

Clinical Documentation Integrity Essentials & Best Practices

DATE & Time

Wednesday, Oct. 11, 2023
8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION

LHA Conference Center
2334 Weymouth Drive
Baton Rouge, LA 70809

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

CMOs and physician leaders interested in learning more about the role of documentation integrity, nurse leaders, nursing facility administrators, aspiring and practicing clinical documentation integrity specialists (CDISs), medical records personnel, including coders, and quality leaders

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Nursing: Up to 5.75 contact hours will be awarded for this offering by the Louisiana Hospital Association for complete attendance of the program and evaluation. The Louisiana Hospital Association is approved by the Louisiana State Board of Nursing – CE Provider #39.

Nursing Facility Administrators:

Up to 5.75 hours will be awarded for this offering by the LHA for complete attendance of the program and evaluation. The LHA is approved by the State of Louisiana Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators – CE Provider #101.

Other Participants will receive, upon completion of workshop, a certificate documenting the completed continuing education/clock hours.

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OVERVIEW: This is a foundational yet comprehensive course delving into the origins and operations of clinical documentation integrity (CDI). The curriculum includes the derivation and concepts of the Diagnosis Related Group (DRG) system and CDI; the relationship between clinical documentation, quality, and reimbursement; compliant and effective query composition; deep understanding of most frequently encountered CDI conditions; useful tips on physician engagement; and innovative ways to enhance the CDI process and achieve sustainable, demonstrable results. The speaker's interactive style of teaching combines didactics and case-based examples to capture the attendee's attention. Participants will leave feeling confident in their understanding of CDI and energized to engage and motivate their providers to change their behavior.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:

- Understand why CDI exist (DRG System);
- Relate clinical documentation, quality, and reimbursement;
- Compose compliant and effective queries;
- Engage clinical providers to modify their documentation behavior;
- Explain common CDI conditions; and
- Decrease clinical validation denials.

AGENDA

7:30 a.m. Registration
8:00 a.m. Development of the DRG System and Why CDI Came to Be
9:00 a.m. Quality and Reimbursement
10:00 a.m. Break
10:15 a.m. CDI and Query Composition
11:15 a.m. Specific CDI Conditions, Part 1
12:15 p.m. Lunch
1:00 p.m. Specific CDI Conditions, Part 2
2:30 p.m. Principles of ICD-10 Coding
3:15 p.m. Break
3:30 p.m. Innovation and Physician Engagement
4:00 p.m. Adjourn

MEET YOUR FACULTY: Erica Remer, MD, CCDS



Dr. Erica Remer has been a practicing emergency physician for more than 25 years and is a nationally-known expert and consultant in coding, clinical documentation, CDI, and E/M. She is the co-host of Talk Ten Tuesdays, a weekly podcast; Chair of the American College of Physician Advisors' (ACPD) CDI Committee; an ACPA Board Member, and is a past member of the ACDIS Advisory Board. Her passion is educating CDI specialists, coders, physician advisors, and healthcare providers with engaging, case-based presentations, and she offers [Dr. Remer's Documentation Modules](#) with CME. Her primary ambition is putting "MENTATION" back into Documentation.



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PRICE:

- Hospital Member: \$195 (Per Person Rate)
- Associate/Corporate & Attorney Member: \$250 (Per Person Rate)
(2023 dues must be up to date to qualify for this discounted rate.)
- Non-Member Hospital: \$400 (Per Person Rate)

REGISTRATION:

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