

COMPREHENSIVE ICF CORE SET for CHRONIC WIDESPREAD PAIN

BODY FUNCTIONS	
= physiological functions of body systems (including psychological functions)	
b122	Global psychosocial functions
	General mental functions, as they develop over the life span, required to understand and constructively integrate the mental functions that lead to the formation of the interpersonal skills needed to establish reciprocal social interactions, in terms of both meaning and purpose. <i>Inclusions: such as in autism</i>
b126	Temperament and personality functions
	General mental functions of constitutional disposition of the individual to react in a particular way to situations, including the set of mental characteristics that makes the individual distinct from others. <i>Inclusions: functions of extraversion, introversion, agreeableness, conscientiousness, psychic and emotional stability, and openness to experience; optimism; novelty seeking; confidence; trustworthiness</i> <i>Exclusions: intellectual functions (b117); energy and drive functions (b130); psychomotor functions (b147); emotional functions (b152)</i>
b130	Energy and drive functions
	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. <i>Inclusions: functions of energy level, motivation, appetite, craving (including craving for substances that can be abused) and impulse control</i> <i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); temperament and personality functions (b126); sleep functions (b134); psychomotor functions (b147); emotional functions (b152)</i>
b134	Sleep functions
	General mental functions of periodic, reversible and selective physical and mental disengagement from one's immediate environment accompanied by characteristic physiological changes. <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> <i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); energy and drive functions (b130); attention functions (b140); psychomotor functions (b147)</i>
b140	Attention functions
	Specific mental functions of focusing on an external stimulus or internal experience for the required period of time. <i>Inclusions: functions of sustaining attention, shifting attention, dividing attention, sharing attention; concentration; distractibility</i> <i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); energy and drive functions (b130); sleep functions (b134); memory functions (b144); psychomotor functions (b147); perceptual functions (b156)</i>
b147	Psychomotor functions
	Specific mental functions of control over both motor and psychological events at the body level. <i>Inclusions: functions of psychomotor control, such as psychomotor retardation, excitement and agitation, posturing, catatonia, negativism, ambitendency, echopraxia and echolalia; quality of psychomotor function</i> <i>Exclusions: consciousness functions (b110); orientation functions (b114); intellectual functions (b117); energy and drive functions (b130); attention functions (b140); mental functions of language (b167); mental functions of sequencing complex movements (b176)</i>
b152	Emotional functions
	Specific mental functions related to the feeling and affective components of the processes of the mind. <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> <i>Exclusions: temperament and personality functions (b126); energy and drive functions (b130)</i>
b1602	Content of thought
	Mental functions consisting of the ideas that are present in the thinking process and what is being conceptualized. <i>Inclusions: impairments of delusions, overvalued ideas and somatization</i>
b164	Higher-level cognitive functions
	Specific mental functions especially dependent on the frontal lobes of the brain, including complex goal-directed behaviours such as decision-making, abstract thinking, planning and carrying out plans, mental flexibility, and deciding which behaviours are appropriate under what circumstances; often called executive functions. <i>Inclusions: functions of abstraction and organization of ideas; time management, insight and judgement; concept formation, categorization and cognitive flexibility</i> <i>Exclusions: memory functions (b144); thought functions (b160); mental functions of language (b167); calculation functions (b172)</i>

