



Continuing Education Units

In order to maintain your CMRS certification, AMBA requires completion of 15 continuing education units (CEUs) annually. We have several methods of approved continued education.

CEUs must be earned in the calendar year following your initial CMRS Certification but before your anniversary date.

We will consider accepting CEUs that are not listed below. CEUs might include magazine subscriptions, seminars, videos, online subscriptions, online courses, etc. Acceptance of non-approved CEUs will be considered on a case by case basis.

Non pre-approved CEUs will be awarded at half the value of pre-approved CEUs. Effective Jan. 1, 2008, half of CEUs earned must come through AMBA training, courses, seminars, workshops, chapter meetings and etc.

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AMBA's Pre-Approved CEU List

[AAPC](#) – American Academy of Professional Coders CEUs

We approve most AAPC content that has AAPC pre-approved CEUs at half the value unless already pre-approved through the AMBA

All AAPC Coding Certifications (must pass in the year credits are needed) 15

AMA – American Medical Association Press CEUs

Coding with Modifiers: A Guide to Correct CPT and HCPCS Level II Modifier Usage 3

CPT 2009 Current Procedural Terminology 3

CPT 2010 Current Procedural Terminology 3

Avoiding Fraud and Abuse in the Medical Office 3

EHR Implementation: A Step-by-Step Guide for the Medical Practice 3

Financial Management of the Medical Practice by Reiboldt & AMA	3
The Practical E/M: Documentation and Coding Solutions for Quality Patient Care	3

American Accreditation HealthCare Commission/URAC CEUs

The Credentialing Guide by Garry Carneal, Kashmira Makwana, & Guy D'Andrea	3
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AMBA – American Medical Billing Association CEUs

Medical Billing Online Course	20
Doctor's Office Billing Online Course	15
Basic Physical Therapy Billing Online Course	6
Introductory ICD-9-CM Coding Online Course	6
Introductory CPT-4 Coding Online Course	6
Intermediate CPT-4 Coding Online Course	6
Chiropractic 101 Billing Online Course	6
CMS 1500 Claim Form Online Course	6
Compliance & HIPAA Online Seminar	6
2009 National Conference SynchVue DVD ROM	6
2009 National Conference	12
2008 National Conference	12
2008 National Conference CD	3
2007 National Conference CD	3
2006 National Conference CD	3
Coding & Reimbursement Workshop Audio CDs	3.5
HIPAA Awareness Training Workshop Audio CDs	3.5
Medical Billing & Training Seminar on DVD	6
Advanced Claims Processing Manual	8
Participation in AMBA's Private Email Forum	1
Speaker at AMBA Seminar or Conference Per Each Session	3

Participation on the AMBA National Advisory Board	8
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Webinars 2009

Red Flag Rules	5
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Increasing Collectability Using Modifiers Correctly	5
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Liens and Assignments that Work	3
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Webinars 2008

Using the Appeals Process Like a Pro	4
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Why Should I Become a Certified Coder?	3
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Modifiers	3
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Local Chapters

All Local Chapter Meetings	1
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Chapter Training During Meetings – 1 CEU for each 50 minutes to one hour

Local Chapter Officer	6
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Aspen Publishers CEUs

Essentials of Managed Health Care with Study Guide by Peter R. Kongstvedt	3
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Health Care Billing & Collections: Forms, Checklists & Guidelines	6
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HIPAA Compliance Handbook 2006 by Patricia I. Carter	3
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Medical Records and the Law	3
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AUERBACH Publications CEUs

The Practical Guide to HIPAA Privacy and Security Compliance by Beaver & Herold	3
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Black Dog Publishing Company CEUs

Selling to Specialist Physicians by Sandra M. Peters	3
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Bryant & Stratton College (Professional Skills Center) (8/09)

<u>Speaking the Insurance Coding Language</u>	6
<u>Ethics and Confidentiality</u>	3
<u>Reimbursement Basics for Coders</u>	6
<u>Coding Zone</u>	7
<u>The Chart Auditing Workshop</u>	7
<u>Operative Note Abstraction Seminar</u>	6
<u>Diagnosis Coding Guidelines</u>	7
<u>Effective Documentation Recognition: A Guide for the Medical Coder</u>	6
<u>Strategies to Increase Cash Flow & Decrease Accounts Receivable</u>	6

Career Coders

<u>Medical Terminology</u>	4
<u>Basic Anatomy</u>	4
<u>PMCC: AAPC Professional Medical Coding Curriculum Certification Program – CPC</u>	6

Career Education CEUs

<u>Computers in the Medical Office with Student CD-ROM by Susan M Sanderson</u>	3
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Cengage Learning CEUs

