The Gravity Project is excited to announce that the education, food insecurity and housing ICD-10-CM codes from our multi-domain set were approved for implementation this October 1st, 2021. They are detailed, in brief form, below.

New code **Z55.5** Less than a high school diploma

New code **Z58** Problems related to physical environment
New code **Z58.6** Inadequate drinking-water supply

New subcategory **Z59.0** Homelessness
New code **Z59.00** Homelessness unspecified
New code **Z59.01** Sheltered homelessness
New code **Z59.02** Unsheltered homelessness

New code **Z59.41** Food insecurity

New subcategory **Z59.81** Housing instability, housed
New code **Z59.811** Housing instability, housed, with risk of homelessness
New code **Z59.812** Housing instability, housed, homelessness in past 12 months
New code **Z59.819** Housing instability, housed unspecified

The full set of released terms can be found at the CDC here under section heading “2022 release of ICD-10-CM” - [https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10cm.htm](https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10cm.htm)

A set of codes have been assessed by the committee as needing further refinement. They are scheduled for review at the September 2021 ICD-10-CM Coordination and Maintenance Committee and if approved would be released in October 2022. These include concepts for veteran status, transportation insecurity, financial insecurity and material hardship. We look forward to working with our community and subject matter experts on next steps.

In summation, a collective thank you all who have assisted this effort. The last year has demonstrated significant increases in both food and housing insecurity related to the pandemic and its economic sequela. The arrival of these critical concepts into health terminology could not be timelier.