



3M™ ICD-10 Code Translation Tool

- Provides a powerful translation solution for maximizing an organization's effectiveness in transitioning to ICD-10
- Automates much of the ICD-10 translation, substantially reducing costs and saving time
- Includes optional consulting services that provide ICD-10 industry expertise to identify and address key revenue and operational impact areas

The 3M advantage

With the 3M ICD-10 Code Translation Tool (CTT), you can leverage more than a decade of ICD-10 expertise and take advantage of powerful productivity features that save time and cost. Features such as *code extraction*, *word search*, and *code search* can help streamline code queries, and the *code analyzer* allows you to complete your translation.

Using 3M ICD-10 CTT, hospital subject matter experts can address complex coding decisions and resolve issues unique to their organization.

The challenge: Teach your information systems a new language

Over the years ICD-9 codes have been embedded in internal processes, forms, applications and systems across your healthcare organization. As you consider all of your departments, you must identify every ICD-9 code currently in use and what those codes are used for. These codes exist in various places: payer contracts, homegrown applications, physician documentation, coding policy documents, software and reporting systems, paper documents, training, super bills, clinical pathways, and even software pick lists.

Bottom line: Thousands of health plans, hospitals, outpatient facilities, government entities, payers, health information exchanges, and health information system vendors need to integrate the language of ICD-10 into their existing information systems. Transitioning from ICD-9 to ICD-10 requires a powerful tool to streamline the translation work.

The 3M solution: Software, experience, expertise

The 3M ICD-10 Code Translation Tool (CTT) is a conversion and translation application based on the complete contents of the public domain General Equivalence Mappings (GEMs). The tool can be used to translate lists of codes, look up codes, or create mappings built to meet the specific needs of your organization. 3M ICD-10 CTT is a software-as-a-service (SaaS) solution that can be accessed over the Internet by any licensed user. Key features include:

- Wizard-based interface guides users through the translation process
- Built-in index, tabular, and reference data at the code level
- Translation from ICD-9 to ICD-10 and ICD-10 to ICD-9
- Automated code extraction from text or spreadsheet files
- Integrated sharing and workflow tools
- 3M-proprietary code analyzer
- ICD-10 financial impact analysis module



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About the analyzer

3M ICD-10 CTT's proprietary analyzer leverages over 30 years of 3M coding experience. It reviews the clinical information related to the ICD-9 and ICD-10 codes in your translation project and recommends additional codes that a straight translation does not provide. With 140,000 ICD-10 codes, this feature is invaluable in helping you quickly find what you need.

Financial impact

The 3M ICD-10 CTT includes an ICD-10 financial impact analysis module you can use to assess the reimbursement-related impact of ICD-10 on your organization. This module takes ICD-9 claims along with your base reimbursement rate as input and generates a report showing what your expected reimbursement would be if the same DRGs were derived from ICD-10 codes. The report includes:

- Overall reimbursement impact
- Impact by department
- Impact for each DRG

The report identifies which DRGs will change and which will remain the same and also shows the overall reimbursement impact—positive or negative—by department for each DRG.

This powerful tool allows executives and departments to proactively manage their organization's ICD-10 transition, develop action plans, map projected receivables, review contracts and initiate documentation improvement and training programs. It can even help a hospital turn the ICD-10 transition into a strategic advantage by eliminating potential risks and oversights.

3M™ ICD-10 Modeling and Code Translation Services

If your organization requires additional support with the transition from ICD-9 to ICD-10, 3M offers a complete set of focused consulting services. 3M can help simplify the complex task of modeling and translating ICD-9 codes to ICD-10 in your health information systems. Using 3M ICD-10 CTT, 3M consultants:

- Assist your team in identifying and preparing ICD-9-based systems for the transition to ICD-10
- Provide the ICD-10 expertise and clinical knowledge your team needs to make complex code translation decisions
- Model and configure embedded ICD-9 codes to support accurate code translation
- Help your IT team export translated ICD-10 codes to your health information systems

How 3M became the ICD-10 leader

Internationally, 3M has worked with numerous clients in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, the United Kingdom, Germany and other countries during their ICD-10 transitions. All of these accomplishments have given 3M years of practical experience and the reputation as a prominent leader in the field of ICD-10 classification.

Under contract with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), 3M designed and developed the ICD-10 Procedure Coding System (ICD-10 PCS) and the GEMs. 3M also recently completed the initial conversion of the CMS MS-DRGs to ICD-10.

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