b180	Experience of self and time functions
	Specific mental functions related to the awareness of one's identity, one's body, one's position in the reality of one's environment and of time. <i>Inclusions: functions of experience of self, body image and time</i>
b260	Proprioceptive function
	Sensory functions of sensing the relative position of body parts. <i>Inclusions: functions of statesthesia and kinaesthesia</i> <i>Exclusions: vestibular functions (b235); sensations related to muscles and movement functions (b780)</i>
b265	Touch functions
	Sensory functions of sensing surfaces and their texture or quality. <i>Inclusions: functions of touching, feeling of touch; impairments such as numbness, anaesthesia, tingling, paraesthesia and hyperaesthesia</i> <i>Exclusions: sensory functions related to temperature and other stimuli (b270)</i>
b270	Sensory functions related to temperature and other stimuli
	Sensory functions of sensing temperature, vibration, pressure and noxious stimulus. <i>Inclusions: functions of being sensitive to temperature, vibration, shaking or oscillation, superficial pressure, deep pressure, burning sensation or a noxious stimulus</i> <i>Exclusions: touch functions (b265); sensation of pain (b280)</i>
b280	Sensation of pain
	Sensation of unpleasant feeling indicating potential or actual damage to some body structure. <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>
b430	Haematological system functions
	Functions of blood production, oxygen and metabolite carriage, and clotting. <i>Inclusions: functions of the production of blood and bone marrow; oxygen-carrying functions of blood; blood-related functions of spleen; metabolite-carrying functions of blood; clotting; impairments such as in anaemia, haemophilia and other clotting dysfunctions</i> <i>Exclusions: functions of the cardiovascular system (b410-b429); immunological system functions (b435); exercise tolerance functions (b455)</i>
b455	Exercise tolerance functions
	Functions related to respiratory and cardiovascular capacity as required for enduring physical exertion. <i>Inclusions: functions of physical endurance, aerobic capacity, stamina and fatigability</i> <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>
b640	Sexual functions
	Mental and physical functions related to the sexual act, including the arousal, preparatory, orgasmic and resolution stages. <i>Inclusions: functions of the sexual arousal, preparatory, orgasmic and resolution phase: functions related to sexual interest, performance, penile erection, clitoral erection, vaginal lubrication, ejaculation, orgasm; impairments such as in impotence, frigidity, vaginismus, premature ejaculation, priapism and delayed ejaculation</i> <i>Exclusions: procreation functions (b660); sensations associated with genital and reproductive functions (b670)</i>
b710	Mobility of joint functions
	Functions of the range and ease of movement of a joint. <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> <i>Exclusions: stability of joint functions (b715); control of voluntary movement functions (b760)</i>
b730	Muscle power functions
	Functions related to the force generated by the contraction of a muscle or muscle groups. <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> <i>Exclusions: functions of structures adjoining the eye (b215); muscle tone functions (b735); muscle endurance functions (b740)</i>
b735	Muscle tone functions
	Functions related to the tension present in the resting muscles and the resistance offered when trying to move the muscles passively. <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> <i>Exclusions: muscle power functions (b730); muscle endurance functions (b740)</i>
b740	Muscle endurance functions
	Functions related to sustaining muscle contraction for the required period of time. <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> <i>Exclusions: exercise tolerance functions (b455); muscle power functions (b730); muscle tone functions (b735)</i>

b760	Control of voluntary movement functions
	<p>Functions associated with control over and coordination of voluntary movements.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: functions of control of simple voluntary movements and of complex voluntary movements, coordination of voluntary movements, supportive functions of arm or leg, right left motor coordination, eye hand coordination, eye foot coordination; impairments such as control and coordination problems, e.g. dysdiadochokinesia</i></p> <p><i>Exclusions: muscle power functions (b730); involuntary movement functions (b765); gait pattern functions (b770)</i></p>
b780	Sensations related to muscles and movement functions
	<p>Sensations associated with the muscles or muscle groups of the body and their movement.</p> <p><i>Inclusions: sensations of muscle stiffness and tightness of muscles, muscle spasm or constriction, and heaviness of muscles</i></p> <p><i>Exclusion: sensation of pain (b280)</i></p>

