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TO: All Providers Participating in the NE Medicaid Program
All Medicaid EDI Trading Partners

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RE: **Medicaid ICD-10 Implementation Project
May 2013 Update**

Please share this information with Clinical, Coding, Billing, and IT Staff

The United States Department of Health and Human Services requires that all HIPAA covered entities use the International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision (ICD-10) codes beginning October 1, 2014. This bulletin provides information regarding the Nebraska Medicaid ICD-10 Implementation Project.

Advisory for Mental Health Service Providers:

- All Medicaid providers must implement ICD-10 in order to have claims with dates of services on or after October 1, 2014, considered for payment.
- Nebraska Medicaid currently requires ICD-9 diagnosis codes. While DSM-IV (Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, 4th Edition) codes were designed to correspond with ICD-9 codes, they do not correspond to ICD-10 codes. Mental health providers must transition to ICD-10 in order to have claims considered for payment after October 1, 2014.

Questions?

CMS has resources to help prepare for a smooth transition. Visit www.cms.gov/ICD10 to find out more.

Please submit questions about this bulletin or about ICD-10 to DHHS.ICD-10Implementation@nebraska.gov.