

Medical Billing And Coding Certification

Packed with test-taking tips and techniques, the OFFICIAL CPC CERTIFICATION STUDY GUIDE delivers a current and comprehensive review that helps you maximize your success on the AAPC CPC Certification Exam. The guide begins with a complete summary of the business of medicine, giving you a solid understanding of the medical office and the role of the coder. It covers ICD-9-CM guidelines using real-life examples. Each body system is reviewed, including coverage of anatomy, related diagnosis coding, CPT coding, HCPCS Level II coding, and modifiers. End-of-chapter questions are modeled after those on the actual certification exam, while operative notes give you hands-on experience coding what you have learned. Additional testing techniques and an end-of-guide practice exam lets you put your skills to the test. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

Medical Coding Certification Exam Preparation is the resource your students need to prepare for the CPC and other coding certification exams. It provides a comprehensive review of topics students need to know for these exams, including coverage of anatomy, medical terminology, pathophysiology, as well as concepts, guidelines, and rules of medical coding. Authors Cynthia Stewart and Cynthia Ward bring a fresh approach to exam prep based on their teaching experience and helping students prepare for certification exams. They provide the necessary tools to understand how to break each case down and translate services, procedures, and diagnoses into the most appropriate codes for reimbursement.

Introduction to Human Disease: Pathophysiology for Health Professionals, Sixth Edition provides a broad overview of the most common and important human diseases for students pursuing careers in the health professions. Comprehensive yet accessible, it addresses the aspects of disease epidemiology, diagnosis, and treatment that are essential to clinical practice. The Sixth Edition of this popular text has been thoroughly updated to cover the latest advances in medical knowledge and practice, especially with regard to mental health and nutritional disorders. It also includes additional clinical information on treatments for diseases. Designed to facilitate learning, this essential reference features new full-color photos and illustrations, learning objectives, and practice questions for review and assessment. Introduction to Human Disease: Pathophysiology for Health Professions, Sixth Edition will help students gain a solid foundation in disease pathology and medical terminology to help them throughout their medical education. KEY FEATURES Provides a comprehensive introduction to the essential aspects of human disease Covers the most common and important human diseases, including mental illnesses Facilitates learning with chapter objectives, key terms, and practice questions Includes more than 400 full-color illustrations, photos, and tables NEW TO THE SIXTH EDITION New photos and illustrations New and updated resources for instructors and students Updated content reflects the current state of medical knowledge and practice More clinical information, including general and specific treatments for diseases with an emphasize on common laboratory tests Chapter 26: Infectious Diseases and Chapter 27: Immunologic Diseases are revised and now included in Section 4: Multiple Organ System Diseases Chapters 24: Mental Illness and 30: Nutritional Disorders are revised, to bring them up-to-date with current health problems (e.g. obesity), concepts, and terminologies" Completely updated to reflect the massive changes to healthcare law! Medical Billing and Coding Demystified clearly explains the practices used by medical offices, hospitals, and healthcare facilities to encode medical services in order to receive payment from government agencies and insurance companies. Like other entries in this bestselling series, this self-teaching guide uses a building-block approach that allows readers to learn at their own pace and test themselves along the way. No previous medical or accounting training or experience is necessary to benefit from Medical Billing and Coding Demystified, and the book can be used as a classroom textbook or as a complement to larger texts. This new edition offers detailed coverage of the sweeping revisions that have taken place in healthcare law, including the transition from ICD9 to ICD10 coding and the Patient Protection and Affordable Healthcare Acts. It also includes an important overview of medical billing software. Includes valuable learning aids such as end-of-chapter quizzes, a final exam, and key points Different from similar books on the market in that it explains basic medical concepts enabling the reader to actually understand the procedures and tests they are billing and coding for

