Medical Coding and Billing - Medical Billing Certificate

West Burlington Campus

Our medical coding and billing program provides the latest information related to medical coding, chart auditing and insurance reimbursement. Students in our medical coding classes learn the theory of medical coding, gain an understanding of medical coding fundamentals and incorporate this by using a laboratory practicum to work medical coding reports.

Admissions standards apply to this program. Please contact the Student Support Center for more details.

Admission Requirements

- Complete and attain minimums in standardized scores within 24 months of review for acceptance into the program:
 - ACT

Reading: 19Math: 19

- SAT
 - Reading/Writing: 330
 - Math: 510
- Next-Gen ACCUPLACER:
 - Reading: 248
- ALEKS:
 - Math: 14

The students will be trained in ICD-10, CPT and HCPCS coding language. The medical billing and coding field continues to grow as new government regulations influence physician reimbursement.

Pre-requisite - BIO-163; Essentials of Anatomy and Physiology.

*Certificate can be earned one time.

For specific information regarding program rules and expectations, please view the Medical Coding and Billing Handbook.

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Program Requirements

Prerequisite		Credit
BIO-163	Essentials of Anatomy and Physiology	4
Semester To	otal	4
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Fall Semeste	er I	Credit
CPC-110	Essentials of Medical Coding and Billing	2
CPC-121	Introduction to Medical Procedural Coding	5.5
CPC-126	Diagnostic Coding	4
CPC-128	Introduction to Medical Insurance and Billing	3
HSC-114	Medical Terminology	3
Semester Total		17.5
Program Total		21.5