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DIAGNOSIS CODING TIP OF THE WEEK:

There are some new codes in the category 788, symptoms involving the urinary system. One code is for urinary hesitancy (788.64) and the other for straining on urination (788.65). Also in this section are the codes for urinary incontinence (788.3*) with a 5th digit of (0) unspecified, (1) urge and (2) stress, male. If the patient has female stress incontinence the code is (625.6). There are codes for urinary frequency (788.41) and many other codes for a multitude of urinary symptoms.