Your complete guide to a career in medical billing and coding, updated with the latest changes in the ICD-10 and PPS This fully updated second edition of Medical Billing & Coding For Dummies provides readers with a complete overview of what to expect and how to succeed in a career in medical billing and coding. With healthcare providers moving more rapidly to electronic record systems, data accuracy and efficient data processing is more important than ever. Medical Billing & Coding For Dummies gives you everything you need to know to get started in medical billing and coding. This updated resource includes details on the most current industry changes in ICD-10 (10th revision of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems) and PPS (Prospective Payment Systems), expanded coverage on the differences between EHRs and MHRs, the latest certification requirements and standard industry practices, and updated tips and advice for dealing with government agencies and insurance companies. Prepare for a successful career in medical billing and coding Get the latest updates on changes in the ICD-10 and PPS Understand how the industry is changing and learn how to stay ahead of the curve Learn about flexible employment options in this rapidly growing industry Medical Billing & Coding For Dummies, 2nd Edition provides aspiring professionals with detailed information and advice on what to expect in a billing and coding career, ways to find a training program, certification options, and ways to stay competitive in the field.

The Medical Records Specialist Passbook(R) prepares you for your test by allowing you to take practice exams in the subjects you need to study. It provides hundreds of questions and answers in the areas that will likely be covered on your upcoming exam, including but not limited to: abstracting information from medical records; distinguishing between

primary and differential diagnoses; assigning codes; medical terminology; completing forms; and more.

Clueless? Feel Like a Dummy? Get Demystified! This handy resource clearly explains the principles and practices used by medical offices, hospitals, and health facilities to encode medical services in order to receive payment from government agencies and insurance companies.

Medical Insurance is designed around the revenue cycle with each part of the book dedicated to a section of the cycle followed by case studies to apply the skills discussed in each section. The revenue cycle now follows the overall medical documentation and revenue cycle used in practice management/electronic health records environments and applications. Because of the mandate to the healthcare industry to adopt ICD-10-CM/PCS on October 1, 2015, you must work to gain expertise using this coding system. For this reason, ICD-10 is the diagnostic coding system taught and exemplified in Medical Insurance: A Revenue Cycle Process Approach.

CPT(R) 2019 Professional Edition is the definitive AMA-authored resource to help health care professionals correctly report and bill medical procedures and services.

"This book covers state-of-the-art applications in many areas of medicine and healthcare"--Provided by publisher.

AAPC's CPB™ Certification Study guide is specifically designed to help individuals prepare for the CPB™ exam. The CPB™ study guide contains fourteen chapters to review each section of the CPB™ exam in detail and provides practical examples, sample questions, and test taking techniques. Topics include healthcare regulations pertinent to medical billing; insurance modules and consumer driven health plans; the patient registration process and data capture; the basics of ICD-10-CM, CPT®, and HCPCS coding; medical necessity; medical claim forms and the billing process; accounts receivable and the collection process; and detail on government carriers, common commercial carriers, and workers' compensation. If you have billing experience or have successfully completed medical billing training, this study guide will optimize exam preparation. The study guide is not an introduction to billing but a review of billing concepts. Key Features: - Practical Examples - Testing Techniques for CPB™ exam - Questions designed to mimic the CPB™ certification exam - Each chapter includes ten review questions geared to test important concepts - Study guide written by same task force who wrote the CPB™ exam - 50 question practice test, including cases, with answers and rationales AAPC's CPB™ Online Practice Exams are highly recommended to supplement this study guide. These online practice exams will add an additional 150 questions to your preparation.

Packed with test-taking tips and techniques, the 2014 CPC CERTIFICATION STUDY GUIDE delivers a current and comprehensive review that is the ideal prep for the AAPC CPC Certification Exam. The guide begins with a complete summary of the business of medicine, ensuring a solid understanding of the medical office and the role of the coder. It covers ICD-9-CM guidelines using real-life examples. Each body system is reviewed, including coverage of the anatomy, related diagnosis coding, CPT coding, HCPCS Level II coding, and modifiers. End-of-chapter questions are modeled after those on the actual certification exam, and operative notes give readers further hands-on experience coding what they have learned. An end-of-guide practice exam gives readers additional practice putting their skills to the test.

