Home Health Coding Certificate Course

Prerequisites: Completion of a professional coding course, or 1 year of Professional Fee coding experience recommended.

Clock Hours: 8 hours

Approved CEUs: Approved for 8 CEUs upon successful completion towards CPC, CPC-P, CPB, CPMA, CPPM, and Specialty Credentials except CIRCC (one-time use only).

Training Availability: Access available for one (1) year from purchase date.

Training Description:

This online course is designed for coding professionals working in, or interested in the Home Health coding specialty. Students will learn about the Patient Driven Groupings Model(PDGM) including clinical episode management, OASIS, and ICD-10-CM coding for home health.

Training Objectives:

1. Learn billing and regulatory concepts relevant to home health.
2. Review ICD-10-CM guidelines and common diagnoses for home health.
3. Explore the PDGM and its impact on coding and OASIS.

Training Content:

1. Reading Assignment covering the PDGM, ICD-10-CM coding, OASIS, and their regulatory impact on operations and reimbursement in home health.
2. Home Health Final Assessment

Methods of Evaluation:

The instructional methods used are PDF reading material and online assessment. To receive a CEU certificate of credit, AAPC certified members must successfully complete the training within the allotted time frame of one year or less with a score of 70% or higher on all module review tests.

Required Code Books (Not Included):

1. CPT® Professional Edition (current year), AMA publisher
2. ICD-10-CM (current year), any publisher

Required code books may be purchased through AAPC (http://www.aapc.com/medical-coding-books/index.aspx), or through any major bookseller.

Computer Requirements: High-speed Internet connection with Adobe Acrobat Reader