BODY STRUCTURES

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

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

d160	Focusing attention
	Intentionally focusing on specific stimuli, such as by filtering out distracting noises.
d175	Solving problems
	Finding solutions to questions or situations by identifying and analysing issues, developing options and solutions, evaluating potential effects of solutions, and executing a chosen solution, such as in resolving a dispute between two people. <i>Inclusions: solving simple and complex problems</i> <i>Exclusions: thinking (d163); making decisions (d177)</i>
d220	Undertaking multiple tasks
	Carrying out simple or complex and coordinated actions as components of multiple, integrated and complex tasks in sequence or simultaneously. <i>Inclusions: undertaking multiple tasks; completing multiple tasks; undertaking multiple tasks independently and in a group</i> <i>Exclusions: acquiring skills (d155); solving problems (d175); making decisions (d177); undertaking a single task (d210)</i>
d230	Carrying out daily routine
	Carrying out simple or complex and coordinated actions in order to plan, manage and complete the requirements of day-to-day procedures or duties, such as budgeting time and making plans for separate activities throughout the day. <i>Inclusions: managing and completing the daily routine; managing one's own activity level</i> <i>Exclusion: undertaking multiple tasks (d220)</i>
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>
d455	Moving around
	Moving the whole body from one place to another by means other than walking, such as climbing over a rock or running down a street, skipping, scampering, jumping, somersaulting or running around obstacles. <i>Inclusions: crawling, climbing, running, jogging, jumping, and swimming</i> <i>Exclusions: transferring oneself (d420); walking (d450)</i>
d470	Using transportation
	Using transportation to move around as a passenger, such as being driven in a car or on a bus, rickshaw, jitney, animal-powered vehicle, or private or public taxi, bus, train, tram, subway, boat or aircraft. <i>Inclusions: using human-powered transportation; using private motorized or public transportation</i> <i>Exclusions: moving around using equipment (d465); driving (d475)</i>
d475	Driving
	Being in control of and moving a vehicle or the animal that draws it, travelling under one's own direction or having at one's disposal any form of transportation, such as a car, bicycle, boat or animal-powered vehicle. <i>Inclusions: driving human-powered transportation, motorized vehicles, animal-powered vehicles</i> <i>Exclusions: moving around using equipment (d465); using transportation (d470)</i>
d510	Washing oneself
	Washing and drying one's whole body, or body parts, using water and appropriate cleaning and drying materials or methods, such as bathing, showering, washing hands and feet, face and hair, and drying with a towel. <i>Inclusions: washing body parts, the whole body; and drying oneself</i> <i>Exclusions: caring for body parts (d520); toileting (d530)</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>
d570	Looking after one's health
	Ensuring physical comfort, health and physical and mental well-being, such as by maintaining a balanced diet, and an appropriate level of physical activity, keeping warm or cool, avoiding harms to health, following safe sex practices, including using condoms, getting immunizations and regular physical examinations. <i>Inclusions: ensuring one's physical comfort; managing diet and fitness; maintaining one's health</i>
d620	Acquisition of goods and services
	Selecting, procuring and transporting all goods and services required for daily living, such as selecting, procuring, transporting and storing food, drink, clothing, cleaning materials, fuel, household items, utensils, cooking ware, domestic appliances and tools; procuring utilities and other household services. <i>Inclusions: shopping and gathering daily necessities</i> <i>Exclusion: acquiring a place to live (d610)</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>
d650	Caring for household objects
	Maintaining and repairing household and other personal objects, including house and contents, clothes, vehicles and assistive devices, and caring for plants and animals, such as painting or wallpapering rooms, fixing furniture, repairing plumbing, ensuring the proper working order of vehicles, watering plants, grooming and feeding pets and domestic animals. <i>Inclusions: making and repairing clothes; maintaining dwelling, furnishings and domestic appliances; maintaining vehicles; maintaining assistive devices; taking care of plants (indoor and outdoor) and animals</i> <i>Exclusions: acquiring a place to live (d610); acquisition of goods and services (d620); doing housework (d640); caring for others (d660); remunerative employment (d850)</i>
d660	Assisting others
	Assisting household members and others with their learning, communicating, self-care, movement, within the house or outside; being concerned about the well-being of household members and others. <i>Inclusions: assisting others with self-care, movement, communication, interpersonal relations, nutrition and health maintenance</i> <i>Exclusion: remunerative employment (d850)</i>
d720	Complex interpersonal interactions
	Maintaining and managing interactions with other people, in a contextually and socially appropriate manner, such as by regulating emotions and impulses, controlling verbal and physical aggression, acting independently in social interactions, and acting in accordance with social rules and conventions. <i>Inclusions: forming and terminating relationships; regulating behaviours within interactions; interacting according to social rules; and maintaining social space</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>
d770	Intimate relationships
	Creating and maintaining close or romantic relationships between individuals, such as husband and wife, lovers or sexual partners. <i>Inclusions: romantic, spousal and sexual 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>
d855	Non-remunerative employment
	Engaging in all aspects of work in which pay is not provided, full-time or part-time, including organized work activities, 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, such as volunteer work, charity work, working for a community or religious group without remuneration, working around the home without remuneration. <i>Exclusion: Chapter 6 Domestic Life</i>
d910	Community life
	Engaging in all aspects of community social life, such as engaging in charitable organizations, service clubs or professional social organizations. <i>Inclusions: informal and formal associations; ceremonies Exclusions: non-remunerative employment (d855); recreation and leisure (d920); religion and spirituality (d930); political life and citizenship (d950)</i>
d920	Recreation and leisure
	Engaging in any form of play, recreational or leisure activity, such as informal or organized play and sports, programmes of physical fitness, relaxation, amusement or diversion, going to art galleries, museums, cinemas or theatres; engaging in crafts or hobbies, reading for enjoyment, playing musical instruments; sightseeing, tourism and travelling for pleasure. <i>Inclusions: play, sports, arts and culture, crafts, hobbies and socializing</i> <i>Exclusions: riding animals for transportation (d480); remunerative and non-remunerative work (d850 and d855); religion and spirituality (d930); political life and citizenship (d950)</i>

