



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

# **AP-DRG Assignments**

Effective for Dates of Service on or After  
**July 1, 2007**

## FIELD KEY, AP-DRG ASSIGNMENT LIST

Column Title	Indicator	Indicator Description
<b>AP-DRG Number</b>	Number	All Patient Diagnosis Related Group Number AP-DRG version 21.0 by 3M Health Information Systems. Portions are copyright protected by 3M.
<b>AP-DRG Description</b>		Abbreviated AP-DRG description. Portions are copyright protected by 3M.
<b>DRG Type</b>	DRG type or coverage	Indicates DRG Type or coverage status.
	CHEM DEP	Chemical dependency
	MED	Medical
	Not Covered	Not Covered
	PSYCH	Psychiatric
	REHAB	Rehabilitation
	SURG	Surgical
<b>Relative Weight</b>	Number or LV	Indicates the AP-DRG relative weight or LV "Low Volume."
	Number	AP-DRG relative weight. Payment calculated by multiplying the AP-DRG relative weight by the AP-DRG base rate.
	LV	Low volume AP-DRG. Payment based on Per Diem rate.
<b>High Outlier Threshold</b>	Dollar Amount	Costs necessary to qualify as a High Outlier AP-DRG-paid case.
<b>Low Outlier Threshold</b>	Dollar Amount	Costs necessary to qualify as a Low Outlier AP-DRG-paid case
<b>Avg. Length of Stay</b>	Days	Expected length of stay for conditions falling within the AP-DRG.
<b>Paid by AP-DRG</b>	YES NO NC	YES = Paid by AP-DRG NO = Paid by Per Diem NC = Not Covered