

<b>CMS Manual System</b>	<b>Department of Health &amp; Human Services (DHHS)</b>
<b>Pub 100-04 Medicare Claims Processing</b>	<b>Centers for Medicare &amp; Medicaid Services (CMS)</b>
<b>Transmittal 11464</b>	<b>Date: June 22, 2022</b>
	<b>Change Request 12797</b>

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**SUBJECT: Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Annual Update to the Medicare Code Editor (MCE) and International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM) and Procedure Coding System (ICD-10-PCS)**

**I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES:** The purpose of this Change Request (CR) is to implement the annual changes to the ICD-10-CM and ICD-10-PCS codes included in the Medicare Code Editor, which are used to revise edits for A/B MACs to make appropriate payments. This recurring update notification applies to chapter 23, section 10.

**EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 2022**

*\*Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*

**IMPLEMENTATION DATE: October 3, 2022**

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**II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS:** (N/A if manual is not updated)

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-Only One Per Row.

<b>R/N/D</b>	<b>CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE</b>
N/A	N/A

**III. FUNDING:**

**For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):**

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

**IV. ATTACHMENTS:**

**Recurring Update Notification**

# Attachment - Recurring Update Notification

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## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

**A. Background:** The ICD-10-CM and ICD-10-PCS codes are updated as stated in Pub. 100-04, chapter 23, section 10. The ICD-10-CM and ICD-10-PCS files used to process Part A claims are included in the MCE file usually available approximately six weeks prior to the beginning of the fiscal year. However, the instruction for the Fiscal Intermediary Shared System (FISS) to install the MCE is included in the FY Inpatient Prospective Payment System (IPPS) and Long Term Care Hospital (LTCH) PPS change request, which is issued after the MCE file. This causes a delay in the ICD-10 file being installed timely to allow the MACs to complete their edit updates.

**B. Policy:** No new policy. The updated diagnosis and procedure codes are effective for dates of discharge on and after October 1, 2022.

## II. BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS TABLE

*"Shall" denotes a mandatory requirement, and "should" denotes an optional requirement.*

Number	Requirement	Responsibility								
		A/B MAC		D M E M A C	Shared- System Maintainers				Other	
		A	B		H H H	F I S S	M C S	V M S		C W F
12797.1	The Medicare contractor shall maintain the capability to install the ICD-10 files separately from the MCE in the event that the FY IPPS and LTCH PPS change request and or Pricers are delayed.					X				
12797.2	The Medicare contractor shall overlay ICD-10 data received via stand-alone files with the ICD-10 code data received within the MCE, once received.					X				

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		A	B	H H H		F I S S	M C S	V M S	C W F	
12797.3	The Medicare contractor shall be aware that the CMS announces the availability of the annual ICD-10 diagnosis and procedure file replacement via email approximately six weeks prior to the beginning of the fiscal year.					X				
12797.4	The Medicare contractors shall evaluate all local edits that contain ICD-10-CM and ICD-10-PCS codes, update and test as needed.	X				X				

### III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility				
		A/B MAC			D M E M A C	C E D I
		A	B	H H H		
	None					

### IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

**Section A: Recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements: N/A**

*"Should" denotes a recommendation.*

X-Ref Requirement Number	Recommendations or other supporting information:

**Section B: All other recommendations and supporting information: N/A**

### V. CONTACTS

**Pre-Implementation Contact(s):** Yvette Rivas, yvette.rivas@cms.hhs.gov

**Post-Implementation Contact(s):** Contact your Contracting Officer's Representative (COR).

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