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ICD-10-CM Educational Material Now Available on Provider Website

ICD-10 was implemented on October 1, 2015, replacing ICD-9 which had been the spoken language of diagnosis codes for over 30 years. To assist with learning how to speak ICD-10-CM, educational material is now available on the Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Provider Website. To access the materials, click on Medicare Solutions and then click on Provider Training and FAQs. The materials include:

- “Speaking ICD-10-CM” materials are one page summaries containing the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM code crosswalk for specific condition(s). These one page descriptions include a detailed comparison of diagnosis code selection(s) and/or relevant coding guidance. To access the 13 Speaking ICD-10-CM training aids, click on Coding Differences between ICD-9 and ICD-10 under the ICD header.

- “ICD-10-CM Provider Training Mini-Series” materials consist of six presentations focusing on ICD-10-CM coding and documentation tips. The first session is a basic introduction to ICD-10-CM. The remaining five sessions focus on the following common chronic conditions: Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), Diabetes (DM), Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA), Congestive Heart Failure (CHF), and Major Depressive Disorder (MDD). To access the ICD-10-CM Provider Training Mini-Series, click on each title link listed under the ICD header.

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