

AHDI Program Offerings for Class Members from *Myers et al. v. MedQuist Inc. et al.*

Present and former MedQuist medical transcriptionists who were compensated on a per line basis for work on MedRite, MTS or DEP between November 29, 1998 and August 11, 2008 are entitled to participate in one of the following AHDI programs free of charge as provided below:

Option 1: Credentialing Prep Courses and Specialty Courses (online)

AHDI offers monthly credentialing preparatory courses and specialty courses via an online platform through business partner OAK Horizons, an educational institution. The RMT and CMT prep courses were created using the credentialing exam blueprints. The Specialty Courses, also provided through the OAK Horizons partnership, include over twenty specialty courses such as: Neurology, Cardiology, Radiology, Infectious Disease, and Psychiatry. Interested candidates must sign up for these courses by the 20th of the proceeding month. Candidates have 24-hour online access to each course starting the first day of the month to the last day of the month.

OFFER: Choose two (2) Prep Assessments and /or Specialty Courses, to be signed up for by July 1, 2010 for any courses available on the system for current or future dates. There are 3,000 seats available for this option and will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

Option 2: AHDI Educational Presentations (online library of webinars)

AHDI offers a wide variety of educational presentations via online webinar. Each webinar is creditworthy based on the AHDI Credentialing programs' continuing education requirements to keep MT credentials current. AHDI offers five or more educational presentations each month making it convenient for MTs to access educational offerings via the web in the convenience of their home or office. Educational presentations include Technology Tools, People Management, Documentation Standards, Public Speaking, Understanding Speech Recognition, Grammar Workshop, Dynamic Writing, and Industry Trends and Drivers.

OFFER: Choose the webinar library by July 1, 2010 and be able to access our online library webinar recordings for a time period of six (6) months with unlimited access during the six month timeframe. There are 1,500 seats available for this option and will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

Option 3: AHDI Educational Product Bundle

AHDI offers an array of educational products in CD print format to ensure the continued education of healthcare documentation specialists. This CD bundle includes the following products:

Mega MT Challenge I & II – Both of these CDs provide the user with self-study in all specialty areas that MTs encounter in the workplace. Questions involve medical terminology, English fundamentals, pharmacology, and HIPAA. These products are often used to enhance quality assurance performance with employees.

CMT Prep Quiz CD Vol. 1 – This CD provides Level II Prep questions used by MTs and CMT test candidates to increase their medical terminology vocabulary and on-screen test taking abilities. Each quiz once taken provides the user with the answers for scoring purposes.

Willie Get Well – This CD provides the user with proofing and editing exercises that will enhance the skill for editing and error recognition, skills important in a speech recognition environment.

OFFER: One (1) Educational CD bundle consisting of the following four (4) products: Mega MT Challenge I, Mega MT Challenge II, CMT Prep Quizzes, and Willie Get Well. This option must be selected by July 1, 2010.

There are 2,000 bundles available for this option and will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

Option 4: AHDI Knowledge Base and Information Portal

One year subscription. The AHDI Knowledge Base and Information Portal is a subscription based web service developed with InterFix Ventures and Stedman's' medical reference company to provide documentation reference tools including medical dictionary, nationwide physician database, English dictionary, industry standards of style manual, clinical medicine words books, spelling resource and quality improvement tools, along with electronic membership in AHDI. The software application provides practitioners with immediate access to patient and physician information, the AHDI *Book of Style*, and quality message alerts to assist medical transcriptionists on eliminating errors at the point of creation, thereby improving overall transcription processes and improving patient safety.

OFFER: One (1) year subscription, for any new users without a previous or current subscription, to the IC version of the Knowledge Base. This option must be selected by July 1, 2010.

There are 1,500 subscriptions available for this option and will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

Option 5: AHDI Professional Individual Membership

AHDI provides networking, education, advocacy, and best practice guidelines to evolve the clinical documentation profession and empower the professionals within it to make sound choices on their own. AHDI follows trends and changes within the industry and imparts that information to the membership. AHDI promotes excellence in education and practice through various programs, services, and alliance building activity. To that end, AHDI offers its practitioners the opportunity for and access to resources, information, events, and services that assists them to make informed choices that lead to successful career outcomes. Together, we work to advance the profession through legislative advocacy, standard-setting, and professional development.

OFFER: Individual Professional Membership valid for one (1) year from the date of processing. This option must be selected by July 1, 2010.

There are 2,000 memberships available for this option and will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

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