



Fall Conference
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Dallas, Texas

Coding Fundamentals for Non-Coders

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Thursday, October 20

5:00-6:30pm Registration & Exhibit Hall Opens
 5:30-7:00pm Opening Reception in Exhibit Hall

Friday, October 21

7:00-8:00am Registration & Continental Breakfast
 8:00-9:15am **Overview of Urgent Care Coding: What make UC Coding Different from Emergency Room Coding**
 Dr. David Stern
 9:15-9:45am Coffee Break & Exhibit Hall
 9:45-10:45am **E/M Coding Basics: History, Phys. Exam & Medical Decision Making**
 Seth Canterbury
 10:45-11:00am Break
 11:00am-Noon **ICD-9, ICD-10 Coding**
 Seth Canterbury
 Noon-12:45pm Group Lunch
 12:45-2:00pm Visit the Exhibitors
 2:00-3:00pm **Internal vs. External Coding/Billing**
 Bettina Adjei
 3:00-3:15pm Break
 3:15-4:15pm **Diagnostic Studies: Lab, X-Ray & EKG**
 Kenny Engel
 4:15-4:30pm Break
 4:30-5:30pm **Fracture Care Coding**
 Kenny Engel
 5:30pm-7:00pm Reception in Exhibit Hall

Saturday, October 22

7:00-7:30am Continental Breakfast
 7:30-8:30am **Common Procedure Coding**
 Kenny Engel
 8:30-9:00am Coffee Break & Exhibit Hall
 9:00-10:00am **Payer Contract Negotiations: What Should be in Your Contract**
 Tammy Mallow
 10:00 -10:15am Break
 10:15-11:15am **Staffing: What you Should Look for in a Coder**
 Tammy Mallow
 11:15am-12:00pm Lunch (Filmmakers Hall)
 11:45am-1:15pm Visit the Exhibitors
 1:15-2:15pm **Audits and Compliance Processes for your Practice**
 Sharon Nicka
 2:15-2:30pm Break
 2:30-3:30pm **Coding Pearls: How Do You Make this Work in Your Clinic**
 Dr. David Stern
 3:30pm Fall Conference Adjourns