All Provider Types

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Starting October 1, 2015, New York State Medicaid will begin accepting and processing claims using ICD-10 diagnosis and procedure codes.

Top 10 things all providers should know:

1. **Claims for Dates of Service on and after 10/1/2015 require valid ICD-10 Codes:** Claims with ICD-9 codes for dates of services on and after October 1 will be rejected by pre-adjudication edits.

2. While ICD-9 and ICD-10 codes are not allowed within the same claim, ICD-9 claims and ICD-10 claims can be sent in the same file.

3. Providers currently submitting ICD-9 primary diagnosis code **7999** - "Other Unspecified Diagnosis" are recommended to use ICD-10 code **R69** – "Illness, unspecified".

4. **ePACES ICD Version radio button:** Starting October 1, you must select which ICD code version is submitted on your claims. This field currently defaults to ICD-9. See the ePACES Claim Quick Reference Guides for more information.

5. **"I'm a _____ provider type, does ICD-10 really impact me?"** Review the FAQs to see how your NY Medicaid claims will need to be submitted.

6. **eMedNY will not publish an ICD-9 to ICD-10 crosswalk.** Use the extensive resources at https://www.emedny.org/icd to explore ICD-10 coding and train your office.

7. **Electronic Claims Submitters:** Make sure your software submits the appropriate Code List Qualifier designating either ICD-9 or ICD-10 diagnosis codes are on the claim. Principal diagnosis is required on <u>all</u> electronic claims.

8. **Providers using Vendors, Clearing Houses and Service Bureaus:** Communicate with your vendors to understand what you may need to do in order to be ready on October 1 and coordinate testing in eMedNY's Provider Test Environment.

9. **The Provider Testing Environment:** Electronic claim submitters and vendors are able to test ICD-10 claim submissions and receive paper or PDF remittance advices from to eMedNY right now. Detailed instructions on testing can be found at https://www.emedny.org/Notice/ICD_10_7-8-14.pdf.

10. If you have any questions about ICD-10, testing and claim submission, contact the eMedNY Call Center at 1 800-343-900