ICD-10 May Require Multiple Diagnosis Codes to Report Conditions

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The *International Classification of Disease, Tenth Revision* (ICD-10), becomes effective October 1, 2014. Providers should know that the ICD-10 coding structure may require them to report multiple diagnosis codes for a single condition or diagnosis. This will be a change from the ICD-9 coding guidelines, which uses one diagnosis code to describe a single condition or diagnosis.