



Society for
Vascular Surgery

**Coding & Reimbursement Workshop
November 3-4, 2025**

**OLC Education & Conference Center
Rosemont, IL**

Course Agenda

(Subject to Change)

Monday, November 3

12:00pm – 1:00pm

Registration / Lunch

1:00pm – 2:30pm

Coding and Reimbursement Essentials

Teri Romano, BSN, MBA, CMDP

- Medicare Update: Fee Schedule, Managing MA Plans, Telehealth and More – **Update!**
- ASC Billing: Basic Concepts
- Practice Issues
 - Pre-Authorization
 - Denial and Appeals: Strategic Appeals and What to Do if You Hit a Brick Wall! The Vascular Surgeon's Role.
- wRVUs as a compensation Metric: The Disconnect Between the Surgeon's Perception and the Institution's Numbers. Strategies to Address.
- Unlisted Codes: Strategies for Payment – **New!**

2:30pm – 3:00pm

Global Surgical Package: What's Included?

- Deconstructing the Global Package: How Medicare Values Service
- 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!

- Global Package Modifiers: Using modifier 54, 55 and G0559 – **New!**
- Assistant and Co-Surgery: Are You Coding and Documenting Correctly?
- Using and getting paid for 22 Modifier
- 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



Tuesday, November 4

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 – 11:00am	Hemodialysis Access Coding Sean P. Roddy, MD
11:00am – 11:30am	Open and Endovascular Treatments for Venous Insufficiency and IVC Filters Sunita D. Srivastava, MD, FACS
11:30am – 11:45am	Lower Extremity Amputations Sean P. Roddy, MD
11:45m – 12:35pm	Lunch
12:35pm – 2:05pm	Lower Extremity Endovascular Arterial Intervention Including Mechanical Thrombectomy and Thrombolysis - New 2026 Code Updates! Benjamin M. Lerner, MD, FACS, FSVS
2:05pm – 2:20pm	Break
2:20pm – 3:45pm	Aneurysm Repair Coding Sunita D. Srivastava, MD, FACS • Endovascular Infrarenal Aortic Aneurysm Repair Coding • Endovascular Thoracic Aortic Aneurysm Repair Coding – New Code Updates! • Fenestrated Endovascular Repair of the Visceral and Infrarenal Aorta Coding
3:45pm – 4:25pm	Vascular Lab Coding Robert M. Zwolak, MD, PhD
4:25pm – 4:30pm	Closing Remarks
4:30pm	Adjourn

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