

PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL BILLERS ASSOCIATION

MEDICAL CODING AND BILLING INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

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CodersGrade[®] Medical Coding and Billing Internship is a prestigious program offered by the Professional Medical Billers Association USA (PMBA). PMBA is a professional organization that was established in 2011 with the aim of promoting excellence and professionalism in the field of medical billing.

	OUT PATIENT CODERS (CPC, CCS-P, CPMB)	INPATIENT CODERS (CCS, CIC)
Duration	3-6 months	3-6 months
Mode	Online	Online
Questions	580	300
Case Studies-DII	300	350

Get your **CodersGrade** and Internship Certificate

Freshers to have a one-year equivalent experience certificate.

Get the experience you need to work in the real world through **CodersGrade**[®] Internship Program(IP).

This online **CodersGrade**[®] internship for Medical Coding simulates the experience of working in a coding company, so you can fully prepare for your first coding job. In most medical coding jobs you will be required to meet a volume of work, producing a certain amount of work each hour. This internship provides both practice coding sessions & timed coding experiences, covering both inpatient and outpatient coding. You will learn the day to day application of HIPAA as well as the practical usage of the ICD-10-CM, CPT, NCCI, LCD, AHA Coding Guidelines and HCPCS Compliance.

After completing the internship, you can print an online portfolio showing your coding proficiency with **CodersGrade** to potential employers.

This is an excellent opportunity for a trained coders to gain hands-on work experience in a fun, and fast paced environment. In addition to working on a variety of medical billing and coding related tasks, the intern also has the opportunity to apply recently acquired knowledge with a company focused on a variety of medical coding records of different medical specialties. We encourage creative thinking.

The **CodersGrade**[®] internship program is a web-based training program allowing new medical coders to gain confidence in coding hundreds of medical coding cases in various specialities. Complete the program while training for your certification exam to remove one of the two required years of your credential's apprentice designation. The internship program will help you become a full credential holder faster than ever, separating you from the crowd of new coders

The web-based format of the **CodersGrade**[®] Internship Program (IP) offers you the opportunity to gain experience at your own pace and in the comfort of your own space. Here are some benefits of the IP:

Accelerated experience: Through the **CodersGrade**[®] IP, you can gain experience more quickly compared to a traditional on-the-clock job. This allows you to enhance your coding skills efficiently.

Real medical records: The **CodersGrade**[®] IP provides access to hundreds of real medical records that are redacted to comply with HIPAA regulations. This gives you the opportunity to practice coding on authentic cases.

Immediate feedback: As you engage with the **CodersGrade**[®] IP, you'll receive immediate feedback on your coding performance. This feedback is provided by coding experts who possess specialty-specific knowledge, enabling you to learn intricacies that only real experts are aware of.

Boosted confidence: By participating in the **CodersGrade**[®] IP and receiving feedback from experts, you can gain the confidence necessary to excel in your future job interviews. The program aims to equip you with the skills and knowledge to succeed in the field of medical coding.

Interns must complete all questions passing with a proficiency of 70% or higher.

INTERNSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Course Requirements

It is highly Recommended to Complete a professional coding course and CPC/CCS-P for Outpatient Medical Coding Internship. AAPC CIC/AHIMA CCS for Inpatient Medical Coding Internship.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM DURATION

The online course must be completed within **3-6 months**. In contrast, individual modules must be completed within six months from the date of purchase (additional time extensions may be purchased for **\$29.95** per month). The date of purchase is considered your course start date

FAQS:

Q1: What is a CodersGrade[®] medical coding internship?

A1: A medical coding internship is a structured program that provides hands-on training and experience in the field of medical coding. It allows individuals to apply their knowledge and skills in coding real medical records under the guidance of experts.

Q2: What are the benefits of participating in a CodersGrade® medical coding internship?

A2: Participating in a medical coding internship offers several benefits, including gaining practical coding experience, receiving feedback from experts, building confidence, enhancing coding skills, and improving job prospects in the healthcare industry.

Equivalent to one-year experience

Q3: How long does a CodersGrade® medical coding internship typically last?

A3: 3-6 months from date of enrolment.

Q4: Is the CodersGrade[®] internship program online or in-person?

A4: CodersGrade[®] medical coding internships are offered in an online format, allowing flexibility in terms of time and location.

Q5: What kind of experience will I gain during the medical coding internship?

A5: During a **CodersGrade**[®] medical coding internship, you will gain practical experience in coding medical records, working with coding systems and guidelines, understanding healthcare documentation, and interpreting medical terminology. This experience will prepare you for coding-related roles in healthcare settings.

Q6: Are there any prerequisites or qualifications required to enroll in the internship program?

A6: For Outpatient Internship- CPC/CCS-P/CPMB For Inpatient Coding Internship - CCS/CIC

Q7: Will I receive any certification upon completing the medical coding internship?A7: You will receive CodersGrade® Medical Coding Grade and Internship Certificate

Q9: How is the internship program structured? Is it self-paced or instructor-led? **A9:** Hybrid model- Self-paced, but instructors are available 24/7-Email support

Q10: Will I have access to real medical records for coding practice?

A10: Yes, **CodersGrade**[®] medical coding internship programs provide access to real medical records for coding practice. This allows you to gain experience in coding actual cases encountered in healthcare settings while ensuring patient privacy through redacted records.

Q11: How will I receive feedback and guidance during the internship program?

All: CodersGrade[®] Internship programs offer feedback and guidance through various means, such as instructor evaluations, online discussions, one-on-one mentoring, or review sessions.

Q12: Can the internship program assist me in finding job opportunities after completion?

A12: CodersGrade[®] medical coding internship programs will assist you in placement assistance, career guidance, or networking opportunities to support participants in their job search. However, the level of support can differ between programs, so it is advisable to inquire about the specific career services offered-email: info@codersgrade.com

Q13: Will the internship program cover multiple coding specialties or focus on a specific area?

A13: The focus of the internship program is exposure to multiple coding specialties, allowing you to gain a broader skill set.

Q14: How can I apply for the medical coding internship?

A14: To apply for a medical coding internship, you typically need to follow the application process specified by the program. **Email: info@codersgrade.com**

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One of PMBA's notable accomplishments is the development of the CPMB Certification (Certified Professional Medical Biller), which has been earned by thousands of medical billers worldwide. This certification serves as a testament to their expertise and commitment to maintaining high standards in the industry. CPMB-certified professionals are highly regarded and sought after by various organizations, both in traditional office settings and remote work environments. Many CPMB-certified individuals have also successfully ventured into starting their own medical billing businesses, showcasing the entrepreneurial potential within the field. Medical coding forms the foundation for successful medical billing practices. Accurate and efficient coding ensures proper reimbursement, reduces billing errors, and facilitates streamlined claims processing. Recognizing the importance of this crucial aspect, CodersGrade Medical Coding and Billing Internship has become the flagship program of PMBA USA. This internship offers aspiring medical coders and billers the opportunity to gain hands-on experience, learn from industry experts, and develop the necessary skills to excel in the field.

Through the **CodersGrade** internship, participants receive comprehensive training in medical coding and billing, including exposure to real-world medical records and practical coding exercises. The program is designed to provide a structured learning environment where interns can apply their knowledge, receive feedback, and refine their coding and billing techniques.

By partnering with PMBA and enrolling in the **CodersGrade** Medical Coding and Billing Internship, individuals can benefit from the expertise and reputation of a well-established professional organization. This initiative serves as a stepping stone for aspiring professionals, equipping them with the necessary knowledge, skills, and industry connections to pursue successful careers in medical coding and billing.

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