



CODING UPDATE FOR FY 2018: UNDERSTAND THE CHANGES

Webinar

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Presenter:

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There are 728 changes for final FY2018 ICD-10-CM Coding (this is 322 more changes than the proposed rule). Changes include 360 new codes, 142 code deletions and 226 code title revisions. This webinar will provide staff with information necessary to code accurately beginning October 1st. Chapters where many of the major ICD-10 code changes occur include Diseases of the Circulatory System (Chapter 9); Diseases of skin & subcutaneous tissue (Chapter 12) Injury, Poisoning and Certain Other Consequences of External Causes (Chapter 19). New codes changes will affect case mix categories: Blindness & Low Vision; Neuro 1; Neuro 2; Diabetes; Ortho 2 and Skin 2. Also reviewed will be the updates to the Official Guidelines for Coding & Reporting.*

Learning Objectives:

- Identify the coding changes that affect home health & hospice
 - Additional specificity added
 - for pulmonary hypertension;
 - lower extremity ulcers;
 - blindness and low vision;
 - spinal stenosis
 - anorectal abscesses
 - Type of MI
 - Increased choices for Heart Failure
 - Additional Codes for Substance abuse
- Review changes to case mix diagnoses
- Review updates and changes to the Coding Guidelines*
- Discuss *Test Your Knowledge* cases to illustrate the new coding changes

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