

SPLEEN INJURY GRADING SCALE

Grade	Description	ICD-9	AIS-90
I	Capsular tear, < 1 cm parenchymal depth	865.02 865.12	2
II	Capsular tear, 1-3 cm depth which does not involve a trebecular vessel	865.02 865.12	2
III	Laceration > 3 cm parenchymal depth involving trebecular vessels Ruptured subcapsular or parenchymal hematoma; intraparenchymal hematoma > 5 cm or expanding	865.03 865.13	3
IV	Laceration involving segmental or hilar vessels producing major devascularization (> 25% of spleen)		4
V	Shattered spleen or hilar vascular injury which devascularizes spleen	865.04 865.14	5

Moore EE, Cogbill TH, Malangoni MA, et al. Organ injury scaling. *Surg Clin N A* 1995; 75:293-303.

