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Workers' Compensation Commission

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2015 ICD-10 Conversion

Effective October 1, 2015

In 1997, the S.C. Workers' Compensation Commission adopted CMS (Medicare) as the basis upon which medical billing and compensation for inpatient (Hospital) services, outpatient services rendered at a hospital or an ambulatory surgery center for Workers' Compensation are provided (Medicare *1.40). In order to maintain consistency with the Commission's CMS based medical billing and compensation practices, the S.C. Workers' Compensation Commission will adopt the 2015 ICD-10 conversion effective 10/1/2015.

Resources for providers, carriers and TPA's for the ICD-10-CM and ICD-10-CM/PCS implementation are available at the CMS Website at:

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coding/ICD10/index.html?redirect=/ICD10>

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coding/ICD10/downloads/ICD-10Overview.pdf>

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