Accurate coding takes time, and time is the one thing you don't have enough of. But we're here to change that. With the Coders' Specialty Guide 2021: Neurology/ Neurosurgery, your indispensable resource for streamlining neurology procedures coding—you can outpace the clock and get out from under the paperwork. Fast and accurate coding is as simple as referring to a single page. The one code, one page design of the Coders' Specialty Guide 2021: Neurology/ Neurosurgery puts all the supporting info you need at your fingertips—code descriptors and lay terms, ICD-10 cross references, CCI edits, Medicare reimbursement rates, anatomical illustrations, and revenue-saving coding, billing, and reimbursement tips. Get fast and equitable reimbursement with at-a-glance access to: Neurology and neurosurgery CPT® codes, including 2021 codes How-to advice for new and revised codes Official descriptors for codes (Categories I-III) Straightforward lay term descriptions of how neurology providers perform procedures Expert billing tips to positively impact your bottom-line Medicare reimbursement for each code with facility and non-facility RVUs CCI edits to quickly identify bundled codes Essential coding indicators and appendix of terminology with definitions HCPCS codes for neurology – plus lay terms and revenue-enhancing tips Index of all codes with page numbers that simplify code searches Dictionary-style headers for quick navigation Illustrations with codes for each image to help you choose the code And much more!

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UNIQUE! Six full practice exams on Evolve simulate the experience of taking actual coding certification exams, allowing students to assess their strengths and weaknesses in order to develop a plan for focused study. Answers and rationales to questions on the practice exams let students check their work. Concise outline format helps students access key information quickly and study more efficiently. Extra instructor-led quizzes provide 600 questions to utilize for additional assessment. Mobile-optimized quick quizzes offer on-the-go practice with more than 350 medical terminology, pathophysiology, CPT, HCPCS, and ICD-10-CM questions. "Real-life" coding reports (cleared of any confidential information) simulate the reports that students will encounter on the job and help them apply key coding principles to actual cases. Test-taking tips in the Success Strategies section guide students step-by-step through the entire exam process.

This complete self-study course on coding combines content, practice, and self-assessment into one online learning tool that the learner can follow at his or her own pace. The online program assumes the role of instructor, guiding individuals through the material and directing them when to read relevant sections from the text, checking their comprehension along the way, and providing feedback and encouragement. Users follow the program and learn at their own pace, working through chapter "lesson lectures" and reading assigned sections of the text as they progress. Interactive exercises, questions, and activities allow users to check their comprehension and learn from immediate feedback. Illustrations clarify concepts and familiarize students with the clinical procedures they are learning to code. Chapter exams are scored and incorporated in a grade book, which users can view to evaluate their progress. A series of approximately 18 SlideShows with audio narration explain and demonstrate clinical procedures. Hypertext links incorporated into the lesson lectures open pop-up boxes with further explanations and/or definitions of concepts and terms. Links to relevant web sites provide additional resources to enhance learning or stimulate discussion within a cohort group. An extensive glossary of approximately 650 terms provides correct definition for key terms throughout the course. All content has been updated to current industry standards; for use with Step-by-Step Medical Coding, 5th Edition ensuring that students learn from the most up-to-date material available. Each online chapter includes engaging "lesson lectures" by the author, guiding the learner through the online and text content. Interspersed self-comprehension questions, learning activities, and lesson quizzes throughout the online content allow learners to check their comprehension and learn from feedback. End-of-chapter review and self-assessment exercises include a specially created case-based coding activity, as well as matching, fill-in-the-blank, and multiple choice. Answers to the textbook exercises allow students to check their work on the exercises printed in the text against the answers posted within

the course.

