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International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision (ICD-10) Update to Children's Medical Services Network (CMS Net) Medical Therapy Program (MTP)

The International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision (ICD-10) is a diagnosis and procedure coding system replacing the ICD-9 coding system. The ICD-10 Clinical Modification (CM) and Procedure Coding System (PCS) codes will improve the ability to govern reimbursement, monitor a population's health, track trends in disease and treatment, and optimize health care delivery.

Effective October 1, 2015, the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) will begin accepting ICD-10 codes for claims with dates of service on and after October 1, 2015. ICD-9 diagnosis codes can no longer be used for health care services provided on or after October 1, 2015.

Effective October 1, 2015 CMS Net will make the following changes for active cases enrolled in the MTP:

- Close all active MTP cases effective 09/30/2015 and reopen effective 10/01/2015. Therefore, when a PTR is generated the system will search for the PTR period based on the date of service.
- CMS Net will auto populate the MTP Primary DX and MTP Treatment DX fields with the equivalent ICD-10 code when the ICD-9 code on record is mapped to one ICD-10 code.
- If the existing ICD-9 code does not map to an equivalent ICD-10 code, the ICD-9 code will be deleted from the MTP Primary DX and MTP Treatment DX fields. The county will have to select a valid ICD-10 code at their

discretion from the error report or when updates/changes are made to the case record in the MTP module.

- Create an error report for the counties of open MTP cases where the MTP Primary DX and MTP Treatment DX fields are blank.
- When enrolling a client into the MTP program and the eligibility effective date is on or after October 1, 2015, the MTP primary and treatment DX must be an ICD-10 code.
- When enrolling a client into the MTP program and the eligibility effective date is prior to October 1, 2015, the MTP primary and treatment DX must be an ICD-9 code. County staff must contact the CMSHelp desk to add the ICD-9 code to the MTP primary and Treatment DX fields. Once the client is retroactively enrolled in the MTP program with the ICD-9 code, the case must be closed effective September 30, 2015 and reopened October 1, 2015 with a valid ICD-10 code.
- Prohibit the creation and/or transmission of PTRs on active MTP cases when the MTP Primary DX and/or MTP Treatment DX fields are blank. Counties must manually assign an ICD-10 code prior to creation and submission of PTRs.
- When a PTR is created and the date(s) of service is prior to October 1, 2015, only ICD-9 codes will be transmitted.
- When a PTR is created and the date(s) of service is on or after October 1, 2015, only ICD-10 codes will be transmitted.

If you have questions, please contact the CMS Net Help Desk at cmshelp@dhcs.ca.gov or call (866) 685 – 8449.