Version 5010/ICD-10 Industry Readiness Assessment

Appendix C: Drafts of Initial and Follow-up Respondent Letters

Initial and Follow-up E-mail

Subject: New i-Say Survey (^PID^)



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Dear ^MFN1^,

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Emily Martin

Director of Research

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If you require any help with this survey, please quote survey number: ^PID^

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Body Plain text:

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Mailing

[Date]

<NAME>
Address 1
Address 2
City, ST ZIP
[INSERT BAR CODE]

RE: Healthcare Administrators Study

<NAME>:

e-Rewards® Medical Market Research, a leading provider of market research services to the professional healthcare community, would like to invite you to participate in the following market research study.

Topic: Healthcare Administrators Study

Length of Survey: YY Minutes

Complete By: X/XX/2011

To access the survey, please enter the entire Web address below into your Web browser address bar. When prompted, please enter your PIN and Invitation Code

Web Address: http://www.e-rewardsmedical.com/survey.do

PIN: ABC123

Invite Code: U3001000C

We encourage you to respond quickly, as this invitation will be available only until a predetermined number of responses have been received. If you are interrupted before you are able to complete the full survey, you may resume the survey by returning to the Web address above and entering your PIN when prompted. This PIN may only be used for this survey.

Sincerely,

Linda Roberts

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