
Wednesday Coding RoundTable

3:00 PM-4:00 PM Open

Atlantic 2

4:00 PM—6:00 PM Meet and Greet for all Attendees and Exhibitors

Ocean—Exhibit Hall

4:00 PM—6:00PM Registration

Registration Desk

5:00 PM—6:00PM Coding RoundTable Dinner

Horizon

5:45pm—6:45pm "Trends in Nutrition Diagnosis, Deana Rodriguez, RDN, CFNC,
Horizon Weight Loss Medications: FNLP

Documentation, Patterns, and
Audit Insight-A Dietitian's
Perspective"

6:45 PM—7:00 PM Coffee and Dessert Break

Horizon

7:00pm—8:00pm “Trends in Nutrition Diagnosis, Carole Liebner RHIT, CDIP, CCS -
Horizon Weight Loss Medications: NJHA Healthcare Business
Documentation, Patterns, and Solutions; Anna Lisa Russo-
Audit Insights — The ICD10 Scholer, BHS, RHIT, CDIP, CCS -
Coding Perspective” Pena4

Thursday Sessions

6:30AM	Registration Opens	
6:30AM - 8:30AM	Continental Breakfast	
Ocean		
8:00AM	Exhibit Hall Opens	
8:00AM—8:15AM	Opening Remarks	Gina Yacovelli, DHSc, CCS, CCS-P, CPC, CPMA, CEMC, CPB
SuperStar Theater		NJHIMA President
8:15AM—9:15AM	The Human Nervous System of Healthcare: Empathy, Presence and Purpose	Keynote Speaker: Elizabeth Barry, BS
SuperStar Theater		
9:15AM—9:30AM	Break - Exhibit Hall & Take A Chance Raffle	
9:30AM—10:30AM	AHIMA in Action	David Cella, MBA, CEO, AHIMA & Tonya L. Bates, MSML, RHIA, CHPS, CC
SuperStar Theater		
10:30AM—11:15AM	Exhibit Hall & Take A Chance Raffle	
11:15AM—12:00PM	Concurrent Sessions	
Horizon	“Let’s Get Respiratory: Lungs, Tubes & Surgical Moves” - Part 1	Carole Liebner RHIT, CDIP, CCS - NJHA Healthcare Business Solutions; Anna Lisa Russo-Scholer, BHS, RHIT, CDIP, CCS - Pena4
Atlantic 2	Leveraging LinkedIn for HIMA Advocacy and Building a Thriving Online Community	Andriana Semko, MBA, RHIA, CCS, CCS-P, PC
Atlantic 3	Artificial Intelligence in HIM: Preparing a Workforce for the Future	Memory Ndanga, PhD, RHIA
Atlantic 4	Legal Wording in Charting of the Medical Record	Ines Chacon RN, BSN, CLNC, WCC, CCO
12:15PM—1:30PM	LUNCH	
Atlantic Ballroom		

Thursday Sessions—Cont

1:45PM—2:45PM	Concurrent Sessions	
Horizon	“Let’s Get Respiratory: Lungs, Tubes & Surgical Moves” - Part 2	Carole Liebner RHIT, CDIP, CCS - NJHA Healthcare Business Solutions; Anna Lisa Russo-Scholer, BHS, RHIT, CDIP, CCS - Pena4
Atlantic 2	The Hidden Burden: Managing Health Records on Legacy Systems	Barbara Carr
Atlantic 3	Mentorship in Health Information Management: Building the Next Generation of Leaders	Dr. Dasantila Sherifi, PhD, MBA, RHIA
Atlantic 4	Utilization Review and Case Management Transition to eFax	Tamara Wallenburg, RHIT
2:45PM—4:00PM	Exhibit Hall & Take A Chance Raffle	
Ocean	Coffee Break	
4:00PM—5:00PM	Concurrent Sessions	
Horizon	LTC—Roundtable and AMDC Current Trends	Suzanne Douglass, RHIA, Virtua, Marie Rommel, RHIA
Atlantic 2	Closing the Operational Gap In Health Information Management	Vrishti Talegaonkar, BDS, MPH, MSM, FACHDM
Atlantic 3	Leading the Record Keepers: Building the Next Generation of HIM Leaders	Krishna Powell
Atlantic 4	Making Sense of AI Solutions for Med Rev Cycle in 2026 & Beyond	Timothy Minnich
6:00PM—9:00PM	Reception	“The Roaring 20’s!”
VIP Lounge		

Friday Sessions

8:00AM	Registration and Exhibit Hall Opens	
8:00AM - 9:00AM	Continental Breakfast	
Ocean		
8:30AM—9:30AM	Concurrent Sessions	
Atlantic 2	EPIC Panel	Seerojnie (Ashley) Nanan, MBA, RHIA, CCS, CPC, Cooper Jaclyn Barrett, RHIA, RWJBH Rebekah Jones Andrew Lawrence
Atlantic 3	TBA	
Atlantic 4	TBA	
9:30AM—11:00AM	Hotel Check Out/Exhibit Hall & Take A Chance Raffle	
11:00AM—12:00PM	Concurrent Sessions	
Atlantic 2	Data, Decisions, and Directions: Turning Health Information Into Organizational Insight	Krishna Powell
Atlantic 3	Beyond the Code: An HIM Leadership & Innovation Panel	Courtne Simmons Hordge, MHA, RHIA CCS, CDIP, PMP, FAHIMA—Pena4
Atlantic 4	Business Value Consulting - Presentation Title Pending	Melissa Laing, RHIA, CCS, CRCR -MDAUDIT - Vice President
12:00PM—2:00PM	Brunch	
Atlantic Ballroom		
