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Dear Client:

This is the MS-DRG v42.1 software and documentation. This is notification of the final, general release of the products listed below for implementation on April 1, 2025, which is being provided today by electronic delivery.

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4. Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related Groups v42.1 I-10 standalone JAR file documentation
5. Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related Groups v42.1 I-10 Definitions Manual (HTML and text)
6. Medicare Code Editor v42.1 I-10 z/OS ***(Java)*** Batch Mainframe Software
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9. Medicare Code Editor v42.1 I-10 standalone JAR file documentation
10. Medicare Code Editor v42.1 I-10 Definitions of Medicare Code Edits Manual
11. Medicare Severity Grouper with Medicare Code Editor v42.1 I-10 PC software
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