2021 Official HCPCS Level II Expert Code Book An essential key to quality measures, durable medical goods, injectable drugs, outpatient surgery, Medicaid, Blue Cross/Blue Shield, and many other codes. Complete with supplementary information for each code, it's designed for clinical coders as both an easy-to-use office guide and the preferred choice to prepare for all AAPC certification exams. AAPC's difference means these features: **HCC Reporting Guide** Receive expert advice regarding HCC reporting in 2021 **Tags** - Simply flip to the chapter you need, saving you time during your exam or in the office **Comprehensive 2021 Code Updates** - Stay up to date. AAPC code books will notify you about new, deleted, and changed codes **Modifiers** More **Brand Name Drugs in Table of Drugs** - Pairing drugs with codes can be difficult. Simplify the process with easy to understand tables and tips. **Modifiers Easier to Find and Use** - Modifiers are easy to use and handy to find with a front cover fold-out flap that contain the modifier information you need to code accurately **Additional Information for Each Chapter** - Included information will help you meet your quota or pass your exam **APC Status Indicators and ASC Designation Symbols** - Find the codes payable through OPPS, and we'll help you do it accurately **DMEPOS Icon** - AAPC books make billing DME easier with supplemental information. **In-depth Illustrations** - View the various items associated with codes, along with anatomical illustrations. **AHA Coding Clinic for HCPCS References** - AHA Coding Clinic® not only helps you report supplies and services accurately; it helps you stand up to challenges **User-friendly Appendixes** - Appendixes have the extra information you want, including the relevant parts of Medicare's Pub 100 **Color-coded Bars and Icons** - Ask around, no HCPCS Level II books are as color-coded and easy to use as this. With Pub. 100 references, age and sex edits, quantity alerts, new/deleted/revised code changes, and government coverage and rules for each code, the 2021 Official HCPCS Level II Expert Code Book is an essential key.

ICD-10-PCS Official Guidelines for Coding and Reporting (OGCR) provide easier reference to coding rules when they are needed most. **Convenient Guide to the 2021 Updates** in the front of the book lists all new, revised, and deleted codes, providing at-a-glance lookup of the coding changes. **Unique! Full-color anatomy plates** (including Netter's Anatomy art) are included in the front of the book to help you understand complex anatomic information and how it may affect choosing codes. **American Hospital Association's Coding Clinic®** citations include official ICD-10-PCS coding advice relating to specific codes and their usage. **Hospital Acquired Condition (HAC) symbol** notes procedures related to HACs as outlined in the MS-DRG. **Symbols for Non-Covered and Limited-Coverage Procedures** indicate related material outlined in the Definitions of Medicare Code Edits. **Sex edits** from the Definition of Medicare Code Edits denote codes that are used only with patients of a specific sex. **Non-Operating Room Procedure symbols** identify procedures that do and do not affect MS-DRG assignment. **Combinations symbol** identifies procedures that can affect MS-DRG assignment. **Online Appendix: Procedure Combination Table** displays each procedure cluster and the corresponding DRG, as well as a few procedure combinations that are designated as non-OR. **Individuals who are preparing to take medical coding exams** should note that study guides can help them earn the competitive score they want. This is the case for several reasons, including the fact that these study guides tend to incorporate a lot of helpful material, including: **medical and anatomy terminology reviews**, **testing techniques for the exam**, **questions that parallel the CPC certification exam**, **practical examples**, **review questions designed to test the student's knowledge of important coding concepts**, and many more.

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For the adapted edition, spelling follows Australian medical terminology conventions and Australian pronunciations are given. The free CD-ROM includes exercise and audio pronunciations, all of which are with an Australian accent.

The definitive guide to starting a successful career in medical billing and coding With the healthcare sector growing at breakneck speed—it's currently the largest employment sector in the U.S. and expanding fast—medical billing and coding specialists are more essential than ever. These critical experts, also known as medical records and health information technicians, keep systems working smoothly by ensuring patient billing and insurance data are accurately and efficiently administered. This updated edition provides everything you need to begin—and then excel in—your chosen career. From finding the right study course and the latest certification requirements to industry standard practices and insider tips for dealing with government agencies and insurance companies, **Medical Billing & Coding For Dummies** has you completely covered. Find out about the flexible employment options available and how to qualify **Understand the latest updates to the ICD-10** Get familiar with ethical and legal issues **Discover ways to stay competitive and get ahead** The prognosis is good—get this book today and set yourself up with the perfect prescription for a bright, secure, and financially healthy future!

