Workshop Registration

	Workshop Fees	Members	Non-Members
☐	*Before April 30th*	*$225*	*$445*
☐	*After April 30th & at the door*	*$275*	*$495*

Workshop fees determined by 2018 membership status

Agency:

Address:

City: State: Zip:

Attendee 1)

Attendee 2)

Attendee 3)

Attendee 4)

Location: Baton Rouge

Phone:

E-mail Address:

Method of Payment

☐ Check   ☐ MasterCard

☐ Visa   ☐ AMEX

Credit Card No.:

Name on Card:

Billing Address:

City: State: Zip:

Security Code: Expiration Date

**You can also register online at www.hclanet.org
or fax the registration form to 337-231-0089.**

HomeCare Association of Louisiana
P.O. Box 80124
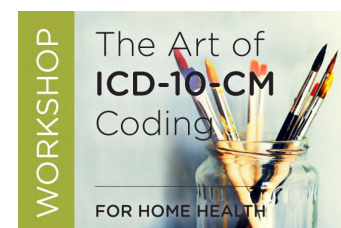Lafayette, LA 70598
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The Art of ICD-10-CM Coding for Home Health

Basic Concepts for **Beginning** Coders

A One-Day Diagnostic Coding Workshop

WORKSHOP

The Art of
ICD-10-CM
Coding
FOR HOME HEALTH

Presented by:

Sparkle Sparks

With

OASIS Answers

Baton Rouge
May 7, 2018
8:00 AM — 4:00 PM
Registration: 7:30 AM

Who Should Attend:

- All RN's
- Home care clinicians
- Supervisors & managers
- Coders responsible for conducting the comprehensive assessment, applying diagnostic codes, auditing records for accuracy, and training agency staff.

Speaker

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Workshop Overview

**Sparkle Sparks,
PT, MPT, COS-C**

**AHIMA Approved
ICD-10-CM Coding
Instructor**

Sparkle is a physical therapist working in home care since 1994 as direct care provider, staff educator, PPS analyst, OASIS & ICD-10-CM coding instructor and consultant. She draws from this extensive background to provide practical education that is both fun & effective. Sparkle is nationally known for her humorous approach and ability to explain difficult topics in terms that everyone in home care can understand. She has served as an advisor to and member of the Board of Medical Specialty Coding. Sparkle is a graduate of the American Health Information Management Association's Academy for ICD-10 Coding where she earned the designation of AHIMA Approved ICD-10-CM Coding Instructor. Sparkle holds the Certificate for OASIS Specialist-Clinical (COS-C) designation and is a Senior Associate Consultant with OASIS Answers, Inc.

A ONE DAY DIAGNOSTIC CODING WORKSHOP FOR BEGINNERS

With each passing year, diagnostic coding accuracy plays a greater role in quality reporting, risk adjustment, and payment. The foundation of ICD-10-CM coding accuracy is translating medical terminology into coding language with proper application of coding guidelines and instructions found in a current coding manual.

This highly interactive workshop for novice coders, or those who never had these lessons, teaches the essential basics and beyond for the most accurate application of diagnosis codes. Case studies, exercises and many opportunities to ask questions reinforces understanding of the concepts presented.

TOPICS

- Translating medical terminology into coding language
- Understanding coding terminology, conventions and general coding guidelines
- Simple steps for finding a diagnosis code
- Selection of diagnoses and codes for relevant OASIS items
- Selection & Sequencing Criteria for Primary & Secondary Diagnoses

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6.5 CONTACT HOURS WILL BE PROVIDED

"The HomeCare Association of Louisiana is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by Louisiana State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Workshop Location

BATON ROUGE (May 7, 2018)

Embassy Suites
4914 Constitution Avenue
Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Phone: 225-924-6566
Room Block—$129.00 per night + tax, use code HC5

*Lunch provided each day

Mastering coding skills takes practice and knowing where to find guidance ensures coding accuracy and regulatory compliance. Coding related guidance documents are provided in the handout and reviewed at the workshop. These tools are essential for successful coding and in finding answers to questions that arise when performing coding functions in real time.

This class is designed for coders who have never had formal coding training. For study before class, we recommend reading the ICD-10-CM Official Guidelines for Coding and Reporting for 2018, pages 8 – 18, found at: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/icd/10cmguidelines_fy2018_final.pdf. These pages describe and define the Coding Conventions & General Coding Guidelines. Your pre-class efforts will greatly enhance your learning experience.

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MANDATORY: PLEASE BRING A CURRENT ICD-10-CM CODING MANUAL TO THE WORKSHOP.

Visit www.oasisanswers.com to order the most current version of the ICD-10-CM Coding Manual