***As the AOP was a topic of discussion at last month’s Coder meeting, I’m again going to divert from the usual format and do a quick review.***

1. **Is Proof of Identity needed when we witness signatures on an AOP?**

\_\_\_ Yes, just as if it was notarized

\_\_\_ It’s optional and may be a good idea but not required

1. **If the woman is legally married or separated when she becomes pregnant who is the legal father**?

\_\_\_Her legal husband

\_\_\_ The biologic father of the baby, her current partner

\_\_\_The biologic father even if he’s not her current partner

1. **If the woman was divorced after she became pregnant and then married the biologic father before the baby was born, who is legally responsible for the baby?**

\_\_\_The husband she divorced

\_\_\_The biologic father to whom she is married

1. **What cannot be changed or corrected on the AOP?**

\_\_\_The mother’s name

\_\_\_The mother’s address

\_\_ \_The baby’s name

\_\_\_The father’s name

1. **What type of explanation is required by the NYSDOH before parents sign the AOP?**

\_\_\_A copy of the AOP form with the availability of the parents to ask questions

\_\_\_Oral explanation either by reading the AOP form to the parents or asking them to watch the video

\_\_\_Both

1. **If the FOB is incarcerated or in the military, a Power of Attorney can sign in his place.**

\_\_\_True

\_\_\_False

1. **The FOB can sign the AOP even if the mother does not.**

\_\_\_True

\_\_\_False

1. **An AOP was signed by the biologic father while the woman is still legally married. How is this resolved?**

\_\_\_You destroy the form.

\_\_\_If discovered the family takes the issue before a judge and you are not involved.