



Network Notification

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To: Kentucky Providers

From: Humana – CareSource®

Subject: ICD-10 Transition Resources Reminder

Humana – CareSource wants to remind physicians that the International Classification of Diseases code set, 10th revision (ICD-10), implementation date is Oct. 1, 2015. Humana – CareSource encourages all health partners to continue their work toward ICD-10 compliance. Taking initiative now to improve clinical documentation will help you ensure a smoother transition to ICD-10 for your coding staff and patients you serve.

To aid our physicians, here is a list of several online resources available to help you prepare for the transition:

- Road to 10 The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' (CMS) website dedicated to ICD-10 for the lower-volume physician practice offers an overview of ICD-10, a webcast and other helpful videos and resources for specialty practices such as pediatrics, OB/GYN and cardiology.
- American Academy of Professional Coders (AAPC) The AAPC's page dedicated to ICD-10 offers information about ICD-10 training, transition services, discussion links and an ICD-10 bookstore.
- Workgroup for Electronic Data Interchange (WEDI) WEDI's ICD-10 resources include a diagnosis-related group (DRG) shift scenario tool, ICD-10 testing for lower-volume provider practices and more.
- Healthcare Information and Management System Society (HIMSS) HIMSS has links to a planning and preparation checklist and an implementation tool kit.

As a reminder, please review all patient records for accurate coding. Incorrect or general coding could lead to nonpayment or reduced payment.

If you have questions regarding the transition to ICD-10, please call health partner services or your health partner representative. You can also access the ICD-10 Resource Center at https://www.caresource.com/providers/kentucky/medicaid/claims-information/icd-10/.