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About Panacea

Panacea delivers innovative auditing, compliance, chargemaster, strategic pricing, and revenue integrity consulting and software solutions as a single-vendor solution to help clients proactively identify risks and opportunities and overcome today's challenges, providing the clear answers needed to swiftly and cost-effectively achieve quality results.

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Health Information Management Coding and Documentation Reviews

Panacea understands the importance of coding and documentation and the impact that coding errors can have on a hospital's bottom line.

Our coding and documentation reviews evaluate the accuracy of coding, the possibilities of missed revenue opportunities, the risks of noncompliance, and plausibility of documentation supporting medical necessity guidelines.

Inpatient Reviews

To perform an inpatient review, Panacea 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, and a selection of MS-DRG or APR-DRG. We also analyze for the 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, code transfer to the claim form, and MS-DRG payment received on the remittance advice.

Outpatient Reviews

To perform an outpatient review, Panacea 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. Our coding and documentation expert reviewers do more than uncover your opportunities, risks, and areas of improvement; they work with your organization's HIM, compliance, and revenue cycle department's staff to achieve and maintain a higher level of accuracy and effectiveness.

Key Benefits

- Appropriately capture revenue
- Identify risks and opportunities
- Link medical necessity of services with coding accuracy
- Achieve accurate, compliant coding for all coding professionals
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- Compliant coding equals accurate revenue

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