

## Neurosurgery ICD-10 Training Plan

The ICD-10 training plan consists of two parts: self-learning modules and interactive training.

### Part 1: Self-Learning Modules

#### A. Neurosurgery Clinical Documentation Improvement: What Every Neurosurgeon Needs to know to Survive ICD-10-CM

This [targeted webinar](#), for busy neurosurgeons, focuses on the most important things you need to know about ICD-10-CM.

Do you think you won't be affected by the change to ICD-10-CM because someone else in your practice does the coding? Think again! It is your documentation that drives the codes chosen by your coder. Therefore, you need to know what to document even if you aren't coding.

If you are doing your own coding – kudos to you! This webinar will help you identify the categories of codes you use most commonly, as well as help you identify documentation needs to support ICD-10-CM.

The webinar will cover the key coding and documentation issues necessary for the following diagnoses and conditions:

- Injuries – cranial and spine including the new 7th character for the episode of code designation (initial vs. subsequent encounter, sequela)
- Tumor – malignant vs. benign vs. uncertain behavior vs. unspecified behavior, as well as new instructions for tumors that overlap sites
- Nervous system conditions including epilepsy and carpal tunnel syndrome
- Cerebrovascular conditions including ruptured aneurysms, stenosis, and embolism
- Pathologic fractures – documentation tips for code changes
- Spine conditions – what requires your documentation to change

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#### B. ICD-10-CM Coding for Non-traumatic Spine Disorders

Soon your claims must have valid ICD-10 codes or you won't get paid! If your practice is spine-heavy, don't miss this informative webinar. We'll highlight key non-traumatic spine codes and the documentation you must provide to ensure accurate payment.

Join Teri Romano for this [one-hour webinar](#) as she explains:

- Disc disorders (new site specificity and clinical combination codes)
- Stenosis and spondylosis codes

- Spondylolisthesis code expansion
- Deformity code expansion
- The 7th character and its application in non-traumatic spine codes
- New codes for spinal instability
- Coding for complications; post-op, devices and more
- Coding co-existing conditions: When it is appropriate and why it is important?
- Case exercises included

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**Part 2: Interactive Training** (Must view webinars above before interactive session)

Join your colleagues for the following one-hour presentation to complete your training:

**“ICD-10 Training for Neurosurgery”**

Presented by Teri Romano, RN, MBA, CPC, CMDP - Karen Zupko & Associates

**September 22 from noon – 1 p.m.**

Training will be conducted via web conference

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**Presentation Details:**

- Brief summary of the major ICD-10 changes for Neurosurgery
- Physician question and answer session