

Medical Coding Certificate Program – MCODE

Lakewood University's Medical Coding program is to provide a comprehensive understanding of medical billing and its components. This program will contain many topics regarding medical coding such as how to navigate through the ICD-10-CM, Current Procedural Terminology (CPT), and HCPCS. This program will also take students through a series of individual coding cases that will require them to use all three coding books for individual body systems.

Type: Vocational

Program Length:

16 Weeks

Program Outcomes

- Describe the difference between Medicare Part A, B, C, and D
- Locate and translate regulatory rules and regulations as they apply to medical billing and coding
- Describe the structure of an ICD-10-CM code
- Demonstrate the ability to navigate the layout of the ICD-10, CPT, & HCPCS manuals
- Describe the layout and guidelines of the ICD-10, CPT, & HCPCS manuals
- Illustrate ability to abstract diagnostic statements from the medical record and differentiate between main and modifying terms and subterms in the coding manuals
- Choose diagnoses and procedures using the ICD-10, CPT, & HCPCS manuals, following chapter-specific guidelines.
- Recognize the structure of an ICD-10-CM code

Item #	Title	Credit Hours
Orientation	Introduction	0
Medical Terminology	Lesson 1	0
Reimbursement, HIPAA, & Compliance	Lesson 2	25
An Overview of ICD-10-CM & ICD-10-CM Outpatient Coding & Reporting Guidelines	Lesson 3	25
ICD-10-CM Coding-Part I	Lesson 4	25
ICD-10-CM Coding -Part II	Lesson 5	25
Introduction to the CPT and Level II National Codes/Modifiers	Lesson 6	30
Evaluation and Management (E/M) Services, Anesthesia/Surgery Guidelines, and General Surgery	Lesson 7	30
Integumentary System/Musculoskeletal System	Lesson 8	30
Respiratory System/Cardiovascular System	Lesson 9	30
Hemic, Lymphatic, Mediastinum, and Diaphragm/Digestive	Lesson 10	30
Urinary and Male Genital Systems/Reproductive, Intersex Surgery, Female Genital System, and Maternity Care and Delivery	Lesson 11	30
Endocrine and Nervous Systems/Eye, Ocular, Adnexa, Auditory, and Operating Microscope	Lesson 12	30
Radiology/Pathology/Laboratory	Lesson 13	30
Medicine	Lesson 14	30
Inpatient Coding	Lesson 15	30
Final Exam	Lesson 16	0
	Total credits:	400