

# Introducing our Inpatient Auditing Program

MedKoder's Inpatient Auditing Program acts as a safety net to ensure that all charts were coded correctly and accurately to mitigate under and over payments.

### What is your process?

The industry gold standard for coding accuracy is 95% of patient medical records coded correctly. MedKoder's Inpatient Auditing Program to identify opportunity on the remaining 5% or greater of encounters represent significant opportunity to identify and correct improper coding assignments. DRG validation services provide a safety net to your facility to ensure accurate coding assignment and minimize any revenue leakage.



#### How much will this cost?

Through consulting with you, our account executives will collaborate with you to design a program that fits the needs for your organization. Our program is designed to be flexible and can be performed on an encounter, hourly or contingency basis. Either of these options will provide for a significant return on investment.

## How far back can you review?

Our Inpatient auditors will keep your payer specific timely filing deadlines in mind when conducting these reviews, ensuring that the closest to expiration are reviewed first. Then, all other charts will be reviewed in this order, from soonest to expire back. This review can also be performed immediately after coding while the account is still on system bill hold in order to reduce any re-bill efforts of improperly coded accounts.

#### Results

Mistakes and oversights can be costly, especially when dealing with high dollar inpatient charts. Often times with our inpatient audits, we are able to identify patterns and provide education going forward to ensure proper reimbursement. Additionally, having a program in place like this provides a safety net for improper DRG assignments that could cause denials, improper payments, or trigger regulatory audits. Call the medical coding experts today to get started on your Inpatient Audits and understand what it truly means to have medical coding with financial peace.