<u>3-2-1 Code It! By Michelle A. Green</u>	3
<u>3-2-1 Code It! Workbook By Michelle A. Green</u>	3
<u>Essentials of Health Information Management: Principles and Practices Green/Bowie</u>	3
<u>Coding for Medical Necessity in the Physician's Office by Farwell/Favreau</u>	3
<u>Medical Terminology for Health Professions (2008 Edition) by Ehrlich & Schroeder</u>	3
<u>Merriam-Webster Medical Office Handbook, 2nd Edition</u>	3

Understanding Health Insurance: A Guide to Billing and Reimbursement-Michelle Green	3
Understanding Health Insurance Workbook	1
Understanding Hospital Coding and Billing: A Work text by Marsha S Diamond	3
Understanding Medical Coding: A Comprehensive Guide 1st edition-Sandra L Johnson	3
Understanding Medical Coding: A Comprehensive Guide 2nd edition-Sandra L Johnson	3
Understanding Procedural Coding: A Worktext by Bowie/Schaffer	3
Uniform Billing: A Guide to Claims Processing by Christina D Rizzo	3

CMS (Medical Learning Network) CEUs

Medicare HIPAA Conference or Satellite Presentation	3
All Web Based Training Courses	3
Certificate of Medical Necessity	3
World of Medicare	3
Outpatient Code Editor (OCE)	3
CMS Form 1450	3
CMS Form 1500	3
Diagnosis Coding: Using the ICD-9-CM	3
Front Office Medicare	3
HIPAA	3
Medicare Fraud and Abuse	3
Medicare Preventive Services Series: Part 1 Adult Immunizations	3
Medicare Preventive Services Series: Part 2 Women's Health	3
Medicare Preventive Services Series: Part 3 Expanded Benefits	3

The Coding Institute (Coding Conferences)

2010 Coding Update & Reimbursement Conference	Up to 17
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F. A. Davis Company CEUs

[Taber's Cyclopedic Medical Dictionary](#) by Donald Venes 3

Jones and Bartlett Publishers, Inc. CEUs

[Handbook of Home Health Care Administration](#) by Marilyn D. Harris 3

[Starting and Managing Your Own Physical Therapy Practice](#) by Samuel H. Esterson 3

[The Primary Care Provider's Guide to Compensation and Quality](#) by Carolyn Buppert 3

Jossey-Bass CEUs

[Essentials of Physician Practice Management](#) by Keagy & Thomas 3

Lippincott Williams & Wilkins CEUs

[Anesthesiologist's Manual of Surgical Procedures](#) by Richard A Jaffe 3

Local AMBA Chapters

All Local Chapter Meetings 1

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Lorman Education Services CEUs

[Insurance Bad Faith Claims in Texas](#) 3

McGraw-Hill Professional CEUs

[Effective Documentation for Physical Therapy Professionals](#) by Shamus & Stern 3

[Medical Billing & Coding Demystified](#) by Burgos, Johnson, & Keogh 3

Medical Group Management Association CEUs

[Understanding Compliance: A Program Guide Based on the OIG 2000 Guidance](#) 3

Pfeiffer CEUs

[Value-Based Fees: How to Charge and Get What You're Worth by Alan Weiss](#) 3

PMIC – Practice Management Information Corporation CEUs

HCPCS 2010 3

ICD-9-CM 2010 3

CPT-4 2010 3

HCPCS 2009 3

ICD-9-CM 2009 3

CPT-4 2009 3

[Medicare Compliance Manual](#) by Arthur Gordon 3

[Third Party Payer Directory](#) A Comprehensive Guide to Third Party Payers 3

Prentice Hall CEUs

[The Practice of Medical Billing and Coding](#) 2nd Edition by ICDC Publishing Inc. 3

Saunders Publishing CEUs

[Health Insurance Today: A Practical Approach](#) 3

[Health Insurance Today: A Practical Approach Student Workbook](#) 3

[CPC Coding Exam Review : The Certification Step](#) by Carol J Buck 3

[Medical Insurance Made Easy: Understanding the Claim Cycle](#) by Jill Brown 3

[Step-By-Step Medical Coding](#) Edition by Carol J Buck 3

[Workbook for Step-By-Step Medical Coding](#) by Carol J Buck 3

Springer Publishing Company CEUs

[The Business of Medical Practice](#) by David E. Marcinko 3

State University of New York - Educational Opportunity Center – SUNY Capital District (12/09)

[Health Information for Today](#) 25

Strategy Business Plans LLC CEUs

[Medical Claims Business Sample Business Plan,](#) 3

Wiley CEUs

[Million Dollar Consulting \(TM\) Toolkit:](#) by Alan Weiss 3

[New Sales Speak:](#) The 9 Biggest Sales Presentation Mistakes and How To Avoid Them 3

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