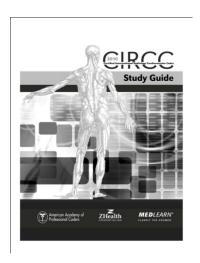
CIRCC Study Guide

2010 Book Errata



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Disregard Chapter 1 – Coding Essentials

The first printing of the study guide includes Chapter 1—Coding Essentials, which covers modifiers, evaluation and management (E&M) codes, and diagnosis codes. Our intention was to delete this chapter from the 2010 edition because the CIRCC test does not include this information. Subscribers should disregard the contents of this chapter for purposes of the test.

Page 16 Codes 36217 and 36218 should also be listed in the table at the top of this page as follows:

		Revenue
Code	Description	Code
36217	Selective catheter placement, arterial system; initial third order	36x
	or more selective thoracic or brachiocephalic branch, within a	
	vascular family	
36218	Selective catheter placement, arterial system; additional second	36x
	order, third order, and beyond, thoracic or brachiocephalic	
	branch, within a vascular family (List in addition to code for	
	initial second or third order vessel as appropriate)	

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Code 75962 and its descriptor should be included in the box at the top as follows:

Code	Description	Revenue Code
75962	Transluminal balloon angioplasty, peripheral artery, radiological supervision and interpretation	32x

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The description for code 60100 was corrected. It should be as follows:

		Revenue
Code	Description	Code
60100	Biopsy thyroid, percutaneous core needle	36x

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Page 67 – The descriptions for codes 32421 and 32422 were corrected. They should be as follows:

		Revenue
Code	Description	Code
32421	Thoracentesis, puncture of pleural cavity for aspiration, initial or subsequent	36x
32422	Thoracentesis with insertion of tube, includes water seal (eg, for pneumothorax), when performed (separate procedure)	36x

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