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Vitalware Hospital Price Index™
Less Stressful Price Transparency Compliance

Reviewing all the requirements around price transparency can be daunting. Here's a quick overview of the benefits you'll receive with Vitalware Hospital Price Index (HPI).

What Is Required	What Vitalware Does	Benefit To Our Partners
Patient-Friendly CDM Descriptions	Scrub your CDM for patient-friendly descriptions; remove zero dollar or penny priced items; remove items below a volume of 10; remove items below your charging threshold; present in a hosted URL	Our team's intensive analysis allows you to become validators of your data rather than builders of your data; clean and up to date CDM linkages; standard charges; online, machine-readable, searchable without charge or registration.
All Services Creation	Use your 837/835 data to create all of your service packages and single service items; assign the 5 standard charges to each at the package or item level	Service package creation by our team allowing your team to become the validators—not builders—of your data; programmatically loaded and sorted by volume using our HPI engine; standard charges assigned programmatically.
CMS 70 Shoppables Determination	Programmatically assign CMS's predetermined 70 shoppables to your data; deliver within the HPI application so your team can validate what is or is not performed	Quick analysis of which shoppables you perform using the HPI application; programmatically assigned for review and validation.
Self-Selected 230 Shoppables Determination	Programmatically assign the remaining service packages by descending volume; deliver within the HPI application for your team to determine what self-selected shoppables will round out your required 300 for display	Quick analysis of what remaining shoppables you perform that you want to self-select and assign as one of your 300 shoppables.
Displaying three views CDM, Shoppable, and All Services	Load into the HPI user interface and host on your website for access by your consumer without charge or registration in a machine-readable format	One location for your consumer to access each display rather than using multiple vendors with multiple datasets; CDM, shoppables, and services in one hosted URL per hospital with the same underlying data; machine-readable with no charge or registration required.

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5 Standard Charges | HPI Has You Covered

Standard Charge	How We Get You There
Gross Charge	We use your CDM and R&U
Payer Negotiated Charge	We use the allowable charge off your 835 to assess the lowest, highest, and average charge at each plan level
De-Identified Minimum across all Payers	We use the allowable charge off your 835 and sort ascending and determine the minimum charge across all payers
De-Identified Maximum across all Payers	We use the allowable charge off your 835 and sort descending determine the maximum charge across all payers
Cash Discount	We use your cash discount logic and post it at every line item whether a % discount or a flat cash fee

Because our strategy is to satisfy the requirements of the CMS law:

- We provide a single location for your consumers to access all the required information.

- We do the hard work for you. HPI, programmatically, uses our Best in KLAS VitalCDM backbone to scrub your CDM, create your service packages, and determine your shoppables.

- We do not impact your daily revenue cycle by adding fifteen new data points to keep accurate for a patient estimation tool.

Our goal is to support hospitals in complying with confidence. Combined with our foundation of Best in KLAS mid-revenue cycle solutions and experience, we'll get you there.

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