

Repricing and PPO Access



At Hoover, medical bill repricing services (also known as cost containment and medical bill review/audit) involves the expert analysis of medical bills using our proprietary software in conjunction with the most complete, accurate and up-to-date data available in states where medical bills are dictated by fee schedules or where usual and customary charges apply.

The repricing process involves comparing diagnostic and procedural codes to identify any treatment unrelated to the compensable injury or illness, in addition to identifying duplicate bills, procedural up-coding and service unbundling. We also provide extensive bill negotiation services to access additional savings for our customers.

Because we are a complete workers' compensation management firm, we can offer cost repricing services that are conducted by registered nurses and experienced, certified bill review professionals, and which are seamlessly integrated with direct reporting, telephonic care management, pharmacy benefits management and other health, disability and benefit management programs.

Hoover is affiliated with a number of Preferred Provider Organizations (PPOs) – networks of physicians, hospitals and other medical providers – and specialty provider networks such as physical therapy and radiology – offering health care services at rates below fee schedule and U&C charges.

Our ability to access multiple PPO networks in the cost containment process ensures the maximum savings potential for workers' compensation, automobile and PIP claims.

Medical Provider Panels

Having an established physician network is essential to the success of any workplace injury or illness management program. Our Nurse Case Coordinators (NCCs) and other rehabilitation professionals help our clients establish and maintain appropriate lists of physicians, specialists and other medical service providers.

We review and update our panels on an ongoing basis to ensure that all providers meet established experiential and practical guidelines (including appropriate geographic locations).

Our repricing service highlights include:

- **Expert analysis to identify duplicates, up-codes and unbundling**
- **Extensive PPO and specialty network affiliations**
- **National coverage**
- **24-hour turnaround**
- **Negotiated savings program**
- **Seamless integration with other services**
- **Physician panel development and maintenance services**

Need to know more about
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