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Attention Valued United Medical Clients:

ICD-10 is quickly approaching and there will be no further delay! Learn practical advice to prepare your practice for the new ICD-10 code set and minimize the likelihood of cash flow disruption after October 1, 2015. Here are some resources and upcoming events that we highly recommend:

1. MGMA Webinar: Critical Steps to Prepare for the October 1st ICD-10 transition

- If your group is behind, or has not yet started its ICD-10 implementation efforts, now is the time to act. Join us next week on **Thursday June 4, 1:00PM – 2:00PM** as MGMA Director of Health Information Technology Policy Robert Tennant, MA, outlines the necessary steps to ensure your various internal and external processes and components are ready for the transition. This webinar, offered at no cost to MGMA members, will offer practical advice to help you prepare your practice for the new code set and minimize the likelihood of cash flow disruption after the Oct. 1 compliance date. Participants will also have the opportunity to have their questions answered in a live Q&A following the presentation. Don't miss out, [register today!](#) Following this 60-minute webinar, you will:
 - Understand the current Congressional and regulatory ICD-10 environment
 - Recognize the critical steps your practice needs to take to prepare for ICD-10 including conducting an impact analysis and outreach to external trading partners
 - Identify strategies to undertake clinical documentation improvement activities and clinician education
 - Learn how to develop contingency plans that will address implementation deficiencies and protect practice revenue
 - This webinar has been approved for 1 hour of [ACMPE credit](#).

2. Cerner Webinar: What Should You Be Doing Now to Prepare for the ICD-10 Transition?

- Please join for information on the steps Cerner Ambulatory has taken and the tasks you should be completing to prepare for the transition to ICD-10 on October 1, 2015.
- Online educational meeting to occur: **Thursday, June 11 at either 10:00AM or 3:00PM**
- Register here:
<https://www147.livemeeting.com/lrs/cerner/Registration.aspx?pageName=jf9hck29n4f7zqrv>

3. AAPC Training Courses

- Separate courses are available for Coders, Auditors, Physicians, and Practice/Office Administrators
- Register here: <https://www.aapc.com/icd-10/training.aspx>

4. Also, please don't forget to order your in-office copy of the ICD-10 Coding Books!

- AAPC's versions of the ICD-10 code books are prepared in a manner that parallels the ICD-9-CM code books so that using them feels easy and familiar. Use these ICD-10 coding books to prepare for the future of coding with the latest and most comprehensive update to the code set. These coding books are approved for use in [AAPC ICD-10 Training](#), preparing your providers, or dual coding.
- Click here to order your book: <https://www.aapc.com/medical-coding-books/icd-10-books.aspx>

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**** Practices will be responsible for all fees associated with these classes and educational materials ****

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