

HTG25 - Vagus nerve stimulation for refractory epilepsy in children

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Procedure and device:

SNOMED CT preferred term (concept ID)

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OPCS-4 code(s):

A33.1 Implantation of cranial nerve neurostimulator

Z04.4 Vagus nerve (x)

Z94.3 Left sided operation

Diagnosis or health condition:

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ICD-10 code(s):

G40.- Epilepsy

Clinical coding recommendations for NICE guidance

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NICE and NHS Digital Information Representation Services work collaboratively to ensure the most appropriate SNOMED CT, OPCS-4 and ICD codes are provided.

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