

ICD-10 Basics MLN Connects™ National Provider Call — Register Now

Thursday, August 22; 1:30-3pm ET

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Target Audience: Medical coders, physicians, physician office staff, nurses and other non-physician practitioners, provider billing staff, health records staff, vendors, educators, system maintainers, laboratories, and all Medicare providers

Are you ready to transition to ICD-10 on October 1, 2014? Join us for a keynote presentation on ICD-10 basics by Sue Bowman from the American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA), along with an implementation update by CMS. A question and answer session will follow the presentation.

Agenda:

- Benefits of ICD-10
- Similarities and differences from ICD-9
- Coding
 - Basics of finding a diagnosis code
 - Placeholder "x"
 - Unspecified codes
 - External cause of injury codes
 - Type of encounter
- Training needs and timelines
- Resources for coding and training
- National implementation issues

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