

BRIEF ICF CORE SET for LOW BACK PAIN

BODY FUNCTIONS = physiological functions of body systems (including psychological functions)	
b130	Energy and drive functions
	<p>General mental functions of physiological and psychological mechanisms that cause the individual to move towards satisfying specific needs and general goals in a persistent manner.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of energy level, motivation, appetite, craving (including craving for substances that can be abused) and impulse control</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); temperament and personality functions (b126); sleep functions (b134); psychomotor functions (b147); emotional functions (b152)</i></p>
b134	Sleep functions
	<p>General mental functions of periodic, reversible and selective physical and mental disengagement from one's immediate environment accompanied by characteristic physiological changes.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of amount of sleeping, and onset, maintenance and quality of sleep; functions involving the sleep cycle, such as in insomnia, hypersomnia and narcolepsy</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); energy and drive functions (b130); attention functions (b140); psychomotor functions (b147)</i></p>
b152	Emotional functions
	<p>Specific mental functions related to the feeling and affective components of the processes of the mind.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of appropriateness of emotion, regulation and range of emotion; affect; sadness, happiness, love, fear, anger, hate, tension, anxiety, joy, sorrow; lability of emotion; flattening of affect</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: temperament and personality functions (b126); energy and drive functions (b130)</i></p>
b280	Sensation of pain
	<p>Sensation of unpleasant feeling indicating potential or actual damage to some body structure.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: sensations of generalized or localized pain in one or more body part, pain in a dermatome, stabbing pain, burning pain, dull pain, aching pain; impairments such as myalgia, analgesia and hyperalgesia</i></p>
b455	Exercise tolerance functions
	<p>Functions related to respiratory and cardiovascular capacity as required for enduring physical exertion.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of physical endurance, aerobic capacity, stamina and fatigability</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: functions of the cardiovascular system (b410-b429); haematological system functions (b430); respiration functions (b440); respiratory muscle functions (b445); additional respiratory functions (b450)</i></p>
b710	Mobility of joint functions
	<p>Functions of the range and ease of movement of a joint.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of mobility of single or several joints, vertebral, shoulder, elbow, wrist, hip, knee, ankle, small joints of hands and feet; mobility of joints generalized; impairments such as in hypermobility of joints, frozen joints, frozen shoulder, arthritis</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: stability of joint functions (b715); control of voluntary movement functions (b760)</i></p>
b715	Stability of joint functions
	<p>Functions of the maintenance of structural integrity of the joints.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of the stability of a single joint, several joints, and joints generalized; impairments such as in unstable shoulder joint, dislocation of a joint, dislocation of shoulder and hip</i></p> <p><i>Exclusion: mobility of joint functions (b710)</i></p>
b730	Muscle power functions
	<p>Functions related to the force generated by the contraction of a muscle or muscle groups.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions associated with the power of specific muscles and muscle groups, muscles of one limb, one side of the body, the lower half of the body, all limbs, the trunk and the body as a whole; impairments such as weakness of small muscles in feet and hands, muscle paresis, muscle paralysis, monoplegia, hemiplegia, paraplegia, quadriplegia and akinetic mutism</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: functions of structures adjoining the eye (b215); muscle tone functions (b735); muscle endurance functions (b740)</i></p>
b735	Muscle tone functions
	<p>Functions related to the tension present in the resting muscles and the resistance offered when trying to move the muscles passively.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions associated with the tension of isolated muscles and muscle groups, muscles of one limb, one side of the body and the lower half of the body, muscles of all limbs, muscles of the trunk, and all muscles of the body; impairments such as hypotonia, hypertonia and muscle spasticity</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: muscle power functions (b730); muscle endurance functions (b740)</i></p>
b740	Muscle endurance functions
	<p>Functions related to sustaining muscle contraction for the required period of time.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions associated with sustaining muscle contraction for isolated muscles and muscle groups, and all muscles of the body; impairments such as in myasthenia gravis</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: exercise tolerance functions (b455); muscle power functions (b730); muscle tone functions (b735)</i></p>

BODY STUCTURES

= anatomical parts of the body such as organs, limbs and their components

s120	Spinal cord and related structures
s760	Structure of trunk
s770	Additional musculoskeletal structures related to movement

