

## HITM2283 - Intermediate Diagnosis Coding

Credits:	3 (1/2/0)
Description:	This course is a continuation of coding guidelines using the current International Classification of Diseases. Students practice assigning diagnosis codes to clinical information found in a health record while maintaining ethical coding standards.
Prerequisites:	• BIOL1170 • HITM1236 • HLTH1116
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Interpret proper phrases and terms of diseases, pathological conditions and systems of the body.</li> <li>Verify documentation in the health record is timely, complete and accurate.</li> <li>Abstract clinical information from medical documentation.</li> <li>Utilize various coding references for diagnosis coding.</li> <li>Determine the principal and secondary diagnoses from patient encounter documentation.</li> <li>Apply diagnosis codes according to current regulations and guidelines.</li> <li>Apply coding concepts to chapter-specific guidelines.</li> <li>Comply with ethical standards of practice.</li> <li>Identify the social determinants of health in clinical documentation.</li> <li>Describe information systems utilized in the assignment of diagnosis codes.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

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