

There is a growing need for medical coders.

The most common reason? A lack of qualified candidates.

TOP JOB BENEFITS OF MEDICAL CODERS



JOB GROWTH

22% INCREASE in medical coding jobs over next five years.



EARNING POTENTIAL

Maryland ranks as one of the top paying states for medical coders.



FLEXIBLE WORK SCHEDULE

A growing number of healthcare providers outsource medical coding jobs.

WHAT ARE TYPICAL JOB RESPONSIBILITIES?

Transcribe doctor's dictation into:

- Diagnostic test results
- Operative reports
- Referral letters
- Documents



IS MEDICAL CODING AND BILLING A GROWING FIELD?



YES!

Healthcare is the largest industry in the nation

There is a **53% SHORTAGE** of medical coders

With the aging baby boomer population, demand is outpacing supply

AVERAGE SALARY OF MEDICAL CODERS IN MARYLAND:

\$45,670

Those working in Greater Baltimore earn even more.



HOW DO YOU BECOME A MEDICAL CODER?

You need to take a professional certification course and take the certification exam to be certified by the AAPC, the governing body of medical coders.



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