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Coding & Reimbursement Workshop
November 1-2, 2024
OLC Education & Conference Center
Rosemont, IL

Course Agenda

(Subject to Change)

Friday, November 1

12:00pm – 1:00pm   **Registration / Lunch**

1:00pm – 2:30pm   **Coding and Reimbursement Essentials**
Teri Romano, BSN, MBA, CPC, CMDP

- Medicare Update: Fee Schedule, What's Happening to Payment, Telehealth and More

- Practice Issues

    o   Pre-Authorization: Problems and Solutions

    o   Denial and Appeals: Strategic Appeals and What to Do if You Hit a Brick Wall! The Vascular Surgeon's Role.

- Deconstructing the Global Package: How Medicare Values Services

- RVUs and Physician Compensation: The Disconnect Between the Surgeon's Perception and the Institution's Numbers. Strategies to Address.

2:30pm – 3:00pm   **Global Surgical Package: What's Included?**
- What Is Billable Pre-op, and Post-op and What Is Not

- When Can You Bill for the H&P

3:00pm – 3:15pm   **Break**

3:15pm – 5:00pm   **Applying Surgical Modifiers: Getting Paid the First Time!**
- Assistant and Co-Surgery: Are You Coding and Documenting Correctly?

- When Can a 22 Modifier Be Used for Increased Procedural Services and Will it Get Paid?

- Same Day Modifiers; 51, 50, 52, 53 and When to Use 59 (or X Modifiers)

- Global Period Modifiers; 58, 79, 78: Reimbursement and Global Package Impact

Coding and Billing Processes: Best Practices
- Navigating Coverage Policies in Vascular Surgery: Applying Policies to Workflow Practices and Compliance Activities

- Developing Coding Tools

5:00 pm   **Adjourn**

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Saturday, November 2

7:00am – 7:30am   **Continental Breakfast**

7:30am – 7:40am   **CPT Overview**
Sean P. Roddy, MD

7:40am – 8:30am   **Coding for Open Surgical Arterial Reconstruction**
Sean P. Roddy, MD

8:30am – 10:00am   **Catheterization, Angiography, Angioplasty, and Stenting: Cerebrovascular, Brachiocephalic, Visceral, and Renal**
Robert M. Zwolak, MD, PhD

10:00am – 10:15am   **Break**

10:15am – 11:15am   **Lower Extremity Endovascular Arterial Intervention Including Mechanical Thrombectomy and Thrombolysis**
Benjamin M. Lerner, MD, FACS, FSVS

11:15am – 12:00pm   **Hemodialysis Access Coding**
Sean P. Roddy, MD

12:00pm – 12:45pm   **Lunch**

12:45pm – 2:00pm   **Aneurysm Repair Coding**
Sunita D. Srivastava, MD, FACS

- Endovascular Infrarenal Aortic Aneurysm Repair Coding
- Endovascular Thoracic Aortic Aneurysm Repair Coding

2:00pm – 2:15pm   **Fenestrated Endovascular Repair of the Visceral and Infrarenal Aorta Coding**
Sunita D. Srivastava, MD, FACS

2:15pm – 2:30pm   **Break**

2:30pm – 3:15pm   **Open and Endovascular Treatments for Venous Insufficiency and IVC Filters**
Sunita D. Srivastava, MD, FACS

3:15pm – 3:30pm   **Lower Extremity Amputations**
Sean P. Roddy, MD

3:30pm – 4:15pm   **Vascular Lab Coding**
Robert M. Zwolak, MD, PhD

4:15pm – 4:30pm   **Questions / Discussion**

4:30pm   **Adjourn**