AAUL TECH AND CAREER ACADEMY

# **MEDICAL CODING AND HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNICIAN (MCHIT)**

### COURSE DESCRIPTION

This program is designed specifically for those interested in the coding and the handling Health Information administrative aspect of the medical healthcare industry. With detailed teaching, the program is intended to provide personal enrichment from an inclusive array of medical billing and Health Information Technology topics ranging from the introductory courses to intense and detailed advanced billing and coding courses. In this program students will learn: medical terminology; basic anatomy and physiology; clinical classification systems; medical coding (CPT, ICD-10-CM, HCPCS); clinical records management; medical office procedures; insurance and medical billing; and information technologies, while focusing on HIPAA, OIG, and Medicare compliance.

### **COURSE INFORMATION**

Day Session: Mon-Thu, 9:00am-3:00pm (240 hours: 12 weeks) Night Session: Mon-Thu, 6:00pm-9:00pm (240 hours: 27 weeks)

Average Class Size: Up to 16 students



## ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Individuals applying for this course are required to have successfully completed the basics test for computers.
- 2. Present proof of education (high school diploma or GED certificate or in pursuit thereof).



## CAREER PATHS

- Medical Coders
- Medical Biller
- · Medical Records Technician
- Health Information Technician

\$17.50/hr++