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# **Coding for Cardiology Webinar**

# Tuesday, July 18 & Wednesday, July 19, 2017 9:30 am - 12:30 pm PT

(10:30am to 1:30pm MT, 11:30 am to 2:30pm CT, 12:30pm to 3:30pm ET)

To our Valued Customers,

ASSOCIATES, INC.

Special alert that impacts your reimbursements NOW. We have answers. CPT 2017 has unbundled moderate sedation from all Cardiology procedures and has created a new series of "moderate sedation" codes which you are to use for your procedures when you provide/supervise this service.

- 1. You will need to develop a mechanism reporting this service for billing purposes
- 2. Detailed documentation, that you provided this service, will need to become part of your procedure documentation
- 3. Payment for your procedures in 2017 will be reduced to reflect unbundling of the moderate sedation. The only way to maintain your current payment for your procedures is to provide this service yourself
- 4. Medicare's final fee schedule for 2017 will reflect this reduction

Please join us,

Terry L. McVey, President

# McVey Seminars Presents A "VIRTUAL" Seminar on Coding & Reimbursement Solutions I C D-10-CM CPT HCPCS Cardiology - 2017

2 - three hour sessions of coding for physicians and staff given by: Mr. Ray Cathey Certified Physician Assistant & Administrator

### **Reimbursement Difficulties?**

While costs go up and revenue is lower, it is tough! We can assist NOW! Correct and accurate coding is the essential ingredient. Complete & rightful reimbursement is possible!

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#### **Special Section:**

"ICD-10-CM 2017 is here. There are 1,943 new codes, 422 revised codes and 305 deleted codes. Medicare's moratorium on using specific diagnosis codes expired October 1, 2016. Medicare will now require your billing to provide more specific diagnosis codes than they have for the past year. Does your provider's documentation support using more specific codes? Using "unspecified" diagnoses may trigger payment denials or audits."



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- 2. The audio/video portion for this course can be heard via landline, mobile or web browser. Major browsers on windows, MAC OS X & Linux.
- 3. You'll receive Dial-in access, and materials a few days before the program.



## btaining Rightful Payments From Insurances.

- Cardiology Specific procedures, such as Cardiac Cath and PCI's discussed and coded for maximum reimbursement.
- Seminar Hishis What are the documentation guidelines for procedures? E/M guidelines are well established but are you following the published guidelines for your procedures?
- Modifiers are your "Key to Reimbursement". Are you using the KX & SC modifiers correctly Use of modifier is mandatory as of 1/1/17 for discarded drugs. Are you sure how use it.. What about modifiers JW and KX?
- Device implants have updates with modifiers and narrative directions.
- CPT unbundled moderate sedation from all of your procedures. Are you using and documenting the new codes properly?



Brief discussion on Non-Coronary (peripheral) procedural coding.

## ardiology Coding Techniques That Work!

- Cardiac Cath, Multiple PCI's coded at the same encounter. Clarification of the guidelines for PCI in Acute MI interventions.
- New technologies are nearing FDA approval, including Cardiac Contractility Modulation System for CHF. How to code for new technology services.
- Endovenous Ablation Therapy (EVAT) procedure discussed... moving into more complex office procedures.
- How/when to use modifier JW for discarded medications.



## dvanced Cardiology Coding

- EP Studies and Ablation coding. Looking at 3-D mapping vs. Regular mapping and add on codes.
- What impact will coding "unspecified" diagnoses have on payment, now that the "honeymoon period" is ending with Medicare?
- Holters, Echo's, Event Monitors, Stress Tests and Stress Echo's. We have answers.
- Nuclear Cardiology Coding review. Making sure all components are captured and you're using modifiers when needed.



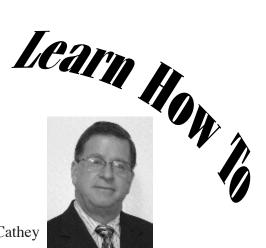
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#### YOUR SPECIAL CARDIOLOGY SITUATIONS

- PM and ICD Device checks and compliance.
- FFR, iFR and chemical stress procedures of right heart during heart cath procedures.
- Thrombectomy coding with Cath procedures.
- Hospital E/M coding with professional procedures same date - dealing with denials.
- SNF patients coming in for OV's, how to bill?
- New revenue opportunities for Cardiology Practices.



Ray Cathey

#### About Your Seminar Leader ...

Ray Cathey, PA, FAAPA, CCS-P, MHA, MHS, CHCC, has a unique background in support of medical practices. He has assisted thousands of Physicians and staff across the U.S. over the past thirty five years. The result has been appropriate payments of insurance claims that would have otherwise been underpaid. Having degrees in health care administration and health care sciences, as a former registered nurse, and as one of the early certifications in the Physician Assistant Program, you will find Ray's knowledge extensive. His training and consulting work is based on current work-place experience and success in recovering maximum, rightful reimbursements for medical practices in both the fee-for-service and managed care/capitation arenas, as well as the newer reimbursement models, such as ACOs and medical homes. No one has trained more medical offices in insurance reimbursement across the nation. We count Ray Cathey as one of the top medical insurance coding and practice management experts in the country. We invite you to discover why and register today. registêr today.

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