2018 Examination Application

Certified Clinical Documentation Specialist (CCDS)

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1. Personal information

Name: ______________________________ Credentials ________________________ Job Title: __________________________

Home Address: ____ Home Phone: ______________________

City/State/Zip: ____ Cell: ______________________________

Company Name: ____ Work Phone: _______________________

Company Address: ____

Company Address 2: ____ Work Fax: _________________________

City/State/Zip: ____

E-mail: ____

ACDIS member: ❑ Yes ❑ No

(Home address required as your certificate will be mailed to your home address. It will not be used for marketing or commercial purposes.)

2. Educational background

High School/GED Equivalent: _______________________________________ City/State: ________________ Degree: _________

College or University (last attended): ______________________________ City/State: ________________ Degree: _________

Additional college-level courses taken: ____

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3. Work experience

Current facility/company name: ____

Dates of employment (Starting month/year to current): ____

Length of time as a clinical documentation specialist: ____

Immediate supervisor's name: ____

Supervisor's phone number: ____

Supervisor's e-mail address: ____

Add additional work experience if in current position less time than required to meet CCDS Exam eligibility requirements.

Previous facility/company name: ____

Dates of employment (Starting month/year to ending month/year):____

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Name: ____________________________________

4. Current certifications

Please check which of the following certifications you currently hold.

❑ ACM	❑ BS	❑ BSN	❑ CCM	❑ CCS	❑ CIC	❑ CLNC
❑ CMAC	❑ CPC-H	❑ CPHQ	❑ CPUR	❑ CTR	❑ FNP	❑ LPN
❑ MBA	❑ MD	❑ MPH	❑ MS	❑ MSN	❑ RHIA	❑ RHIT
❑ RN	❑ Other, please specify:______________________					

5. Release of examination results

ACDIS recognizes the achievement of all individuals who successfully complete the CCDS examination on the **ACDIS** web site and/or in the *CDI Journal.* May we use your name in these publications? ❑ Yes ❑ No

6. Method of payment

Fax or scan/email your application according to the instructions on the first page. Then click this link to pay online. If you are an ACDIS member, log into your ACDIS membership and go to hcmarketplace.com/ccds-certification to pay the member price. If you prefer you may mail a check with the application.

7. Location of Exam

You will receive an email with instructions to schedule your exam at the AMP Testing Center of your choice.

8. Americans with Disabilities Act

Will you require special accommodations for the administration of this examination? ❑ Yes ❑ No
(If yes, complete the 2-page *Request for Special Examination Accommodations* form and submit with this application.)

9. Code of ethics

I hereby attest that the above information is true and accurate. I have read and fully understand the candidate handbook and all sections therein, as well as the **ACDIS** Code of Ethics. I agree to abide by the terms of the candidate handbook and the **ACDIS** Code of Ethics, as well as any other requirements set forth in this application.

I certify that I have fulfilled the requirements to take the exam and that the information provided by me on this application is accurate.

I understand that the submission of false information will be grounds for rejection of my application at the sole discretion of **ACDIS**. I understand that some applications may be audited for accuracy.

Signature: ____________________________________

Date: ____________________________________

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