

2008 ICD-10-PCS Codes and Descriptions – Table Format

The ICD-10-PCS Table format descriptions consist of a zipped text file “pcs2008_tdsc.zip”.

	Record count:
Medical and Surgical Section (Section 0)	77,318
Medical and Surgical Related Sections (Sections 1 – 9)	3,177
Ancillary Sections (Sections B-D,F-H)	6,421
TOTAL	86,916

The following describes the record layout for the ICD-10-PCS (PCS) descriptions in table format.

Every PCS code is listed in table format. Each entry contains the following:

- 1) The 7-character code listed in the left margin for reference, delimited by a pipe (“|”).
- 2) The value (letter or number) of each character of the 7-character PCS code, followed by a space, followed by the corresponding description for that value as it appears in the Tables. Each character’s value and description is delimited by a pipe (“|”).

Example:

0F140D3 | 0 Medical and Surgical | F Hepatobiliary System and Pancreas |
1 Bypass | 4 Gallbladder | 0 Open | D Intraluminal Device | 3 Duodenum |

Where:

Character 1	0 Medical and Surgical
Character 2	F Hepatobiliary System and Pancreas
Character 3	1 Bypass
Character 4	4 Gallbladder
Character 5	0 Open
Character 6	D Intraluminal Device
Character 7	3 Duodenum

The codes are listed in the same order as they appear in the Tables.