Hands On ICD-10 Preparation

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Outline

- Comparison of ICD-9 to ICD-10
- Identify differences and pitfalls
- Identify your most billed ICD-9s
- Begin translating your ICD9s to ICD10s



Assumptions

- Basic understanding of ICD selection
- Descriptions match codes in your ICD-9 table



Comparison

- Differences
 - MANY more codes
 - Greater specificity



Comparison (cont'd)

- Greater Specificity
 - Severity
 - Laterality
 - Dominant vs. non-dominant
 - Intent
 - Source



Excludes

- Exclude 1 vs Exclude 2
 - 1=These should never be coded together
 - 2= These may be reported together but are distinct

Code First

 Additional or related condition may need to be sequenced before the one in mind

Use Additional

 More detail may be available in the form of wholly separate codes



7th Characters & Placeholders

 Codes with fewer than six characters require placeholder "X" be used so the 7th character is in the 7th position. Use "X" for codes where there are more 'positions' needed than 'meaningful' digits required.



Pitfall

• Outdated ICD-9 descriptions

Let's Translate



Your Codes

- Ira will help you identify the codes you use most
- That list will tell you
 - Where to focus first
 - Which adjustments your clinicians and co-workers should consider

Ira Selections

Dates & Subtotal



Ira Results

INSURANCE COMPANY REIMBURSEMENT REPORT: Summary Report			
From: 07/	/17/13 To: 07/16/14 Generated On:	7/14/2014	
Primary I	Diagnosis	# Chgs	Tot Charged
V20.2	Well Child Care	115996	\$5628900.29
V20.2	Well Infant/Child	113589	\$8620646.43
V04.81	Imm. flu prophylaxis	19600	\$697325.01
462	Pharyngitis	16895	\$1048183.10
V70.0	Well Child Over 18 Years	14696	\$1014197.96
465.9	URI	8601	\$712639.20
079.99	Viral Syndrome	5965	\$574274.00
V70.9	Medical Waste Management	5530	\$ 0.00
V04.89	Imm. Gardasil	4744	\$638806.00
_	_	4179	\$342199.86
034.0	Strep Throat	4060	\$346765.00
V20.1	Well Baby Care	3726	\$ 7860.00
382.9	Otitis Media	3718	\$437745.00
780.60	Fever, unspecified	3387	\$377095.00
493.90	Asthma	3343	\$258379.00
493.90	Reactive Airway Disease	3057	\$164376.00
786.2	Cough	2535	\$302851.00
461.9	Sinusitis Acute	2179	\$246682.00
V72.0	Eye Examination	2149	\$ 325.00
V80.2	Special Screening For Other Eye Condition	2006	\$ 635.00
789.07	Abdominal Pain	1689	\$192102.00
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