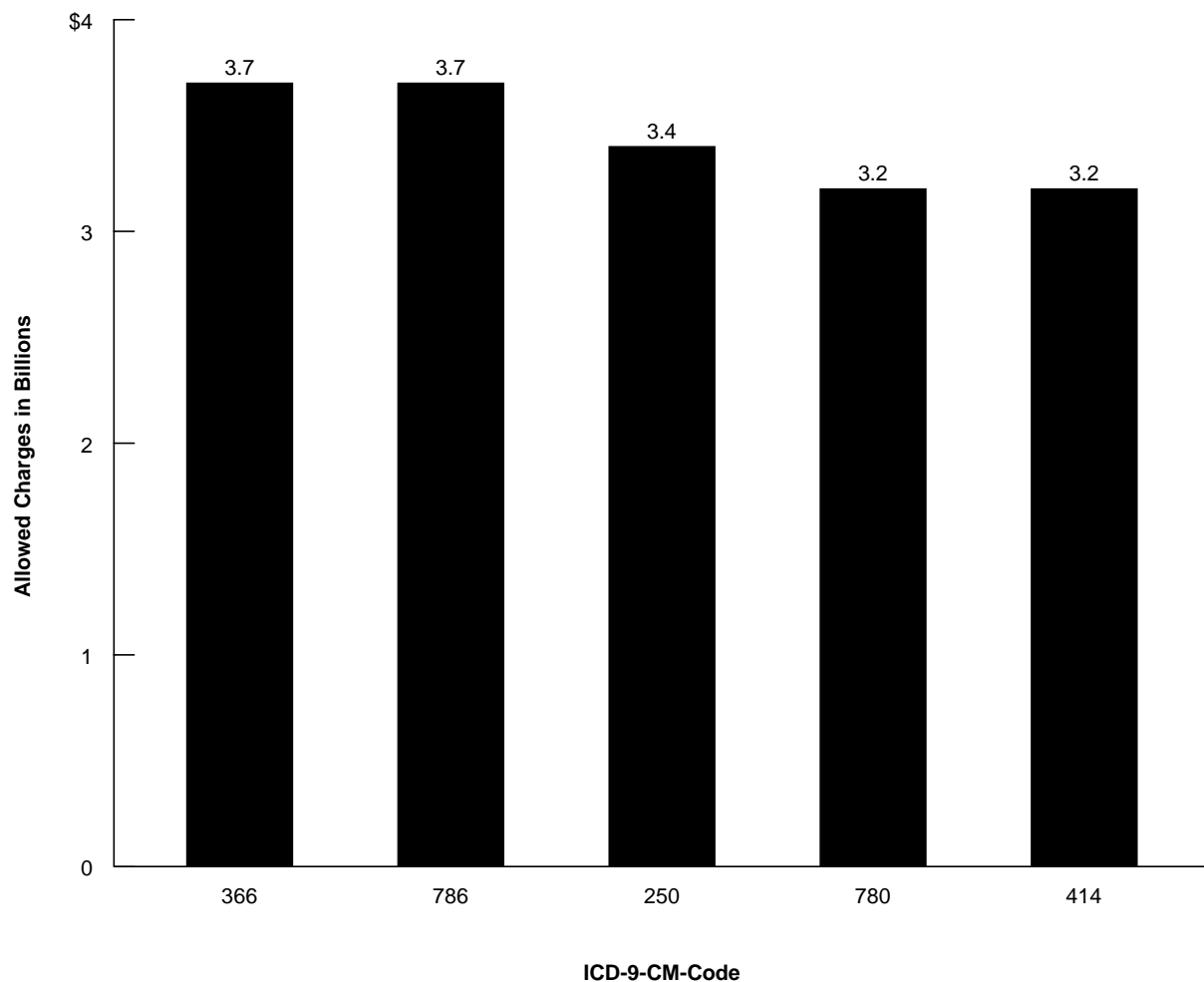


Figure 9.10
Leading Medicare Physician and Supplier Principal
Diagnoses, Based on Allowed Charges:
Calendar Year 2005



NOTE: Diagnoses have the following codes from the *International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification*: cataract, 366; symptoms involving respiratory system and other chest symptoms, 786; diabetes mellitus, 250; general symptoms, 780; forms of chronic ischemic heart disease, 414.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of Information Services: Data from the Medicare Data Extract System; data development by the Office of Research, Development, and Information.