AAPC's **CIC™ Certification Study guide** is specifically designed to help individuals prepare for the **CIC™** exam. Twelve chapters will guide you through a review of anatomy, and terminology, **ICD-10-CM** and **ICD-10-PCS** diagnosis and procedure coding for acute care facilities, outpatient reimbursement concepts, and inpatient reimbursement concepts. This covers all the content sections found on the exam and will also provide you with testing tips for taking the AAPC's **CIC™** exam. The study guide is not an introduction to coding but a review of coding concepts. **Key Features:** - **Anatomy and Medical Terminology Review** - **Practical Examples** - **Testing Techniques for CIC™ exam** - **Questions designed to mimic the CIC™ certification exam** - **Each chapter includes ten review questions geared to test important coding concepts** - **Study guide written by same task force who wrote the CIC™ exam** - **Practice exam including 20 question multiple choice and 5 fill-in-the-blank coding cases with answers and rationales** AAPC's **CIC™ Online Practice Exams** are highly recommended to supplement this study guide.

These online practice exams will add an additional 60 multiple choice questions and 10 fill-in-the-blank coding cases to your preparation. **2021 Procedural Coding Expert** This procedural coding book is designed for a clinical coder's daily work—not the classroom or AAPC's credentialing exams. It contains **AMA's CPT® codes** paired with Medicare fee schedule rules and payment guidelines. For years, physician practices, outpatient hospitals, and ASCs have benefited from this easy-to-navigate resource that arranges codes in a design known to simplify and speed up the process of coding, billing, and reimbursement. You'll find a comprehensive listing of annual code additions, changes, deletions, and reinstatements in the appendix as well as new code icons and notes, reimbursement information, mid-year changes, and whole lot more. **Key Features and Benefits** **Adhesive tabs**- Tab the sections you use most for easy reference **Official 2021 AMA CPT® Codes and Nomenclature** - Find all current CPT® codes and their descriptions in one place **Official Medicare Information**- Medicare national rules conveniently included for accurate coding **Notes to Determine Which Codes Should Be Reported in Conjunction** - Find the codes associated with the one you're reporting **Modifiers at Code Level and Modifier Icons** - Quickly identify the right modifier for the right code **Facility and Non-facility RVUs and Global Follow-up Days**- Accurately report to Medicare with guidance from the Medicare Fee Schedule **Helpful Illustrations**- View color plates at the beginning of the book for anatomical references, plus view detailed illustrations and photographs throughout to help you understand the procedures and body parts in each section **Code-specific Definitions, Rules, and References**- Review comprehensive information to assist with accurate coding and speedy reimbursement **CPT® Assistant Citations**- Locate AMA guidance as published in the **CPT® Assistant** using citations with each referenced code **Extensive User-friendly Index** - Find codes in a flash with the most accurate and expansive index of any CPT® coding resource, with terms listed in a variety of ways **MACRA Icons and Appendix** - Apply the new MACRA rules properly **Medicare Coverage Rules with Icons and Pub. 100 References** - Understand which policies apply to CPT® codes prior to claim submission with icons and references for each rule, plus a copy of the applicable policy in the appendix **Spiral Binding** - Lays flat for easy-to-use coding and durability

Gain the leading edge! **Evaluation and management codes** are among the most widely used and most important codes in professional practice. Yet many students struggle with understanding the codes and how to apply them... not anymore. This easy-to-read text breaks these complex codes into manageable, bite-sized pieces. **Practice questions and real-world case studies** help you apply your knowledge and

approach any coding situation with confidence. Even more online at DavisPlus (davisplus.fadavis.com).

Updated for 2018 ICD-10 guidelines, this 6 page laminated guide covers core essentials of coding clearly and succinctly. Author Shelley C. Safian, PhD, RHIA, CCS-P, COC, CPC-I, AHIMA-approved ICD-10-CM/PCS trainer used her knowledge and experience to provide the largest number of valuable facts you can find in 6 pages, designed so that answers can be found fast with color coded sections, and bulleted lists. A must for students seeking coding certification and a great desktop refresher for professionals. 6-page laminated guide includes: General Coding & Legal Guidelines Coding Tips Conditions & Diagnoses Diagnosis Coding Pathology & Laboratory Reimbursement & Billing Tips Coding Evaluation & Management Services ICD-10 Terms, Notations & Symbols Wounds & Injuries Important Resources Anesthesia, Surgery & Radiology Diagnostic Coding

