

SSIS Fiscal Flyer

Issue 65

Social Services Information System

October 15, 2008

SSIS updated ICD-9-CM Diagnosis Codes

SSIS updated the ICD-9-CM Diagnosis Code table in Version 5.1 on a statewide basis, based on code modifications made by MMIS. The update took place on September 19; the diagnosis code changes became effective on October 1, 2008.

Changes include:

- ◆ New codes have been added.
- ◆ Some codes were no longer effective after 09/30/2008.
- ◆ Code descriptions have been updated.
- ◆ Some diagnosis codes that are still valid may no longer be specific enough to be used for claiming. Claims for clients whose diagnosis codes are no longer specific enough to be used for claiming display proofing errors.

Save the Date...

Mentor Meetings are December 9

The next Fiscal and Worker Mentor Meetings are both on Tuesday, December 9 at the Holiday Inn, St. Cloud.

Worker Meeting

8:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Fiscal Meeting

12:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Recently Asked Questions (RAQ)

I don't seem to be able to use copy and paste in the Comments Tab or anywhere the SSIS Editor symbol does not display.

SSIS does support copy and paste throughout the application. Copy and Paste icons are not available on the menu bar. The functionality is available by highlighting the text or numbers in the field and either using the keyboard shortcuts (Ctrl+C for copy and Ctrl+V for paste) or by right-clicking on the field.

When copy or paste is used from some screens with multiple levels (for example, search screens or batch screens where the record displays under a grid in preview), it can take nine seconds to respond, so it may look like the copy and paste function is not working.

Please report to the Help Line if you are not able to copy and paste using keyboard shortcuts or from the right-click menu.

What is included in the SEAGR Annual Report?

The report is called SEAGR YTD Report in SSIS and is available under Tools/General Reports/State Reporting. The report includes all *submitted* SEAGR reports for the calendar year (including submitted revisions) selected on the report set-up screen. If the SEAGR report status is Draft or Finalized, it is not included in the SEAGR YTD Report.

SSIS Upcoming Release Schedule (DRAFT: October 2008)

October 2008	December 2008	April 2009	June 2009
<p><u>5.2 Pilot:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Claims Void/ Resubmission ◆ Charting and Analysis Updates 	<p><u>5.2 Statewide Release:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Claims Void/ Resubmission ◆ Charting and Analysis Updates 	<p><u>5.5 Pilot:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Architecture Release ◆ MMIS Eligibility Interface Redesign – Package Release 	<p><u>5.5 Statewide Release:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Architecture Release

New Fiscal Advisory Group meets

A newly-organized Fiscal Advisory Group met for the first time on September 23. County representatives will partner with SSIS Fiscal staff to gather county input for the next stage of SSIS and to assist in prioritization of enhancements to Fiscal. They'll seek to answer the question of *Where do counties see their biggest needs and how they can be addressed?*

The Fiscal Mentor Meeting is a good platform to explain upcoming changes and provide technical assistance on how best to use the application. But this group is too large for detailed discussion of enhancements and major additions to the system. The smaller advisory group is better suited for making recommendations.

The eleven members are from large, medium and small counties, have representative systems (former CSIS, IFS, Non-IFS county accounting system, custom social service information systems for non-child welfare areas), and use SSIS Fiscal features regularly. Each member made a time commitment and a promise to represent all counties in the region.

Advisory Group county representatives are:

Kathy Ryan, Aitkin County
Chris Ziegler, Faribault/Martin
Bao Vang, Hennepin County
Sheila Ellingboe, Kandiyohi County
Ed Emerick, Olmsted County
Shannon Bode, Pope County
Janelle White, Ramsey County
Gwynne Roadfeldt, Roseau County
Janet Nilsen, St. Louis County
Dona Pederson, Stearns County
Michelle Kemper, Washington County

The first meeting covered a lot of material and laid groundwork for the next meeting on November 19. This group is very committed to representing counties' needs and viewpoints. Meeting notes, member contact information and the Group Charter will soon be available on CountyLink.

CountyLink Updates _____

- ◆ Worker Mentor Meeting handouts, 9/23/08
- ◆ Regional AMSSA Meeting handouts:
 - ◇ Updates for Meeting
 - ◇ Void and Resubmit
 - ◇ Fiscal Advisory Group Charter (draft)
 - ◇ V5.1 Release Notes
- ◆ Software Spec Updates:
 - ◇ Health Care Claiming-Design
 - ◇ Health Care Claiming-Requirements
 - ◇ Health Care Claiming-Appendices
 - ◇ Service Arrangement-Design
 - ◇ SEAGR
 - ◇ Payments Design