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Focus on CPT “Brown-Bag” Webinar Series

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Coding for Infusions/Injections and Chemotherapy

Wednesday, Feb. 18, 2009

Surgery: Integumentary System Coding

Wednesday, March 18, 2009

Surgery: Musculoskeletal System Coding

Tuesday, April 21, 2009

Surgery: Respiratory and Cardiothoracic Coding

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Surgery: Digestive System Coding

Wednesday, June 17, 2009

Surgery: Neurological and Sense Organ System Coding

Wednesday, July 15, 2009

Session Overview

Join us as we discuss specific CPT coding hot topics and issues surrounding different body areas. If you have specific questions, you may submit them with your registration at least two weeks in advance and we will try to include them in the presentation. While these are appropriate for coders in both the facility and clinic/physician practice setting, some discussion on APC grouping of these codes will be included.

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Objectives

At the end of this program, the participant will be able to:

- Discuss hot topics in coding in the specialty area covered.
- Describe specific documentation to review to help determine the correct code assignment.
- Discuss how work value impacts APC payment rates (OPPS) and physician payment (RBRVS) for services commonly performed in the specialty area covered.

Target Audience

These sessions will benefit health information directors and outpatient coders, business office directors and outpatient billers, compliance officers, CFOs, chargemaster managers and other interested hospital personnel.

Faculty

Karen Scott, M.Ed., RHIA, CCS-P, CPC, is the owner of Karen Scott Seminars and Consulting in Memphis, Tenn. She is well-known throughout the country for her training expertise in coding, medical terminology, compliance and Ambulatory Payment Classifications for both hospital and physician practices. She is past president of the Tennessee Health Information Management Association, the Arkansas Health Information Management Association, and the American Health Information Management Association Council on Certification.

Scott holds a bachelor of science degree in medical record administration and a master's degree of education in instructional technology from Arkansas Tech University in Russellville. She is credentialed as a registered health information administrator and certified coding specialist-physician based by the American Health Information Management Association. In addition, she is a certified professional coder by the American Academy of Professional Coders.

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This course(s) may be submitted to the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy for **1.0 CPE contact hour(s) per session**. THA has registered with the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy as a CPE sponsor. This registration does not constitute an endorsement by the Board as to the quality of the program.

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