

Lakeshore Technical College

10-530-184 CPT Coding

Course Outcome Summary

Course Information

Description Prepares learners to assign CPT codes, supported by medical documentation, with

entry level proficiency. Learners apply CPT instructional notations, conventions, rules, and official coding guidelines when assigning CPT codes to case studies and

actual medical record documentation.

Total Credits 3

Pre/Corequisites

Pre/Corequisite 10-501-101 Medical Terminology

Pre/Corequisite The anatomy and physiology course required by the college

Pre/Corequisite 10-530-182 Human Diseases for the Health Professions

Course Competencies

1. EXAMINE the format and conventions of the HCPCS/CPT coding system

Assessment Strategies

1.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 1.1. response identifies when to use HCPCS/CPT
- 1.2. response identifies official coding publications
- 1.3. response describes the arrangement of the CPT book
- 1.4. response exhibits accurate understanding of symbols, punctuation and instructional notes
- 1.5. response addresses the unlisted procedure concept
- 1.6. response explains the purpose of modifiers
- 1.7. response addresses the separate procedures concept
- 1.8. response addresses the global surgical package concept
- 1.9. response articulates the basic steps in the coding procedure

2. CODE evaluation and management (EM) services

Assessment Strategies

2.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 2.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 2.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 2.3. modifiers are used when appropriate

2.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

CODE services from the medicine section of CPT

Assessment Strategies

3.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 3.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 3.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 3.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 3.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

4. CODE ancillary services

Assessment Strategies

4.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 4.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 4.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 4.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 4.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

5. CODE nervous system, eye, and ear procedures

Assessment Strategies

5.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 5.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 5.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 5.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 5.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

6. CODE digestive, urinary and reproductive procedures

Assessment Strategies

6.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 6.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 6.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 6.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 6.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

7. CODE respiratory and cardiovascular procedures

Assessment Strategies

7.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 7.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 7.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 7.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 7.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

8. CODE musculoskeletal procedures

Assessment Strategies

8.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 8.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 8.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 8.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 8.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

9. CODE integumentary procedures

Assessment Strategies

9.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 9.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 9.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 9.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 9.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

10. CODE anesthesia services

Assessment Strategies

10.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

Your performance will be successful when:

- 10.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 10.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 10.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 10.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines

11. CODE reportable medical products, supplies, and services using HCPCS Level II

Assessment Strategies

11.1. Coding scenario or case study

Criteria

- 11.1. codes are supported by medical documentation
- 11.2. multiple codes are in correct sequence
- 11.3. modifiers are used when appropriate
- 11.4. codes comply with all CPT coding guidelines