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS	
= make up the physical, social and attitudinal environment in which people live and conduct their lives	
e1101	Drugs Any natural or human-made object or substance gathered, processed or manufactured for medicinal purposes, such as allopathic and naturopathic medication.
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>
e325	Acquaintances, peers, colleagues, neighbours and community members Individuals who are familiar to each other as acquaintances, peers, colleagues, neighbours, and community members, in situations of work, school, recreation, or other aspects of life, and who share demographic features such as age, gender, religious creed or ethnicity or pursue common interests. <i>Exclusions: associations and organizational services (e5550)</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.
e420	Individual attitude of friends General or specific opinions and beliefs of friends about the person or about other matters (e.g. social, political and economic issues) that influence individual behaviour and actions.
e425	Individual attitudes of acquaintances, peers, colleagues, neighbours and community members General or specific opinions and beliefs of acquaintances, peers, colleagues, neighbours and community members about the person or about other matters (e.g. social, political and economic issues) that influence individual behaviour and actions.
e430	Individual attitudes of people in position of authority General or specific opinions and beliefs of people in positions of authority 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.
e455	Individual attitudes of other professionals General or specific opinions and beliefs of health-related professionals about the person or about other matters (e.g. social, political and economic issues) that influence individual behaviour and actions.
e460	Societal attitudes General or specific opinions and beliefs generally held by people of a culture, society, subcultural or other social group about other individuals or about other social, political and economic issues that influence group or individual behaviour and actions.
e465	Social norms, practices and ideologies Customs, practices, rules and abstract systems of values and normative beliefs (e.g. ideologies, normative world views and moral philosophies) that arise within social contexts and that affect or create societal and individual practices and behaviours, such as social norms of moral and religious behaviour or etiquette; religious doctrine and resulting norms and practices; norms governing rituals or social gatherings.
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>
e575	General social support services, systems and policies Services, systems and policies aimed at providing support to those requiring assistance in areas such as shopping, housework, transport, self-care and care of others in order to function more fully in society. <i>Exclusions: personal care providers and personal assistants (e340); social security services, systems and policies (e570); health services, systems and policies (e580)</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>
e590	Labour and employment services, systems and policies Services, systems and policies related to finding suitable work for persons who are unemployed or looking for different work, or to support individuals already employed who are seeking promotion. <i>Exclusion: economic services, systems and policies (e565)</i>

