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	Change Request 11601

SUBJECT: Update the International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision (ICD-10) 2021 Tables in the Common Working File (CWF) for Purposes of Processing Non-Group Health Plan (NGHP) Medicare Secondary Payer (MSP) Records and Claims

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: This change request instructs the maintainer to upload and implement the ICD-10 tables in CWF for NGHP MSP claims transactions. In order to be prepared to meet the time line to implement the updated ICD-10 diagnosis codes by the mandated timeframe, CWF shall implement the ICD-10 updates effective with the October 2020 release.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 2020

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IMPLEMENTATION DATE: October 5, 2020

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II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated) R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-*Only One Per Row*.

R/N/D CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE				
N/A	N/A			

III. FUNDING:

For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

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IV. ATTACHMENTS:

Recurring Update Notification

Attachment - Recurring Update Notification

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I. GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. Background: In accordance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services adopts standard medical data code sets for use in standard transactions. According to the ICD-10 final rule, published in the Federal Register on January 16, 2009, the Secretary adopted the ICD-10-clinical modification and ICD-10-procedure coding system code sets for use in appropriate HIPAA standard transactions, including those for submitting health care claims electronically. Entities covered under HIPAA, which include Medicare and its providers submitting claims electronically, are bound by these requirements and must comply. Medicare will also require submitters of paper claims to use ICD-10 codes on their claims according to the same compliance date.
- **B. Policy:** This change request instructs the maintainer to upload and implement the ICD-10 tables in CWF for NGHP MSP claims transactions. In order to be prepared to meet the time line to implement the updated ICD-10 diagnosis codes by the mandated timeframe, CWF shall implement the ICD-10 updates effective with the October 2020 release. This recurring update notification applies to chapter 6, section 40.10.3.

II. BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS TABLE

"Shall" denotes a mandatory requirement, and "should" denotes an optional requirement.

Number	Requirement	Responsibility																											
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11601.1	CMS shall provide CWF the Diagnosis and Procedure									CMS																			
	Codes Conversion Tables (ICD-10 to ICD-9).																												
11601.1.1	CWF shall load the CMS provided Diagnosis and								X																				
	Procedure Codes Conversion Tables (ICD-10 to ICD-																												
	9) and convert into 2021 flat files (non-Virtual Storage																												
	Access Method (VSAM)).																												
11601.1.2	CWF shall create or update the ICD-10 FORMAT						·		X																				
	Jobs to use the new 2021 CWF Conversion Tables																												

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	(ICD-10 to ICD-9) flat files (non-VSAM) as input to format the new ICD-10 diagnosis and procedure codes												
	with descriptions to create a 2021 ICD-10 Queued												
	Sequential Access Method (QSAM) file.												
11601.2	CWF shall extract the 2021 ICD-10 files from the								X				
11001.2	CMS website and convert to CWF flat files (non-												
	VSAM) in the same manner as the annual Healthcare												
	Common Procedure Coding System update.												
11601.2.1	CWF shall create or update the ICD-10 FORMAT								X				
	Jobs to use the new 2021 CWF flat files (non-VSAM)												
	as input to format the new ICD-10 diagnosis and procedure codes with descriptions to create a 2021												
	ICD-10 QSAM file.												
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11601.3	CWF shall update all other processes in CWF to utilize the updated 2021 CABICD10 file.								X				
	utilize the updated 2021 CABICD10 Inc.												
11601.3.1	CWF shall use the 2021 CABICD10 VSAM file to								X				
	update the ICD-9/ICD-10 diagnosis code cross- reference assembler table TABICDDG for COBOL												
	search and lookups.												
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11601.4	CWF shall identify any changes in the 2021 ICD-10 table, which need to be applied to CABBDGFM								X				
	Diagnosis Code Family matching logic.												
11601.5	CWF shall ensure that the Health Insurance Master								X				
	Record (HIMR) 'DIAG' and 'PROC' screens use the 2021 CABICD10 VSAM file to display all 2021 and												
	earlier ICD-9/ICD-10 diagnosis and procedure codes												
	with descriptions.												

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

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	None					

IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Section A: Recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements: N/A

"Should" denotes a recommendation.

X-Ref	Recommendations or other supporting information:
Requirement	
Number	

Section B: All other recommendations and supporting information: N/A

V. CONTACTS

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Post-Implementation Contact(s): Contact your Contracting Officer's Representative (COR).

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