

## 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:	<ul> <li>HITM2224</li> <li>HITM2237</li> <li>HITM2283</li> <li>MATH0085</li> </ul>
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites <sup>*</sup> :	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Integrate knowledge of body systems and functions in decision making.</li> <li>Use medical terminology and abbreviations within the correct context.</li> <li>Navigate various classification systems.</li> <li>Apply coding rules and guidelines.</li> <li>Apply diagnostic and procedural coding knowledge to support reimbursement methodologies and payment systems.</li> <li>Apply classification systems, methodologies and approaches to assess data to identify patterns, trends or differences.</li> <li>Utilize information technologies in the assignment of diagnostic and procedural codes.</li> <li>Monitor clinical documentation integrity metrics and compare results to identify data trends.</li> <li>Recommend corrective actions to mitigate discrepancies in computer-assisted coding.</li> <li>Identify the social determinants of health in clinical documentation.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

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