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ICD-10 Code for Other animal type phobia

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▼ **Official Long Descriptor**

Other animal type phobia

▼ **Clinical Condition**

Phobic anxiety disorders are specific phobias, or strong irrational fear reaction. People who experience these excessive and unreasonable fears in the presence of or in anticipation of a specific object, place, or situation have a specific phobia. Some phobias develop in childhood, most seem to arise unexpectedly during adolescence or early adulthood. Animal type phobias is a fear of animals such as fear of dogs, snakes, insects, or mice. Animal phobias are the most common specific phobias.

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