

Reasons to Conduct an Annual CDM Review



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Learning Objectives

Four Reasons to conduct an Annual CDM Review

- Compliance
- Reimbursement
- Revenue Capture
- Transparency

Vitalware CDM Review

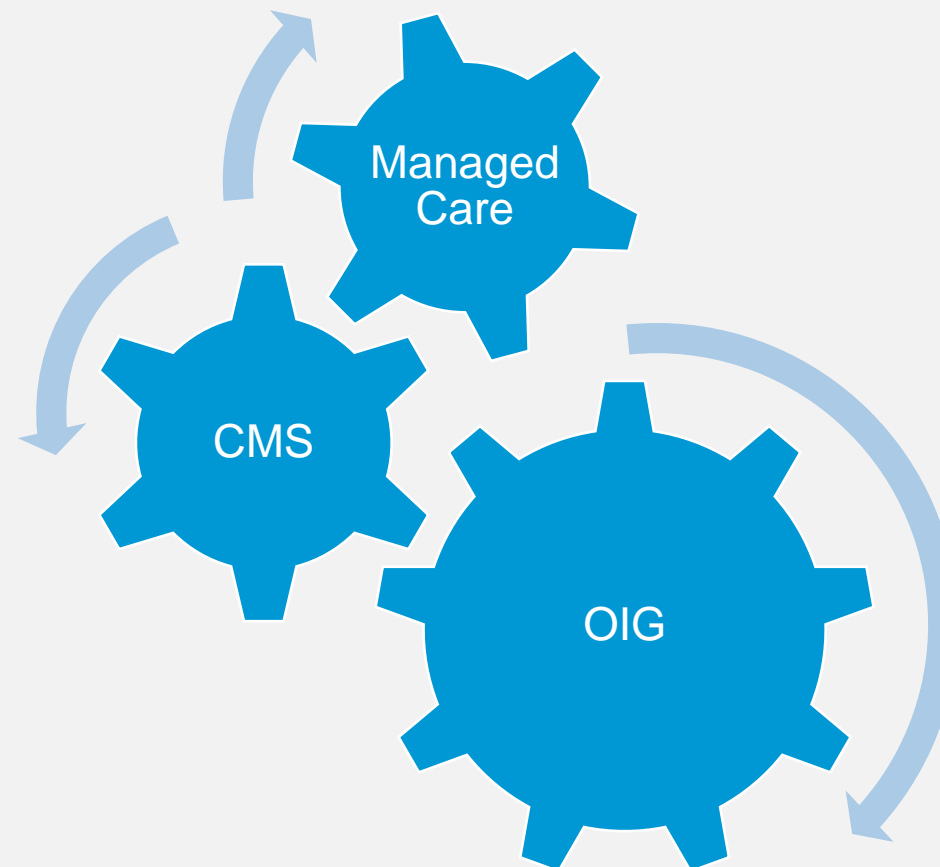
- CDM download and 12 months of revenue and usage
- VitalCDM analysis
- Line-by-line review by Revenue Integrity Consultant
- Claims review
- Onsite interviews with Revenue Integrity and Clinical Leaders
- Results of recommendations loaded into VitalCDM Workflow
- Executive summary of findings and recommendations
- 6 weeks of support from Revenue Integrity Consultant

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Compliance

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- CPT®/HCPCS
- Revenue Codes
- Modifiers
- Drug multipliers
- NDCs
- Charge Descriptions
- Units



Compliance

- **Accurate CPT for service provided**
- **Clear and concise documentation**
- **Accurate charge explosions**
- **Use of preference cards**
- **Proper response to failed claims**
- **Proper linkage between order entry/clinical systems and CDM**

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Reimbursement

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Reimbursement based on:

- CPT/HCPCS
- Revenue Code
- Status Indicator
- Percentage of charge
- Modifier
- Units
- Price

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Revenue Capture

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- **Capture cost**
- **Missing charges**
- **Missed charges**
- **Late charges**
- **Failed claims**
- **Increased A/R days and RTP**
- **Hospital vs physician billable**

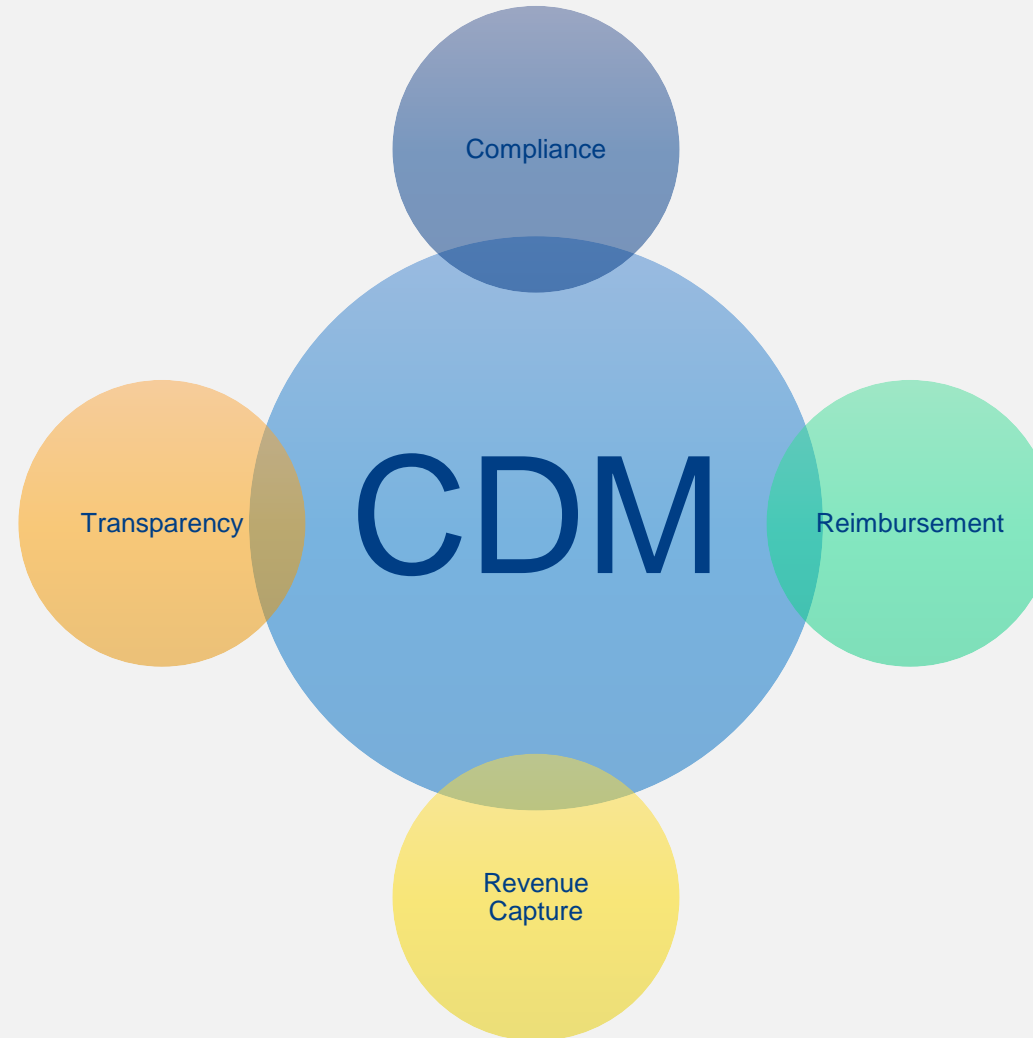
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- **Public access**
- **Shoppable services**
- **Market competition**
- **Pricing Policies**
- **Cost-to-Charge**

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