July 10, 2015

ATTENTION: South Dakota Medicaid Providers

FROM: South Dakota Medicaid

RE: South Dakota Medicaid ICD-10 Update: 82 Days to Implementation

Are you ready for ICD-10?

Will you ready to submit claims with ICD-10 codes effective 10/1/2015? If not, please contact SD Medicaid so that we may work with you on preparedness. Email us at ICD10@state.sd.us and someone will be in contact with you in the next few days.

Test with SD Medicaid

We strongly encourage testing with SD Medicaid to avoid delays in payment after October 1, 2015! Please visit our website to learn more about testing your SD Medicaid claims with ICD-10 codes.

Electronic Claim Filing

SD Medicaid encourages all providers to file claims electronically. In addition to the benefit of more timely processing, many errors associated with data entry of paper claims can be avoided. ICD10 diagnosis codes have characters that can be confused with other characters. For example:

- O/0
- O/Q
- 5/S
- 1/I
- 2/Z

SD Medicaid ICD-10 Webinars

SD Medicaid is continuing its ICD-10 webinars. The next webinar will be offered on Thursday, July 16th. For the complete schedule and to sign up for the next webinar, click on the Provider Training tab our website. Slides from the webinar and a recorded presentation are available on our website here.
**New CMS Guidance and FAQs Issued**

CMS, in collaboration with the American Medical Association (AMA), has issued additional guidance related to the ICD-10 Implementation. Please click on the links for more detail.

[CMS ICD-10 FAQ List](#)
[CMS/AMA Press Release, June 6, 2015](#)

**Additional ICD-10 Readiness Resources**

[CMS Road To 10](#)
[CMS Provider Resources](#)
[Medical Coding Reference](#)
[AAPC Code Translator](#)
[AHIMA](#)
[AAPC](#)
[AMA](#)

If you have questions related to ICD-10 coding and South Dakota Medicaid we would love to hear from you. Please email us at [ICD10@state.sd.us](mailto:ICD10@state.sd.us)

Thank you,

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South Dakota Medicaid