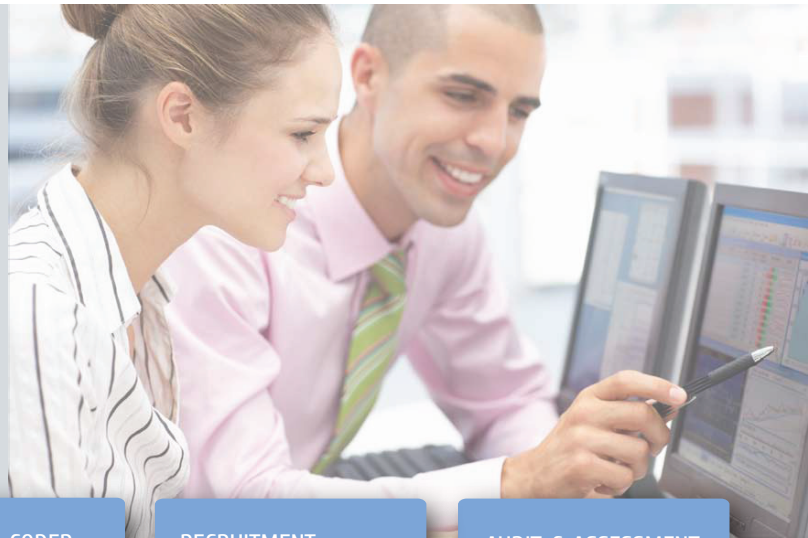# Measure Coder Knowledge to Mitigate ICD-10 Risk

Central Learning ® is a web-based coder testing and assessment tool for ICD-10. Based on coding from real medical records, instant scoring and consistent answer keys. Central Learning automatically identifies coding strengths and weaknesses—intelligence to help hospitals mitigate their ICD-10 revenue risk.

Central Learning is simple to use. Here's how it works.

1. Cases are assigned to coders as if they are in production
2. Coders log into the application to access their worklist
3. Coders open the case in the application or in their own EMR
4. Coders enter codes into the application's coding abstract form
5. Central Learning scores the coding of each case immediately after coder completion
6. Central Learning stores, compiles, and reports each coder's accuracy rate
7. Central Learning generates a skill gap analysis that identifies the strengths and weaknesses of each coder
8. Central Learning creates a baseline for continued monitoring of coder accuracy
9. Coder performance report card is generated for each coder

Central Learning® is user-friendly for all levels of a coder's experience

NEW TRAINEEE
currently enrolled in coding program with no actual practice, only theory

PRE-PRODUCTION CODER
a recent graduate coder with limited medical coding experience or is coding a new patient type

PRODUCTION CODER
a coder who is in full production but does not have a full load of cases

RECRUITMENT
standardization of cases per patient Type for recruitment or taking the place of a multiple choice exam

AUDIT & ASSESSMENT
after in-services; continuous assessments, etc

CENTRAL LEARNING

Technology-enabled coding audits and assessments

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Coders trained in ICD-10. Now What?
Options to Assess Coder Proficiency

	Manual Process: Traditional Coding Audit	Automated Coding Audit & Assessment
Auditors Required	Maximum	Minimum
Record Selection	Manual	Automatic
Case Assignment	Coding of distinct cases; disparate assessment & comparison	Coding of the same medical record cases; equal assessment & comparison
Reviews	Manual	Automatic
Answer Key	Based on auditor; subjective	Created by a forum of coders; objective
Tracking/Trending	X	✓
Data Analysis/Drill Downs	Limited/None	Complete/specific codes
Turnaround Time	2-3 weeks	Immediate
Productivity Assessment	X	✓
Resources Required	High cost; in-house staff or contracted services	Low cost; no in-house staff or contracted services

Be proactive with new, practical strategies to assess and audit coders. Join our on-demand webinar to revamp your coding audit program for ICD-10:
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