



Health Information Management Reviews

Panacea understands the importance of HIM and the impact that mistakes in HIM coding can have on a hospital's bottom line.

Panacea determines whether the staff is coding accurately and efficiently, reveals missed revenue opportunities or overpayment risk, and evaluates whether the services a patient is provided are medically necessary.

HIM Inpatient Reviews

To perform an inpatient HIM review, Panacea typically analyzes a sample of medical records to assess for appropriateness of diagnosis and procedure code selection using the ICD-10-CM/PCS coding systems, present on admission (POA) indicators, selection of MS-DRG or APR-DRG, completeness of documentation to support accurate code assignment and appropriateness of physician queries. We can also validate the physician admission order, verify the discharge disposition, and verify code transfer to the claim form and MS-DRG payment received on the remittance advice.

HIM Outpatient Reviews

To perform an outpatient HIM review, Panacea typically analyzes a sample of medical records to assess for appropriateness of ICD-10-CM diagnosis and HCPCS/CPT procedure code selection, facility E/M (Evaluation and Management), modifiers, and completeness of documentation to support accurate code assignment. We can also validate the physician order, LCDs and NCDs for medical necessity of services, verify code transfer to the claim form, and APC payment received on the remittance advice.

After an inpatient or outpatient review, Panacea can provide customized education to meet your coding/documentation needs. The transition from ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM has been complex. Our post-implementation reviews have identified the topics for further education for our clients.

Our HIM expert reviewers do more than uncover your opportunities, risks and areas of improvement; they work with your HIM department's staff to achieve and maintain a higher level of effectiveness.



We help healthcare organizations improve their bottom line and strategic market position with front line expertise in revenue cycle management, smart software and enterprise-level educational solutions.

Key Benefits

Appropriately capture revenue

Identify risk

Link medical necessity of services with coding accuracy

Achieve at least 95% coding accuracy for all coding professionals

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