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Road Map to ICD-10-CM

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- KEY BENEFITS FOR ADOPTING ICD-10-CM
  - Incorporate greater specificity and clinical information resulting in
    - Improved ability to measure health care services
    - Increased sensitivity when refining grouping and reimbursement methodologies
    - Enhanced ability to conduct public health surveillance
    - Decreased need to include supporting documentation with claims

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Comparing ICD-9 and ICD-10

CHARACTERISTIC	ICD-9-CM	ICD-10-CM
Field Length	3-5 characters	3-7 characters
Available Codes	Approximately 13,000 codes	Approximately 68,000 codes
Code Composition (numeric or alpha)	Digit 1 = alpha or numeric Digits 2-5 = numeric	Digit 1 = alpha Digit 2 = numeric Digits 3-7 = alpha or numeric
Available space for new codes	Limited	Flexible
Overall detail embedded within codes	Ambiguous	Very specific
Laterality	Does not identify right versus left	Often identifies right versus left
Sample code	813.15, Open fracture of head of radium	S52123C, Displaced fracture of head of unspecified radius, initial encounter for open fracture type IIIA, IIIB, or IIIC

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How Will ICD-10-CM Change Everything?

Physicians
Documentation, Code Training

Nurses/Lab
Documentation Forms, Prior Authorization, Reporting

Clinical Area
Patient Coverage, Superbills, ABN

Administration
New Policies & Procedures, HIPAA, Business Contracts, Budgets, Training

Billing
Policies & Procedures, Training

Coding
Code Set, Clinical Knowledge, Concurrent Use

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Step 1
ICD-10-CM Implementation Training

- How to start implementing ICD-10-CM
- Working with vendors and GEMS
- Documentation challenges of ICD-10-CM
- Templates, tools and checklists to simplify transition

Step 2
ICD-10-CM Anatomy & Pathophysiology Training

- Increased specificity requirements
- Identify appropriate diagnosis or condition
- Challenge areas in ICD-10-CM

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Step 3
PHASE 1
ICD-10-CM
Coding Set Training

- General code set training
- Complete guidelines with ICD-10-CM
- Recommend Specialty Code Set Training

Step 4
PHASE 2
ICD-10-CM
Specialty Code Set
Training

- Multi-specialty or single specialty training
- Advanced and real-world coding

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Step 5
ICD-10 Proficiency Assessment

- 75 questions
- Open book, online, unproctored available
- Two attempts to pass over a two year window

ICD-10
Implementation

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- NEXT STEPS
  - Establish awareness among your administrative and physician leadership involving ICD-10 implementation
  - Identify an ICD-10 coordination manager who will help simplify the transition
    - Developing an implementation plan and timeline
    - Conducting vendor evaluations, monitoring, and communication
    - Communication and awareness both internally and externally
    - Training needs assessment and identification
  - Identify vendor support and health associations to support ICD-10 implementation

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