Implementing ICD-10 CM—Next Steps for State Programs

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Overview of NBDPN ICD-10 Survey

• 37 programs completed the survey
• 33 programs currently engage in birth defects surveillance activities
• All programs engaging in birth defects surveillance use ICD-9 CM codes in some way
• 16 programs use only ICD-9 CM
More Survey Results

- 10 programs have some familiarity with ICD-10
- 4 programs have experience implementing major coding changes
- 33 programs have had some experience determining completeness of data after coding changes
- 10 programs have reviewed the GEM system
Common Issues

- Training staff
- Revising IT systems
- Utilization of coding crosswalks
- Implementation of quality control measures
- Conducting data analyses when diagnoses data contain different levels of specificity
Training Staff

- What tools are available for training staff?
- AHIMA and state health information management association trainings
- Webinars and other online trainings
- Crosswalks and mapping tools
IT Systems Issues

• How to accommodate 2 classification systems in the database?
• Data entry and storage
• Data validations
Programmatic Issues for Using New Codes

• How do you use your data?
• Running reports
• Running data queries
• Data Analyses
NBDPN Future Trainings

• NBDPN will conduct 2 Webinars
• 1st webinar will include information specific to diagnosis coding
• 2nd webinar will include information specific to the impact the new coding system will have to existing databases
Coding Webinar

- Coding nuts and bolts
- Effects of ICD-10 coding on BPA users
- Challenging coding issues between ICD-9 and ICD-10 as they pertain to birth defects
- Providing guidance on how to use a new system
Impact to Registry Webinar

- Impact of the changes to datasets, statistics, etc.
- Data storage issues
- The Epi’s perspective
Resources

• NBDPN website members section message board
• Post Q&A document with information on implementation, tools, etc
• Post annual ICD-10 CM code changes as they pertain to birth defect coding
Message Boards

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Things to Think About

• What issues is your program facing?
• What kind of support does your program need to successfully implement this change?
• What tools does your program need to go forward?
• What mapping tools are needed?
• What are things NBDPN can do?
• What can you do to help?
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