



## TAMRA R. LAHMER, CPC, CPC-I, CPMA, CCS-P, MCS-P

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Tamra Lahmer is the Founder and President of **MEDIQUICK PHYSICIAN SERVICES** in Fort Worth, Texas. Her company started in January 2000 as a home-based physician billing company and has evolved into a full-service revenue management company which supports the reimbursement and compliance needs of health care providers. A seasoned professional, Tamra is known for her ability to inspire and challenge others towards achieving their personal dreams, professional goals and corporate objectives. She holds national certifications in coding, both through AAPC and AHIMA as well as additional credentials in compliance, medical auditing and as an AAPC certified coding instructor. Tamra is the recipient of the highest rating of "Excellent" by the Tarrant County College teacher evaluation program where she taught medical coding for seven years. In 2013, she achieved an exclusive 100% proficiency on her exam to be an approved AAPC national ICD-10 instructor. Additionally, she provides a variety of other coding and reimbursement training programs for the private and government sectors. She has served in multiple officer positions with the Fort Worth AAPC Chapter including President and Education Officer.

Her experience and credentials have equipped her to serve as an expert witness in a multi-million dollar orthopedic litigation case. She is the author of a medical reimbursement curriculum, which she sold to a Dallas based company in 2006. Her consulting services include small practice start-up, assisting practices to identify lost revenue, performing thousands of medical record audits for physicians and organizations, as well as outreach and training for national organizations such as Medicare Advantage Plans, medical universities and hospital groups. Tamra fuels her enthusiasm for coding through her 14-year tenure as a medical coding instructor where she proudly teaches the AAPC PMCC Medical Coding Training curriculum as well as other complimentary courses in CPT® coding, ICD-10-CM, medical auditing, health insurance and career preparation.

Tamra is also the founder and President of Fort Worth's newest adult vocational school called **TEXAS CAREER CENTER**. Tamra's dream and vision to help other people enjoy the success and prosperity of quality employment, along with her passion for teaching has motivated the development of this exciting new institution. Texas Career Center's founding program offers the AAPC's distinguished curriculum for achievement of the CPC® credential, and supports the dreams of adults who seek to gain training or advanced career development in in this field which she loves and has enjoyed for many years. Texas Career Center has recently expanded their campus and added a new HVAC (Heating/Ventilation/Air Conditioning) program in 2015 and has plans for even more vocational programs in years to come.

Beyond her career in coding and education, she is happily married to her husband Bill of 23 years and is the proud mother of six children and 21 grandchildren. She resides in Fort Worth, Texas.

