

## CURRICULUM: MEDICAL ONCOLOGY - HOSPITAL

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### GOAL

This curriculum prepares users to accurately assign procedure codes for commonly performed medical oncology outpatient hospital services.

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### OBJECTIVES

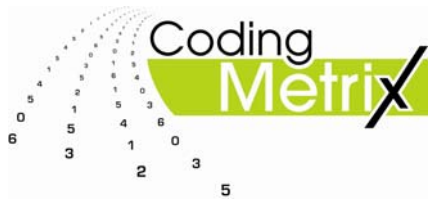
1. Review the terminology associated with medical oncology services.
  2. Identify the structure of procedure codes for medical oncology services.
  3. Understand the documentation guidelines to support oncology services.
  4. Translate documentation into medical procedure and diagnosis codes.
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### ABSTRACT:

The Medical Oncology – Hospital Curriculum is a comprehensive training program that provides users with in-depth information on the most frequently performed medical oncology services.

The curriculum begins with an Overview course that provides the user with basic principles and key terms in oncology. The individual courses target specific areas that require proficiency to ensure accurate procedure coding. The Patient Visit Guidelines course provides the participant with information on how to document patient visits, the proper use of modifiers, and other common hospital services related to medical oncology. The ICD-9-CM Diagnosis Coding course covers diagnosis code assignment for cancer and other conditions commonly treated by medical oncologists. Finally, the Infusions and Injections course provides detailed coverage of coding and billing guidelines for chemotherapy and non-chemotherapeutic infusions and injections.

All of the courses contain state of the art graphics, examples, and multiple choice exercises. Actual case studies are utilized to instruct and reinforce the user's learning experience.



**COURSE: Overview (MOH0)**

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## **GOAL**

This course introduces users to basic concepts of chemotherapy administration, non-chemotherapeutic infusions and injections, diagnosis coding, and patient visits.

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## **OBJECTIVES**

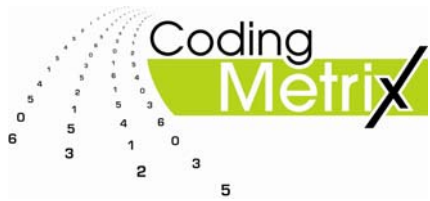
1. Review systemic therapies used to treat cancer.
2. Identify coding guidelines for various patient visits in medical oncology services.
3. Discuss chemotherapy administration and non-chemotherapeutic administration as it relates to payor guidelines.

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## **ABSTRACT:**

The Overview is the first course in the Medical Oncology – Hospital Curriculum. It is designed to introduce users to the basic concepts of cancer, chemotherapy administration, non-chemotherapeutic infusions and injections, and patient visits.

Upon completion of this course, the user will understand the basic concepts and definitions required for the remaining courses in the Medical Oncology – Hospital curriculum.



**COURSE: Patient Visit Guidelines (MOH1)**  
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## GOAL

This course prepares individuals to accurately assign procedure codes for commonly performed medical oncology visit services in the hospital outpatient setting.

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## OBJECTIVES

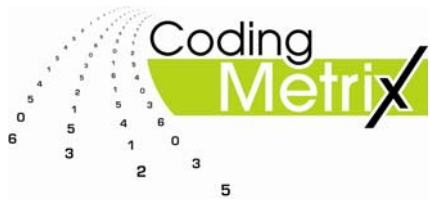
1. Identify the CMS requirements for hospital visit classification systems.
2. Discuss coding and documentation guidelines and reimbursement issues for hospital visit services, including clinic visits, emergency department visits, interdisciplinary team conferences, etc.
3. Ensure understanding and retention through examples, multiple-choice exercises and real-life scenarios.

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## ABSTRACT:

The Patient Visit Guidelines course is designed to familiarize the user with the guidelines for billing for outpatient hospital visit services provided to medical oncology patients. The course begins with an in-depth review of the CMS requirements for hospital visit classification systems. Each various type of outpatient visit service is then discussed in detail, including documentation concerns, coding guidelines, modifier use, reimbursement concerns, etc. Examples of services covered in this course include clinic visits, emergency department visits, interdisciplinary team conferences, tobacco use cessation counseling, etc.

All of the modules contain advanced graphics, examples, and multiple choice exercises. At the completion of the course material, the user will complete a scored assessment that tests the key learning points of the course.



**COURSE: Diagnosis Coding (MOH2)**  
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## GOAL

This course prepares users to accurately assign ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes for medical oncology services.

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## OBJECTIVES

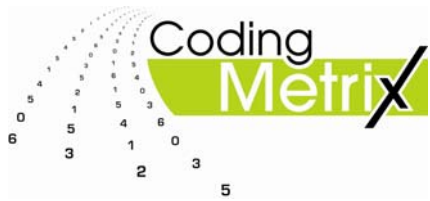
1. Review and apply ICD-9-CM diagnosis coding guidelines related to cancer and other neoplasms.
2. Review and apply ICD-9-CM diagnosis coding guidelines for other conditions treated by medical oncologists.
3. Ensure understanding and retention through examples, multiple-choice exercises and actual case studies.

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## ABSTRACT:

The Diagnosis Coding course is a comprehensive training program designed to prepare users to assign ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes for medical oncology services. The ICD-9-CM Official Guidelines for Coding and Reporting are reviewed in detail, including code assignment for cancer and other neoplasms, history of cancer, encounters for therapy, etc.

All of the modules contain examples and multiple choice exercises that are utilized to instruct and reinforce the user's learning experience. At the completion of the course material, the user will receive a scored assessment that tests the key learning points of the course.



**COURSE: Infusions and Injections (MOH3)**  
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## GOAL

This course prepares users to code and charge for injection and infusion services provided to medical oncology patients in the hospital outpatient department.

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## OBJECTIVES

1. Review procedure coding guidelines for chemotherapy and non-chemotherapy injections and infusions.
2. Review guidelines for coding and billing for drugs in the hospital outpatient setting.
3. Ensure understanding and retention through examples, multiple-choice exercises and actual case studies.

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## ABSTRACT:

The Infusions and Injections course is designed to prepare users to correctly code and bill for chemotherapy and non-chemotherapy injections and infusions in the hospital outpatient department. Coding guidelines for injections and infusions are covered in detail, including complex scenarios involving multiple substances. Guidelines for coding and billing for drugs are also discussed in detail. Finally, the course reviews coding guidelines for vascular access procedures and bone marrow biopsy and aspiration.

All of the modules contain advanced graphics, examples, and multiple choice exercises. At the completion of the course material, the user will complete a scored assessment that tests the key learning points of the course.