

APPENDIX 2 (as supplied by the authors): Procedural codes

<p>Acute dialysis (primary outcome)</p>	<p><i>Acute dialysis was defined by evidence of at least 1 code 1-14 days following surgery.</i></p>	<p>Hemodialysis: R849, G323, G325, G866, 1PZ21HQBR, 51.95</p> <p>Peritoneal dialysis: G330, G331, 66.98, 1PZ21HPD4</p> <p>Continuous renal replacement therapy: G082, G083, G085, G090, G091, G092, G093, G095, G294, G295, 1PZ21HQBS</p>
<p>Chronic dialysis dependence</p>	<p><i>Chronic dialysis was defined by evidence of one OHIP dialysis code on at least two separate days between 90 and 120 days after the surgery.</i></p>	<p>Hemodialysis: G325, G326, G860, G862, G863, G865, G866</p> <p>Peritoneal dialysis: G861, G864</p> <p>Continuous renal replacement therapy: G082, G083, G085, G090, G091, G092, G094, G096</p> <p>Miscellaneous: G333, H540, H740</p>
<p>Abdominal Surgery</p>	<p>A total of 703 CCI and CCP procedural codes were specified. Examples include gastrectomy and cholecystectomy.</p>	
<p>Cardiac Surgery</p>	<p>A total of 737 CCI and CCP procedural codes were specified. Examples include coronary artery bypass grafting, valvular replacement, and heart transplant.</p>	
<p>Retroperitoneal Surgery</p>	<p>A total of 287 CCI and CCP procedural codes were specified. Examples include surgeries involving bladder, ureter, and kidney.</p>	
<p>Thoracic Surgery</p>	<p>A total of 465 CCI and CCP procedural codes were specified. Examples include pneumonectomy, wedge resection, and mediastinoscopy.</p>	

Vascular Surgery	A total of 853 CCI and CCP procedural codes were specified. Examples include aortic aneurysm repair, bypass grafting of peripheral arteries, and venous ligation.
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