Theory and practical review questions (located at the end of each chapter) focus on recalling important chapter information and application of codes. A step-by-step approach makes it easier for students to build coding skills and remember the material. Learning objective and glossary review questions reinforce student understanding of key chapter concepts and terms. 30-day trial to TruCode® Encoder Essentials gives students experience with using an encoder (plus access to additional encoder practice exercises on the Evolve website). UNIQUE! "Real-life" coding reports (cleared of any confidential information) simulate the reports students will encounter as coders, and help them apply coding principles to actual cases. Online activities on Evolve provide extra practice with assignments, including coding reports. More than 450 illustrations help in understanding the types of medical conditions and procedures being coded, and include examples taken directly from Elsevier's professional ICD-10 and HCPCS manuals. UNIQUE! Four coding-question variations — covering both single-code questions and multiple-code questions and scenarios — develop students' coding ability and critical thinking skills. UNIQUE! Coders' Index in the back of the book makes it easy to quickly locate specific codes. Official Guidelines for Coding and Reporting boxes show the official guidelines wording for inpatient and outpatient coding alongside in-text explanations. Exercises, Quick Checks, and Toolbox features reinforce coding rules and concepts, and emphasize key information. Valuable tips and advice are offered in features such as From the Trenches, Coding Shots, Stop!, Caution!, Check This Out, and CMS Rules. Sample EHR screenshots (in Appendix D) show examples similar to the electronic health records students will encounter in the workplace.

To find the most current and correct codes, dentists and their dental teams can trust CDT 2021: Current Dental Terminology, developed by the ADA, the official source for CDT codes. 2021 code changes include 28 new codes, 7 revised codes, and 4 deleted codes. CDT 2021 contains new codes for counseling for the control and prevention of adverse oral, behavioral, and systemic health effects associated with high-risk substance use, including vaping; medicament application for the prevention of caries; image captures done through teledentistry by a licensed practitioner to forward to another dentist for interpretation; testing to identify patients who may be infected with SARS-CoV-2 (aka COVID-19). CDT codes are developed by the ADA and are the only HIPAA-recognized code set for dentistry. CDT 2021 codes go into effect on January 1, 2021. -- American Dental Association

AAPC's CRC® Certification Study guide is specifically designed to help individuals prepare for the CRC® exam. The chapters will guide you through a review of ICD-10-CM documentation and coding, risk adjustment models, predictive modeling and quality of care, how risk adjustment relates to medical financial matters, clinical documentation barriers, and frequently coded conditions in risk adjustment models. The study guide covers all the content sections found on the exam and will also provide you with testing tips for taking the AAPC's CRC® exam. The study guide is not an introduction to coding but a review of coding concepts. Key Features: - Practical Examples - Testing Techniques for CRC® exam - Questions designed to mimic the CRC® certification exam - Each chapter includes ten review questions geared to test important coding concepts - 50 Test your Knowledge questions with answers and rationales AAPC's CRC® Online Practice Exams are highly recommended to supplement this study guide. These online practice exams will add an additional 150 questions to your preparation.

Nursing-focused and easy-to-read, this full-color manual delivers all the information you need to understand how tests work, interpret their results, and provide quality patient care—pre-test, intra-test, and post-test.

AAPC's Official CPC® Certification Study guide is specifically designed to help individuals prepare for the CPC® exam. Twenty chapters will guide you through a review of anatomy and terminology, ICD-10, HCPCS, and CPT® coding for each body system, E/M coding, anesthesia, radiology, pathology/laboratory and appropriate use of modifiers. This covers all the content sections found on the exam and will also provide you with testing tips for taking the AAPC's CPC® exam. The study guide is not an introduction to coding but a review of coding concepts. Key Features: - Anatomy and Medical Terminology Review - Practical Examples - Testing Techniques for CPC® exam - Questions designed to mimic the CPC® certification exam - Each chapter includes ten review questions geared to test important coding concepts - Study guide written by same task force who wrote the CPC® exam - 200+ Test your Knowledge questions with answers and rationales

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