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Reminder: Diagnosis Qualifier Required for Professional and Institutional Claims

Professional and institutional claims require an indicator to specify if the diagnosis codes used are ICD-9-CM or ICD-10-CM. Claims may not contain both ICD-9 and ICD-10 codes on the same claim form. Claims containing both ICD-9 and ICD-10 codes will deny.

Paper Claims:

- CMS 1500 Claim Form:
 - Block 21 – Diagnosis or Nature of Illness or Injury
 - For dates of service **prior** to October 1, 2015 enter the ICD-9-CM code (indicator “9”); **OR** for dates of service **on or after** October 1, 2015, enter the ICD-10-CM code (indicator “0”) that describes the diagnosis.
- ADA Claim Form:
 - Block 34 – Diagnosis Qualifier (must be completed if applicable)
 - For dates of service **prior** to October 1, 2015 enter “B” when billing ICD-9 codes; **OR** for dates of service **on or after** October 1, 2015 enter “AB” when billing ICD-10 codes.
- UB-04:
 - Entry of Qualifier Not Required

Internet Claims Pharmacy:

Diagnosis Code Qualifier:

- Select “01 - ICD9” for Dates of service **prior** to October 1, 2015.
- Select “02 - ICD10” for Dates of service **on or after** October 1, 2015.

Internet Claims All Other Types:

Code Type:

- Select “ICD-9” for Dates of service **prior** to October 1, 2015.
- Select “ICD10” for Dates of service **on or after** October 1, 2015.

Provider Electronic Solution (PES):

The selection of ICD Version applies to the entire claim:

- Select “ICD9” for Dates of service **prior** to October 1, 2015.
- Select “ICD10” for Dates of service **on or after** October 1, 2015.



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837 Professional Electronic Claims:

Loop	Segment	Value	Description
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BK	Principal (primary) ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BF	ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABK	Principal (primary) ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABF	ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service on or after October 1, 2015

837 Institutional Electronic Claims:

Loop	Segment	Value	Description
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BK	Principal (primary) ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BJ	Admitting ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	PR	Patient Reason for Visit ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BN	External Cause of Injury ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BF	ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BR	Principal ICD-9 Procedure codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BQ	Other ICD-9 Procedure codes for dates of service or discharge prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABK	Principal ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABJ	Admitting ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	APR	Patient Reason for Visit ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABN	External Cause of Injury ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABF	ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BBR	Principal ICD-10 Procedure codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BBQ	Other ICD-10 Procedure codes for dates of service or discharge on or after October 1, 2015





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837 Dental Electronic Claims:

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2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BK	Principal (primary) ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	BF	ICD-9 Diagnosis codes for dates of service prior to October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABK	Principal (primary) ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service on or after October 1, 2015
2300	HI – Health Care Diagnosis	ABF	ICD-10 Diagnosis codes for dates of service on or after October 1, 2015

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