

The Art of ICD-9 Coding for Home Health

Intermediate Level: "Creating a Diagnosis Masterpiece"

Presented By:



OASISanswers

(6.5 hour workshop)

An Intermediate Level Diagnostic Coding Workshop for Home Health Clinicians & Coders

ICD-9
coding
training

Outline:

- Impact of the PPS & OASIS-C Changes on ICD-9 Coding
- The Continuing Saga of V Codes Used in Home Health
- Review of General Coding Guidelines
- Utilizing Chapter-Specific Guidelines to Accurately Code & Sequence Common Home Health Scenarios
- 2011 Coding Changes

Objectives – Learn How To:

- Identify Approved V Codes, Case Mix Diagnoses & When to Complete M1024
- Increase the Accuracy of V Codes Choices
- Apply General & Chapter-Specific Guidelines to Improve Coding Accuracy
- Sequence & Code Common Home Health Case Scenarios
- Integrate 2011 Coding Changes into Your Coding Practice

This class continues the quest for coding accuracy with a review of general coding guidelines and a closer look at chapter-specific coding guidelines. The latest guidance from CMS related to the completion of M1024 and other diagnostic criteria for the completion of OASIS-C will be discussed. Completion of coding exercises as well as analysis and comparison of these common home health scenarios facilitate the integration of these more complex coding concepts.

Workshop includes relevant CMS guidance from OASIS-C Guidance Manual Chapter 3 & Appendix D

Bring your current ICD-9-CM Coding Manual to the workshop... **And be prepared to learn concepts and strategies that will teach you how to paint your diagnoses by number!**

Home Health Coding Manuals available for order from OASIS Answers. Visit www.oasisanswers.com



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Thursday,
September 16, 2010
8:00am – 4:00pm

HCS-D Exam:
Friday,
September 17, 2010
(Separate Registration
Required)

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Registration for the HCS-D Exam must be made through the Board of Medical Specialty Coding at www.medicalspecialtycoding.com or you can download the exam application on the HCA event web page, www.thinkhomecare.org.

Workshop Facilitator:



Sparkle Sparks, PT MPT COS-C

Sparkle has been in home care since 1994 as direct care provider, staff educator, PPS analyst, OASIS & ICD-9 coding instructor and consultant. She draws from this extensive background to provide practical education that is both fun & effective. Sparkle is nationally known for her humorous approach and ability to explain difficult topics in terms that everyone in home care can understand. She has served as an advisor to and member of the Board of Specialty Medical Coding. Sparkle is also the 2007 recipient of the APTA's "Excellence in Homecare Award" and is a Senior Associate Consultant with OASIS Answers, Inc.

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