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- Discounts offered for multiple attendees from the same center: Contact CCI for more information
- Pre-registration must be received by July 10th
- On-Site Registration Fee: \$1,000 per attendee

Registration fee includes educational session, handouts and the following meals

- ◇ Thursday: breakfast, morning snack, lunch, and afternoon snack
- ◇ Friday: breakfast, late morning buffet platter

Payment: Please send form with check payable to:
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Please Note: Seminar Cancellations made after July 13, 2009 are non-refundable.

Hotel & Venue: Hartford/Windsor Marriott Airport
Contact Hotel Directly: 1-860-688-7500
We have reserved a block of rooms at a reduced rate.
The Marriott offers free shuttle service from the airport.

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RADIATION ONCOLOGY CODING SEMINAR: HARTFORD, CT

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CHURCHILL CONSULTING SEMINAR

CHURCHILL CONSULTING, INC.

is pleased to announce that registration is now open for our Radiation Oncology Coding Seminar that will be conducted in Hartford, CT. This one and one half-day seminar will be conveniently held at the Marriott Hartford/Windsor Airport Hotel.

Thursday July 23, 2009 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday July 24, 2009 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

This fast paced, comprehensive seminar will include the latest information for radiation oncology coding. Discussion will include 2009 Medicare rulings and CPT code changes. Training will focus on the clinician's (*therapist, dosimetrist, physicist, and physician*) responsibility to document and properly code each procedure as it is performed.

The goal of this session is to provide the attendees with a complete understanding of the code(s) that should be reported during a prescribed regimen, the associated documentation that must be available in the patient's medical record to support that coding, and CCI Edit restrictions/bundling issues that may affect reimbursement.

Information is directed to radiation oncologists, residents, administrators, physics staff, radiation therapists, certified coders, and billing personnel who are interested in accurate coding, maximizing collections and understanding carrier and collection issues.

Continuing Education Credits are available for ASRT, ARRT, MDCB and AAPC.

3D-IMRT-IGRT & MORE

This conference's main focus will be on coding and documentation for advanced technologies, such as 3D and IMRT. Discussion will include a list of the procedures that require orders, supporting medical necessity, and requirements for procedure documentation.

This section will culminate in the presentation of multiple case studies that demonstrate the reimbursement and RVUs for sample regimens.

Supervision requirements for treatment and all types of IGRT will be covered, stressing the July 1 supervision level for code 77421.

GENERAL CODING

Radiation oncology isn't just advanced technology. This seminar will also include, but will not be limited to, discussion of the following codes.

Special treatment procedure (77470), 3D planning (77295), IMRT planning (77301), IGRT, basic dosimetry (77300), isodose planning (77305-77315), special dosimetry (77331), special teletherapy port plan (77321), simulation (77280-77290), CT data acquisition (77014), and device codes (77332-77334).

BRACHYTHERAPY SESSION

The Brachytherapy portion of this seminar will include discussion of the usual and customary codes associated with the various brachytherapy technologies.

Following the general brachytherapy code discussion, case studies for prostate seed implants, GYN regimens (LDR and HDR), and MammoSite will be presented.

We welcome your requests for specific coding questions prior to the seminar. Please email questions directly to chrchlcci@aol.com

SPEAKERS

Deborah Churchill is founder and President of Churchill Consulting, Inc., a national firm that has been providing products and services for financial processes and quality improvement activities in radiation oncology since 1992. Deborah has also had the pleasure of participating in the 'Gray Panel' discussions, sponsored by SROA at ASTRO since 2001.

Joseph Cardinale, M.D. is the Medical Director of the Father Michael J. McGivney Center for Cancer Care at the Hospital of Saint Raphael in New Haven, CT. Dr. Cardinale will be presenting a clinical CyberKnife case.

Nicklas Oldenburg, M.D. is a radiation oncologist at Vantage Oncology, practicing in Rhode Island. Dr. Oldenburg will be presenting on 'Considerations of HDR in a Free-standing center'.

Jon Beren, MS, DABMP is the administrative director and chief medical physicist at Northern Illinois Cancer Treatment Center in Dixon, Illinois. Jon will be demonstrating the difference between concurrent and sequential IMRT isodose plans.

CODE WITH KNOWLEDGE

In addition to understanding the coding and documentation requirements, all attendees will be educated on the Correct Coding Initiative Edits (*CCI Edits*) and the proper use of modifiers.

This information, combined with your coding knowledge, will ensure that you can support all claims while maximizing your collections.