



Program Descriptions CE Credits: Program = 5.0 | Exhibits = 1.0

I. CODING

8:00 am – 9:00 am

**Registration/Continental Breakfast in EXHIBIT HALL**

9:00 am – 10:00 am

**Major Differences Between ICD-10-CM and ICD-9-CM Coding Guidelines**

**Allison Schlonsky, MS, CCS**

*Coding Specialist & AHIMA-Approved ICD-10-CM/PCS Trainer, Mount Carmel Health System*

Several of the 21 chapters of ICD-10-CM contain coding guidelines that are much different from those of ICD-9-CM. Without proper knowledge of these new guidelines, a coder's final DRG assignment is in jeopardy due to improper sequencing and/or code selection. In this presentation, we will go chapter by chapter and delve into the major differences to keep in mind as you begin using ICD-10-CM next year.

10:00 am – 10:30 am

**Break & Raffle in EXHIBIT HALL**

10:30 am – 11:30 am

**ICD-10 Mapping Case Study: The Utility of GEMS**

**Anne Casto, RHIA, CCS**

*President, Casto Consulting, LLC  
AHIMA-Approved ICD-10-CM/PCS Trainer*

**Susan White, Ph.D., CHDA**

*Clinical Associate Professor, School of Allied Medicine, The Ohio State University*

**Melanie Brodник, Ph.D., RHIA**

*Director and Associate Professor, School of Allied Medicine, The Ohio State University*

The General Equivalence Mappings or GEMs are designed to assist the mapping between the ICD-9 and ICD-10 coding systems. In this presentation, we will describe the use of GEMs in transitioning the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Clinical Classification Software (CCS) from the current ICD-9 to ICD-10 based definitions. The CCS is a diagnosis and procedure classification system that is used

by researchers to profile healthcare services. This project design included using GEMs as a starting point for the translation. This presentation will include a review of the project plan as well as lessons learned when applying the GEMs mappings during the project.

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

**Lunch & Raffle in EXHIBIT HALL**

Enjoy lunch while browsing through the wide variety of exhibits.

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1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Peripheral Procedures in the Cardiac Cath Lab**

**David Zielske, MD, CIRCC, CPC-H, CCC, CCS, RCC**  
*President, ZHealth Publishing*

Dr. Zielske (Dr. Z.), a nationally renowned expert speaker, will discuss in detail typical procedures performed in your cardiac cath lab. His presentation will include percutaneous peripheral and visceral diagnostic & interventional procedures. He will also discuss applicable CPT code changes, review of necessary anatomy, devices, and numerous case examples to enhance your learning.

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

**Back Pain Procedures**

**Joel Siegal, MD**

*Neurosurgeon*

Statistics show that 80% of Americans struggle with back pain – are you one of them? Dr. Siegal will enlighten us on the intricacies of pain management procedures which include injections and a spinal cord stimulator. He will also be addressing surgical interventions for spinal conditions.

4:00 pm

**Program Conclusion/Raffle**

Special Interest  
**GROUUPS**

Choose One Full-Day Session to Attend:

**CODING**

OR

**DIRECTORS DAY**





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II. DIRECTOR'S DAY

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Computer Assisted Coding at OhioHealth

Melissa Rubel, RHIA, PMC

Product Manager, OptumInsight

Diane Setty, RHIA, CPHQ

Corporate Director, Health Information OhioHealth

OhioHealth installed computer-assisted coding (CAC) solutions for diagnostic, emergency and inpatient coding in five of their eight hospitals. In a matter of months, these solutions helped OhioHealth improve their average coder productivity in diagnostics by 114 percent, in ED by 101 percent, and in inpatient by 17 percent.

As hospitals prepare for ICD-10, CAC is a viable solution for improving coder productivity, coding accuracy and revenue capture. This presentation will review how OhioHealth chose and implemented their CAC solution, as well as provide practical thoughts, real-life examples, and up-to-date results.

10:00 am – 10:30 am

Break & Raffle Drawing in EXHIBIT HALL

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Advanced HIPAA Compliance: Privacy and Security Case Studies

Allen Killworth, JD

Partner, Bricker & Eckler, LLP

This session will use case studies and hypotheticals to explore HIPAA privacy and security compliance issues. Mr. Killworth will discuss areas of high risk for covered entities and learn how to analyze whether a HIPAA violation exists, how to respond, and how to prevent it in the first place. With pervasive news of substantial HIPAA enforcement penalties and with HIPAA audits on the way, this session will help covered entities proactively deal with common high risk HIPAA issues.

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Best Practices for Managing Remote Staff

Mary H. Stanfill, MBI, RHIA, CCS, CCS-P FAHIMA

Vice President, HIM Consulting Services United Audit Systems, Inc.

HIM functions are now more commonly conducted by staff working remotely. However, managers in this environment face unique challenges. This session will provide best practices for successfully managing remote staff, important for anyone considering remote staffing or have already implemented this in your department. Learn how to recognize the benefits and risks of remote staffing; apply best practices to successfully manage remote staff; and manage a combination of remote and on-site staff in a fair and consistent manner.

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Data Breach Response & Remediation — All Breaches are Not Created Equal

Nicholas Cramer

Director of Data Breach Response, Debix

A privacy professional once said, "All breaches are not created equal." It merely takes involvement in that second breach to appreciate this truth. This session will look at considerations in responding to data breaches of all sizes. Whether you're considering in-house or vendor response, we'll address "lessons learned" in responding to over 800 breaches including the four largest PHI breaches since HITECH.

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Advocacy & Engaging Locally

Don Asmonga, MBA, CAE

Director of Government Relations, AHIMA

Mr. Asmonga will share his extensive knowledge regarding advocacy issues. He will discuss its basic elements and what our association and you as members can do to effectively engage policy makers at the local level.

4:00 pm

Program Conclusion

CE Credits



The American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA) approves all sessions for continuing education credits. As a state branch of AHIMA, all sessions are also approved for continuing education by The American Academy of Professional Coders (AAPC).

Monday: 5.0 = Program

Tuesday: 5.0 = Program 1.0 = Exhibits\*

Wednesday: 5.0 = Program 1.0 = Exhibits\*

\* A total of one CE credit may be earned for this meeting by visiting the Exhibits for a minimum of one hour.

Exhibit Hours



Tuesday: 8:00 am – 9:30 am 11:30 am – 5:30 pm

Wednesday: 8:00 am – 1:00 pm