Appendix A

ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes used to identify major perioperative complications

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| Event | ICD-9 CM diagnosis code |
| Myocardial infarction | 410 |
| Bradycardia, postoperative  Respiratory complications | 997.1  786.09, 518.5, 997.3, 799.01, 799.02 |
| Pulmonary embolism | 415.11, 415.12, 415.19 |
| Deep venous thrombosis | 415.1, 451.1, 451.2, 451.8, 451.9, 453.2, 453.8, 453.9, 453 |
| Cerebrovascular accident | 433.01, 433.11, 433.21, 433.31, 433.81, 433.91, 434.01, 434.11 |
| Gastrointestinal complications | 564.09, E937.9, 386.2, 527.7, 997.4, 560.1, 787.01, 564.3 |
| Post-operative infection | 998.5 |