

## HITM2218 - Intermediate Procedure Coding

| Credits:           | 3 (1/2/0)   |
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| Description:       | This course is a continuation of coding guidelines using the current procedural classification systems. Students will practice assigning procedure codes to clinical information found in a health record while maintaining ethical coding standards.   |
| Prerequisites:     | • BIOL1170<br>• HITM1220  |
| Corequisites:      |   |
| Pre/Corequisites*: |   |
| Competencies:      | <ol> <li>Abstract clinical information from medical documentation.</li> <li>Apply procedure codes according to current regulations and guidelines.</li> <li>Apply coding concepts to chapter-specific guidelines.</li> <li>Determine appropriate evaluation and management services based on patient encounter documentation.</li> <li>Verify documentation in a health record is timely, complete and accurate.</li> <li>Utilize various coding references for ICD-10-PCS (International Classification of Diseases - 10th Revision - Procedure Coding System), CPT (Current Procedural Terminology) and HCPCS (Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System).</li> <li>Describe information systems utilized in the assignment of procedure codes.</li> <li>Comply with ethical standards of practice.</li> <li>Evaluate the accuracy of procedure coding using sample exercises and medical records.</li> </ol> |
| MnTC goal areas:   | None  |

<sup>\*</sup>Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.