



# ICD-10

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### CMS ICD-10 Resources

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) offers resources to help the health care community prepare for the October 1, 2015, ICD-10 transition. No matter where you are in the process, CMS has resources to help you prepare.

#### ICD-10 Basics

Basic resources are a great place to start if you are looking for the background and benefits of the ICD-10 transition. These resources include overviews tailored by audience, including small and rural practices, payers, and non-covered entities.

- [The ICD-10 Transition: An Introduction](#)
- [ICD-10 Basics for Medical Practices](#)
- [ICD-10 Basics for Small and Rural Practices](#)
- [ICD-10 Basics for Payers](#)
- [The ICD-10 Transition: Focus on Non-Covered Entities](#)

#### Communicating About ICD-10

Communication between health care providers, software vendors, clearinghouses, and billing services is vital to a successful transition. Learn how to get the conversation started with these resources:

- [Talking to Your Vendors About ICD-10: Tips for Medical Practices](#)
- [Questions to Ask Your Systems Vendors about ICD-10](#)
- [The Role of Clearinghouses in ICD-10](#)
- [Talking to Your Customers About ICD-10: Tips for Software Vendors](#)

#### Road to 10

Available on the [Provider Resources](#) page, the "Road to 10" tool is an online resource built with input from providers in small practices. Intended to help small medical practices jumpstart their ICD-10 transition, "Road to 10" includes specialty references and the capability to build tailored action plans.

### **Medscape Education Modules**

CMS has released two videos and an expert column to help providers prepare for ICD-10. These Medscape education modules offer an overview of ICD-10 for small practices. Continuing medical education (CME) and nursing continuing education (CE) credits are available to providers who complete these resources. Anyone with a free Medscape account can receive a certificate of completion. You can find these resources on the [Provider Resources](#) page.

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