


## Achieving Coding Excellence

Bloomington, MN ♦ August 23-24, 2007 ♦ Sheraton Bloomington Hotel

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### Thursday, August 23, 2007

TIME	SESSION	CEU
8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Registration &amp; Continental Breakfast</b>	
8:30 – 8:35 a.m.	<b>Welcome, Introductions and Overview of the Day</b> <i>Lisa Kampa, MHIMA President</i>	
8:35 – 10:45 a.m.	<b>2008 OPPS Proposed Changes and Best Practices</b> <i>Jugna Shah, MPH – Nimitt Consulting</i>	2
10:45 – 11:00 a.m.	<b>Networking Break</b>	
11:00 – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Challenges in Maintaining an Accurate Charge Description Master and Achieving Equitable Reimbursement</b> <i>Colleen Malmgren, MS, RHIA - Fairview Health Systems</i>	1
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b> (provided by AHIMA)	
1:00 – 3:00 p.m.	<b>Present on Admission</b> <i>June Bronnert, RHIA, CCS, CCS-P – AHIMA</i> This presentation will focus on the national present on admission guidelines. In addition coders will be able to identify best practices for implementation and review case scenario applications.	2
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	<b>Networking Break</b>	
3:15 – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Getting to the Root of the Matter - ICD-10-PCS</b> <i>Kathy Myrick, RHIT, CCS – QuadraMed Corporation</i> Sponsored by: 	1
4:15 – 5:15 p.m.	<b>Coding Roundtable Discussion</b>	1



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8:35 – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Severity-Adjusted DRGs – The Impact of Clinical Documentation and Coding in Pay-for-Performance, Value-Based Purchasing, Quality Measurement, and Reimbursement – what’s old and what’s new; what’s borrowed and what’s blue</b> <i>James Kennedy, MD, CCS - FTI Cambio Health Solutions</i> An overview of the Medicare DRGs, their recent refinements (with an emphasis on the newly-announced Medicare-Severity DRGs), and their impact upon quality measurement. Discuss a pathophysiologic basis for coding oriented to helping HIM professionals think like physicians in principal and secondary diagnosis assignment. Review the clinical foundations of the new CC and major CC systems, differentiating the various etiologies and severities of SIRS, malnutrition, angina, anemia, diabetes, chronic and acute kidney disease, heart failure, pneumonia, and respiratory diseases. By the end of the lecture, the audience should have a firm clinical foundation by which they can partner with their physicians in navigating the new DRG system.	2

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2:00 – 2:15 p.m.	<b>Networking Break</b>	
2:15 – 3:15 p.m.	<b>Career Building AHIMA</b> <i>Lou Ann Wiedemann, MS, RHIA, CPEHR – AHIMA</i> This presentation will focus on career pathways for the clinical coding workers in the health information management profession. Coders will be able to recognize a career progression that will illustrate the different and unique opportunities for coding professionals today.	1
3:15 – 4:15 p.m.	<b>E/M Physician Topic</b> <i>David Frenz, MD – HealthEast</i>	1