors, nurses, physiotherapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists, audiologists, orthotist-prosthetists, medical social workers. <i>Exclusion: other professionals (e360)</i>
e415	Individual attitudes of extended family members
	General or specific opinions and beliefs of extended family members about the person or about other matters (e.g. social, political and economic issues) that influence individual behaviour and actions.
e550	Legal services, systems and policies
	Services, systems and policies concerning the legislation and other law of a country.