

An Introduction to the Real World of “Reimbursement Dentistry”

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Lectures: 6

E-Lessons: 2

Total Hours: 8

Class Size: No Limit

Course Description:

To provide a realistic insight to the outcomes of the correct use and misuse of the CDT codes.

To demonstrate the inter-relationships of patient record keeping, informed consent, managed care participation and bioethics. Realistic expectations and opportunities for the new graduate.

Prerequisite: None

Method of Grading: Pass/fail

Introduction:

*Trends in private practice, reimbursement strategies, determining frequency of treatment, bioethics and informed consent CDT Coding, Record Keeping and Informed Consent

*Evaluation CDT codes, radiograph CDT codes and restorative CDT codes Record Keeping and Informed Consent

*Periodontal codes, implant and oral surgery codes, Ethics, State Board and Third Party (Insurance Company) oversight and utilization activities, what constitutes fraud.

Lecture schedule:

9/4	1-2 pm	G314
10/9	1-2 pm	G314
10/30	1-3 pm	G314
11/20	1-2 pm	G314
12/11	9-11 am	G314
12/18	8-9 am	G314