CODING

The following online courses prepare students for the AAPC National Coding Certification:

Course order:
1. Medical Terminology - Cost $249 (CEU 39G) and Advanced Anatomy & Physiology for Coders - Cost $249 (CEU 3073) Both must be taken prior to beginning Medical Coding A.
2. AAPC Medical Coding A - Cost $1595 (CEU 3368)
3. AAPC Medical Coding B - Cost $1595 (CEU 3369)

Course Descriptions

- Medical Terminology (CEU (39G) builds understanding of word parts and origins, forming medical terms, and gaining skill and comprehension in analyzing medical reports for coding and billing. This is a required prerequisite for Medical Coding training.

- Advanced Anatomy & Physiology for Coders (CEU 3073) focus systems are nervous, musculoskeletal, circulatory, lymphatic, gastrointestinal and ENT with some additional body systems. This is a required prerequisite for Medical Coding training.

- AAPC Medical Coding A (CEU 3368) precedes Medical Coding B and covers training for coding ICD-9 & ICD-10 CM; HCPC; Evaluation & Management; Office Procedures using AAPC curriculum. This course uses live, on line lectures; students will have course assignment work with mock exams based on the CPC certification exam. **NOTE:** this class alone will not provide enough material to pass the CPT Certification Exam. Students also need CEU 3369.

- AAPC Medical Coding B (CEU 3369) covers training for coding Anesthesia, Surgery, Radiology and Pathology services using AAPC Curriculum. This course uses live, on line lectures; students will have course assignment work with mock exams based on the CPC certification exam.

Medical Terminology and Advanced Anatomy & Physiology for Coders are required of all students. Individuals who have coding experience and want to sit for the national AAPC certification exam are encouraged to take Medical Coding B.

All courses are delivered in a live online, real time lecture model for instructor-student interaction, along with office hours for additional support. Medical Terminology is predominantly a self-study model with instructor feedback and coaching during office hours.