## THE BUSINESS OF SPINE

# THE ESSENTIAL CODING COURSE







## \*Earn 7.0 CEUs from AAPC\*

Date: September 28, 2021 Time: 9am - 5pm EST Location: Microsoft Teams

Expand your knowledge in spine coding and reimbursement by joining us for an in-depth discussion on the topics below along with additional interactive training and case studies to test what you've learned!

#### **COURSE**

#### **Advanced Principles of Spine Coding**

This course challenges both the spine surgeon and the professional coder to become more educated in the aspects of coding, as it relates to the procedures performed in this highly technical area of surgery. Users are instructed on the fundamentals of spine coding, starting with the anatomy of the spine as a foundation. We will then analyze the CPT book for spine coding and application. This course then covers the best practices within compliant coding standards to code for spine procedures for maximum reimbursement.

### **Mastering Modifiers**

This course identifies and explains commonly used CPT surgical modifiers and the applications that allow the coder to achieve the highest reimbursement possible, while remaining compliant with coding and reimbursement guidelines. Application, interpretation and requirements of use are discussed in great detail, and examples of reimbursement opportunities are presented.

#### **Coding Scenarios**

Attendees will learn how to code a series of spine cases from basic to complicated and evaluating real life operative reports for proper documentation and coding applications.

### **Coding Workshop**

Attendees will work through a series of cases, identifying the procedure in the body of the operative reports. We will then review and correct coding errors to further enhance your ability to identify procedures and employ proper coding guidelines.

### **Maximizing Reimbursement**

This course advances the knowledge of the reimbursement specialist through a series of proven exercises to maximize reimbursement for spine procedures. Learn how to read and analyze the fee schedule, calculate minimum expected payment, track payments on a surgery, learn how to evaluate a claim and EOB, and decide on whether to appeal the claim, and to what level.

### **Act Now and Register!**

For more information or to make a purchase, please contact Tamara Adair via email at tadair@thebusinessofspine.com or by phone at 866-859-7759.

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