



# DEVELOPING DATA

Data from the 2014 Urgent Care Chart Survey of 1,778,075 blinded visits by patients to more than 800 different urgent care clinics, conducted by the *Journal of Urgent Care Medicine*, reveal that for 2014, the top three diagnosis codes at U.S. urgent care centers involved, in descending order:

- Wounds, 15.9%
- Sinusitis, 11.4%
- Respiratory conditions, other, 11.2%

The bottom three diagnosis codes involved, in descending order:

- Influenza, 1.6%
- Tonsillitis, 1.5%
- Gynecologic issues, 1.5%

The survey's methodology and data abstraction forms were initially designed in 2008 by researcher Robin M. Weinick, PhD, then an assistant professor at Harvard Medical School and a senior scientist at the Institute for Health Policy at Massachusetts General Hospital, and now associate director of RAND Health. ■

## DIAGNOSIS CODES DETAIL

