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This Bulletin is to notify providers of changes to the allowable ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes for dates of services on or after October 1, 2016 based on the new 2017 ICD-10-CM codes provided by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). Allowable ICD-10-CM codes are diagnosis codes which will be accepted on a claim to Los Angeles County, Department of Mental Health and may be selected as a primary or secondary diagnosis within the Integrated System (IS) and Integrated Behavioral Health Information System (IBHIS).

Effective October 1, 2016, in response to the new 2017 ICD-10-CM codes provided by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the following ICD-10-CM diagnoses have been <u>deactivated</u> in the Integrated System (IS) and Integrated Behavioral Health Information System (IBHIS):

- 1. F32.8 Other Depressive Episodes
- 2. F34.8 Other persistent mood {affective} disorders
- 3. F42 Obsessive-compulsive disorder
- 4. F50.8 Other eating disorders

The deactivation of the above listed four ICD-10-CM codes means that these codes are not available for use when submitting claims associated with services provided on or after October 1, 2016.

Note: There are *new* allowable 2017 ICD-10-CM codes provided by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). However, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health has not received direction from the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) that identifies which of the new allowable ICD-10-CM codes will be considered *included* for the purpose of supporting Medical Necessity Criteria for Specialty Mental Health Services and thus allowable for Medi-Cal reimbursement.

Once direction has been received from DHCS, a subsequent Provider Bulletin will be disseminated with this information.

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