

AGENDA/MEETING MINUTES
Advisory Board
Health Information Technology November 17, 2015
6:00PM
ETA 220 – open meeting with students and HIM professionals

ITEM 1. FIRE Day

Data/data source: Leadership presentation by Lou Testa

Action: Presentation on increased emphasis in AHIMA 2017 curriculum competencies on leadership training.

ITEM 2. Panel discussion on HI careers

Discussion:

- Amber Martinez-Broadwater – new statistics – by 2020 there will be a 22% shortage in the workforce.
- Melody Luttmann – VA has new opening for their paid internship program.
- Others provided personal recommendations and background to the open forum. Debra Braley, Gilbert Dougherty, Dari Bonner, and Melissa McCudden (program graduate)

Data/data source: BPC members, students, graduates and professionals.

Action: As previously recommended by BPC, students, business partners, and professionals gathered to discuss future trends in health information professions. The VA provided applications for VA internship.
Cited value in continuing education with particular interest in the CHPS credential from AHIMA.

ITEM 3 ICD-10 Implementation

Discussion: All business partners agreed that the process of ICD-10 implementation went smooth for them.

Data/data source:

Action: Continue to provide ICD-10 continuing education. The programs have all moved to ICD-10 in the curriculum.

ITEM 4 Continuing Education

Discussion:

- Exam prep for CDIP, CHDA, CPHQ and CHPS
- ICD-10

- Topics for future speakers and recommended speakers

Data/data source:

Action:

Provide information about CHPS to members once it is offered.

OTHER. Next meeting – February/March 2016

Attendance:

Colette Chiacchiero

Amber Martinez

Debra Braley

Lou Testa

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