ACTIVITIES AND PARTICIPATION	
= execution of a task or action by an individual and involvement in a life situation	
d240	Handling stress and other psychological demands
	Carrying out simple or complex and coordinated actions to manage and control the psychological demands required to carry out tasks demanding significant responsibilities and involving stress, distraction or crises, such as driving a vehicle during heavy traffic or taking care of many children. <i>Inclusions: handling responsibilities; handling stress and crisis</i>
d410	Changing basic body position
	Getting into and out of a body position and moving from one location to another, such as getting up out of a chair to lie down on a bed, and getting into and out of positions of kneeling or squatting. <i>Inclusions: changing body position from lying down, from squatting or kneeling, from sitting or standing, bending and shifting the body's centre of gravity</i> <i>Exclusion: transferring oneself (d420)</i>
d415	Maintaining a body position
	Staying in the same body position as required, such as remaining seated or remaining standing for work or school. <i>Inclusions: maintaining a lying, squatting, kneeling, sitting and standing position</i>
d430	Lifting and carrying objects
	Raising up an object or taking something from one place to another, such as when lifting a cup or carrying a child from one room to another. <i>Inclusions: lifting, carrying in the hands or arms, or on shoulders, hip, back or head; putting down</i>
d450	Walking
	Moving along a surface on foot, step by step, so that one foot is always on the ground, such as when strolling, sauntering, walking forwards, backwards or sideways. <i>Inclusions: walking short or long distances; walking on different surfaces; walking around obstacles</i> <i>Exclusions: transferring oneself (d420); moving around (d455)</i>
d530	Toileting
	Planning and carrying out the elimination of human waste (menstruation, urination and defecation), and cleaning oneself afterwards. <i>Inclusions: regulating urination, defecation and menstrual care</i> <i>Exclusions: washing oneself (d510); caring for body parts (d520)</i>
d540	Dressing
	Carrying out the coordinated actions and tasks of putting on and taking off clothes and footwear in sequence and in keeping with climatic and social conditions, such as by putting on, adjusting and removing shirts, skirts, blouses, pants, undergarments, saris, kimono, tights, hats, gloves, coats, shoes, boots, sandals and slippers. <i>Inclusions: putting on or taking off clothes and footwear and choosing appropriate clothing</i>
d640	Doing housework
	Managing a household by cleaning the house, washing clothes, using household appliances, storing food and disposing of garbage, such as by sweeping, mopping, washing counters, walls and other surfaces; collecting and disposing of household garbage; tidying rooms, closets and drawers; collecting, washing, drying, folding and ironing clothes; cleaning footwear; using brooms, brushes and vacuum cleaners; using washing machines, driers and irons. <i>Inclusions: washing and drying clothes and garments; cleaning cooking area and utensils; cleaning living area; using household appliances, storing daily necessities and disposing of garbage</i> <i>Exclusions: acquiring a place to live (d610); acquisition of goods and services (d620); preparing meals (d630); caring for household objects (d650); caring for others (d660)</i>
d760	Family relationships
	Creating and maintaining kinship relationships, such as with members of the nuclear family, extended family, foster and adopted family and step-relationships, more distant relationships such as second cousins, or legal guardians. <i>Inclusions: parent-child and child-parent relationships, sibling and extended family relationships</i>
d845	Acquiring, keeping and terminating a job
	Seeking, finding and choosing employment, being hired and accepting employment, maintaining and advancing through a job, trade, occupation or profession, and leaving a job in an appropriate manner. <i>Inclusions: seeking employment; preparing a resume or curriculum vitae; contacting employers and preparing interviews; maintaining a job; monitoring one's own work performance; giving notice; and terminating a job</i>
d850	Remunerative employment
	Engaging in all aspects of work, as an occupation, trade, profession or other form of employment, for payment, as an employee, full or part time, or self-employed, such as seeking employment and getting a job, doing the required tasks of the job, attending work on time as required, supervising other workers or being supervised, and performing required tasks alone or in groups. <i>Inclusions: self-employment, part-time and full-time employment</i>
d859	Work and employment, other specified and unspecified

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS	
= make up the physical, social and attitudinal environment in which people live and conduct their lives	
e110	Products or substances for personal consumption
	Any natural or human-made object or substance gathered, processed or manufactured for ingestion. <i>Inclusions: food, drink and drugs</i>
e135	Products and technology for employment
	Equipment, products and technology used for employment to facilitate work activities. <i>Inclusion: general and assistive products and technology for employment</i>
e155	Design, construction and building products and technology of buildings for private use
	Products and technology that constitute an individual's indoor and outdoor human-made environment that is planned, designed and constructed for private use, including those adapted or specially designed. <i>Inclusions: design, construction and building products and technology of entrances and exits, facilities and routing</i>
e310	Immediate family
	Individuals related by birth, marriage or other relationship recognized by the culture as immediate family, such as spouses, partners, parents, siblings, children, foster parents, adoptive parents and grandparents. <i>Exclusions: extended family (e315); personal care providers and personal assistants (e340)</i>
e355	Health professionals
	All service providers working within the context of the health system, such as doctors, nurses, physiotherapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists, audiologists, orthotist-prosthetists, medical social workers. <i>Exclusion: other professionals (e360)</i>
e410	Individual attitudes of immediate family members
	General or specific opinions and beliefs of immediate family members about the person or about other matters (e.g. social, political and economic issues) that influence individual behaviour and actions.
e450	Individual attitudes of health professionals
	General or specific opinions and beliefs of health professionals about the person or about other matters (e.g. social, political and economic issues) that influence individual behaviour and actions.
e550	Legal services, systems and policies
	Services, systems and policies concerning the legislation and other law of a country.
e570	Social security services, systems and policies
	Services, systems and policies aimed at providing income support to people who because of age, poverty, unemployment, health condition or disability require public assistance that is funded either by general tax revenues or contributory schemes. <i>Exclusion: economic services, systems and policies (e565)</i>
e580	Health services, systems and policies
	Services, systems and policies for preventing and treating health problems, providing medical rehabilitation and promoting a healthy lifestyle. <i>Exclusion: general social support services, systems and policies (e575)</i>