

## HITM2286 - Advanced Medical Coding

Credits:	3 (1/2/0)
Description:	This course provides advanced cases for students to code utilizing various classification systems, with added emphasis on evaluating and auditing code assignment.
Prerequisites:	• HITM2224 • HITM2237 • HITM2283
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites <sup>*</sup> :	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Utilize information technologies in the assignment of diagnostic and procedural codes.</li> <li>Complete the assignment of diagnostic and procedural codes and groupings in accordance with official guidelines.</li> <li>Evaluate the assignment of diagnostic and procedural codes and groupings in accordance with official guidelines.</li> <li>Justify appropriate use of coding guidelines for presented case scenarios.</li> <li>Develop education plans based on code assignment evaluation outcomes.</li> <li>Develop physician queries.</li> <li>Interpret national correct coding initiative (NCCI) triggers and national coverage determinations.</li> <li>Identify present on admission (POA) status.</li> <li>Describe components of clinical documentation integrity (CDI).</li> <li>Explore outcomes of fraudulent clinical documentation and code assignment.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

\*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.