

DPH ICD-10-CM Implementation Project - Progress Report
NCALHD Technology Committee

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ICD-10-CM Training Opportunities

- Many 'free' opportunities – CMS, HIMSS – geared toward implementation
 - Some better than others
 - Most recent CMS conference call downplayed physician impact
- Should ICD-10 contacts be notified of all opportunities?
- Actual hands on training not yet available at reasonable costs
 - Do not want to train large numbers of staff till closer to implementation date of 10/1/2013
 - Will monitor training opportunities at Community Colleges – they are not yet offering the training

DPH ICD-10 Implementation Team

- Responsibilities:
 - Review and provide feedback on the implementation plan
 - Review project deliverables
 - Monitor the status of project activities
 - Assist in development of implementation tools (e.g., business impact assessment, top 50 diagnosis report)
 - Participate in communication activities (e.g., Webinars) for local agencies
- The DPH ICD-10 Implementation Team members will need to dedicate the time needed to perform their assignments until ICD-10 is implemented. Estimate approximately 8 hours/month for Team activities
- Additional subject matter experts may be utilized occasionally as the need arises
- It is time to solicit members
 - Request through Health Directors or ICD-10 Contacts?
 - Is written approval needed from Health Director?
- Each local agency needs to have their own Implementation Team
 - Communicate need for this now or wait till after DPH Team is formed (hopefully kickoff meeting will be in September)

DPH Initial System Assessment for Upcoming HIPAA Changes

- Potentially 9 systems will be impacted but further investigation is underway
 - HIS
 - Clinical Fusion
 - Careware
 - StarLims
 - Occupational Surveillance
 - Medical Examiner Information System
 - NC DETECT
 - NCEDSS
 - Birth Defects Monitoring System

Project Management

- Project Plan under review
- Project Schedule draft and Implementation Draft are in progress