Coding Workshop
March 2-3, 2018
Planet Hollywood Las Vegas
Las Vegas, NV
Friday: 12:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturday: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Coding Workshop
July 14-15, 2018
The Palmer House Hilton
Chicago, IL
Saturday: 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
The ASPS Plastic Surgery Coding Workshops offer a comprehensive learning program designed by the American Society of Plastic Surgeons® (ASPS®) to improve the profitability of your practice.

**TOPICS COVERED IN THE WORKSHOP**

- Breast reconstruction -- skin replacement surgery, including skin substitutes and biologic implants, and pre-pectoral implants
- Lesions, lumps, bumps, and flaps
- Adjacent tissue transfers
- Traumatic wound care, repair and debridement
- Burn care
- Chronic wound care and pressure ulcers
- Reconstructive vs. cosmetic surgery – body contouring, nasal procedures, etc.
- Hand surgery
- Microsurgery and use of the operating microscope
- Craniofacial services and facial fractures
- Use of modifiers – including changes to modifier 59 reporting
- Evaluation and Management coding review
- Practice management essentials
• **Peer-Reviewed Coding Standards**

Coding Workshops combine the knowledge of our member surgeons, medical directors, veteran professional coders and the ASPS Coding and Payment Policy Committee. The uniquely interactive, comprehensive course focuses on the broad issues of practice management and reimbursement and delves into case-based instruction of the new Coding standards.

• **Regulatory Representation for Accurate and Ethical Coding**

The American Society of Plastic Surgeons has both staff and physician representation at the American Medical Association meetings, allowing ASPS to communicate the Society’s position to regulatory bodies as coding policy is created and updated.

• **Building Upon Our 85-Year History of the Specialty**

ASPS is the largest plastic surgery specialty organization in the world. It is a society created by plastic surgeons for plastic surgeons with an emphasis on advancing the quality of care provided to patients. Our intention is to promote high standards of training, ethics, education, and research to practicing surgeons and their staff.

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**The Dollars and Sense of Attending a Workshop**

Participating in the workshop can be a profitable experience and save you time in the long run. Some of the many take-aways include:

- Review of the requirements to prevent payment denials
- Thorough coverage of practice management fundamentals and evaluation and management
- Panel-led discussion of complex coding questions
- Opportunity to query members of both the ASPS Coding and Payment Policy Committee and the AMA’s RUC Committee
- Reference manual, interactive coding case examples, skills assessments and support
**Intended Audience**
This accredited educational activity is designed specifically for plastic surgeons and their office staff teams, including office administrators, practice managers, billing companies, and billing/coding specialists.

**Learning Objectives**
Upon completion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Identify CPT coding concepts specific to breast reconstruction, skin lesion removal, flaps and grafts, skin substitutes, lacerations, and wound debridement procedures
- Describe the changes to the Medicare Quality Payment Program and the steps necessary to improve claims processing, payment and revenue generation
- Refine necessary steps to successfully report ICD-10-CM codes
- Accurately code Plastic Surgery case examples, using CPT and ICD-10 coding schematics

**ABMS Core Competencies**
The following ABMS core competencies will be addressed:
- Professionalism
- Systems-Based Practice

**Accreditation**
The American Society of Plastic Surgeons® (ASPS®) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

**Designation**
The American Society of Plastic Surgeons designates this live activity for a maximum of 12.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

This activity has prior approval of the American Academy of Professional Coders for 12.5 Continuing Education Units. Granting of this approval in no way constitutes endorsement by the Academy of the program, content or the program sponsor.

**Disclosure Policy**
The American Society of Plastic Surgeons (ASPS) requires all instructors, planners, reviewers, managers, and other individuals in a position to control or influence the content of an activity to disclose all relevant financial relationships or affiliations. All identified conflicts of interest must be resolved and the educational content thoroughly vetted by ASPS for fair balance, scientific objectivity, and appropriateness of patient care recommendations. ASPS also requires faculty/authors to disclose when off-label/unapproved uses of product are discussed in a CME activity or included in related materials.
PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Course materials will be available at the registration desk an hour before the start of each of the workshops. Attendees may find it beneficial to bring their CPT and ICD-10-CM books to reference and annotate during the workshop.

Las Vegas Coding Workshop
March 2-3, 2018
Planet Hollywood, Las Vegas

Special offer for Las Vegas Coding Workshop Attendees
Las Vegas Coding Workshop attendees are also invited to register for the one-day Aesthetica Practice Management track on March 1, 2018, at the Paris Las Vegas Hotel. Learn more about the Aesthetica practice management deep dive at plasticsurgery.org/Aesthetica.

Chicago Coding Workshop
July 14-15, 2018
The Palmer House Hotel, Chicago

For convenience, on-site registration will be available Friday, July 13, 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

PlasticSurgery.org/Coding
Las Vegas
March 2-3, 2018
HOTEL
Planet Hollywood Las Vegas
3667 South Las Vegas Boulevard
Las Vegas, NV 89109
Reservations: Online or (866) 277-5944
(assessed fee of $15 plus tax)
Group Rate: $154 on week nights and $204 on Friday and Saturday
Group Rate Deadline: Jan. 30, 2018
Group Rate Code: “SMASP8”
Deposit: One night’s room and tax at time of booking
Cancellation: 72 hours prior to scheduled arrival or deposit is forfeited

Chicago
July 14-15, 2018
HOTEL
The Palmer House Hilton
17 East Monroe Street
Chicago, IL 60603
Reservations: (312 )726-7500
Group Rate: $219
Group Rate Deadline: June 29, 2018
Deposit: One night’s room and tax at time of booking
Cancellation: 72 hours prior to scheduled arrival or deposit is forfeited

FOUR WAYS TO REGISTER
PlasticSurgery.org/Coding
800.766.4955 or 847.228.9900
847.228.7099
ASPS Attn: Finance Department
444 E. Algonquin Rd.
Arlington Heights, Il 60005-4664

Registration includes admission to the workshop, course workbook, and indicated meals.
All registrants must pay the full registration fee; one-day registration is not available.
Spouse/accompanying guests (healthcare professionals) who wish to attend the workshop must register.
Allow 10 days for processing.
Please make checks payable to ASPS.

IMPORTANT CANCELLATION DEADLINES
• Notice of cancellation should be sent to the address and fax number listed above
• Full refunds for registration — cancellation notice must be received in writing 30 days prior to workshop
• 50% refund, if cancellation notice is received 15-30 days prior to workshop
• No refunds will be given if cancellation notice is received less than 14 days prior to workshop or for those who fail to attend
• All refunds are subject to a $25 processing fee