

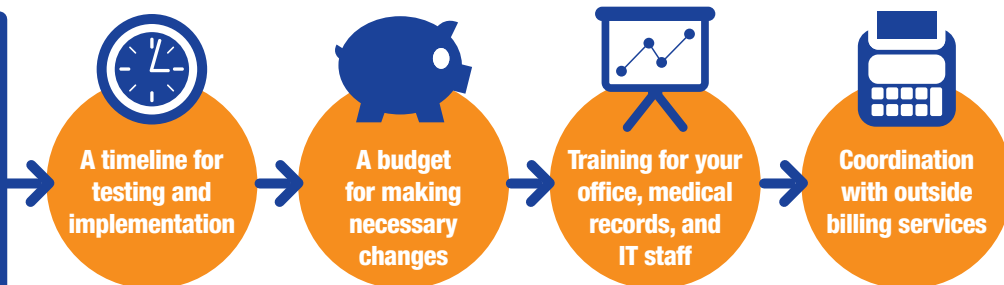
An Important Reminder from MARCH® Vision Care

ICD-10 Transition Deadline is **October 1, 2015**

On October 1, 2015 the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (“CMS”) will require all providers to replace the currently used ICD-9 code sets for reporting medical diagnoses and inpatient procedures with the updated ICD-10 code sets.

Are You Prepared for the ICD-10 Transition?

As an eye care professional, it is important that you have a readiness plan in place to transition to the ICD-10 code set by the October 1, 2015 deadline. Your readiness plan should include:



For a more detailed list, tailored for specific audiences, please visit www.cms.gov/ICD10.

Claims submitted after October 1, 2015 may not contain a combination of ICD-9 and ICD-10 codes. Claims may only contain one code set. This means providers are required to split the claim so all ICD-9 codes remain on one claim with dates of service through 9/30/2015 and all ICD-10 codes are placed on a separate claim with dates of service beginning 10/1/2015 and later.

MARCH® Vision Care's ICD-10 Online Training

To help you prepare for the ICD-10 transition, MARCH® Vision Care offers a complimentary online presentation and training. To access the comprehensive ICD-10 presentation, visit our website at www.marchvisioncare.com.

Or, to schedule an interactive training session via webinar, please contact our Provider Services department at (888) 493-4070 and select option 3, then option 4.

Updates from MARCH® Vision Care

Look for more information about the ICD-10 transition in your “MARCH® Outlook” provider newsletter.

Additional Online Resources

You can find more information and tools to help you prepare for the transition by visiting the websites listed below:

- ✓ Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) at www.cms.gov/ICD10
- ✓ Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society (HIMSS) at www.himss.org
- ✓ MARCH® Vision Care at www.marchvisioncare.com