

Provider Memorandum

ICD-10 Implementation Deadline—TODAY

ICD-10-CM (Clinical Modification) is the 10th revision of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (ICD) with diagnosis codes that classify diseases and health problems. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has mandated the replacement of the International Classification of Diseases, 9th Edition/Revision (ICD-9) diagnostic and procedure code sets with the International Classification of Diseases, 10th Edition/Revision (ICD-10-CM/PCS) Clinical Modification (CM).

Any entity covered by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) must be able to successfully conduct health care transactions using ICD-10 diagnosis and procedure codes. ICD-9 diagnosis and procedure codes can no longer be used for services provided on or after the date on which CMS implements the required use of ICD-10 codes. The ICD-10 implementation date is October 1, 2015.

Molina Healthcare of Illinois (Molina) has implemented systems and processes to support ICD-10 requirements to ensure a smooth transition for claims processing and will follow CMS guidelines in implementation.

Please keep the following in mind:

- Claims that do not contain ICD-10 diagnosis and inpatient procedure codes for services provided on or after October 1, 2015 will not be processed
- Claims submitted with dates of service prior to 10/1/2015 should be submitted using ICD-9 diagnosis and procedure codes
- CMS has created a number of helpful resources, along with applicable guidance information, all of which can be found at:
 - https://www.cms.gov/medicare/coding/icd10/providerresources.html

Please contact your Molina Provider Services Representative or access the claims department at: (855) 866-5462).