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Inspiring

Our drive and passion starts with our vision of a healthy Michigan at an affordable cost

May 2020 Highlights

Current Focus

- 1 COVID-19 Chapter Support
- 2 HCC Best Practices, Retrospective Planning
- 3 HAP Medicare Advantage Implementation

Top Decisions Made

Affirmant is taking action on Chapter-identified needs for support during the COVID-19 pandemic: cost-cutting and cash conservation; best practice and resource sharing; telehealth; and health plan advocacy.

COVID-19 Resource Hub | affirmant.com/covid-19

Your Affirmant team is here to support you. One way we are doing this is by creating a [COVID-19 Resource Hub](#) on our website. This page features toolkits, information and models to help your organizations address critical clinical, financial and operational issues specific to the pandemic. We have also included resources for independent physicians.

COVID-19 Resource Hub

While you and your organizations are dealing with the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic, your Affirmant team is here to support you. We have created a [webpage](#) where you will find information, resources and tools to help you address critical clinical, financial and operational issues specific to this crisis.

HFHS Revenue Cycle Education team | JCMR Quality Corner

Jackson Health Network shared the latest issue of the "Quality Corner" by the Jackson Community Medical Record which contains information related to HCC capture shared by the HFHS Revenue Cycle Education team. The resource includes coding examples and guidance using coding/documentation guidelines for one of the most common HCCs, "BMI, Morbid Obesity" (HCC 22).

HFHS Revenue Cycle Education team | HCC CODING - Spotlight on Morbid Obesity

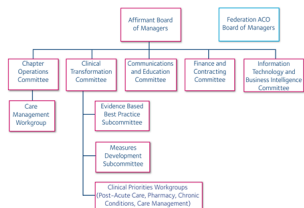
Affirmant's HCC Registry on Epic Healthy Planet Link | Tutorial

Affirmant Health Partners has launched an HCC Registry available through Affirmant's Healthy Planet Link in Epic. Affirmant Health Partners clinical transformation executive, Dr. Karin M. Proos and IT clinical analyst, II, Marla Beyer collaborated to develop a tutorial to introduce members to the new tool which is now available. The video walks users through accessing the measure in the dashboard and explains how to view different metrics. Please take a moment to review the tutorial for a quick overview of this new feature.



HCC Registry Tutorial on Vimeo

Committee Updates



Our Organization is physician-led and professionally managed. The Board of Managers consists of two representatives and a few advisors from each member system.

[Read More: Committee Updates](#)

2019 Value Report coming soon!



Affirmant's 2019 Value Report will be available soon! Look for updates in the next newsletter.

Leadership Retreat Update

Leadership Retreat 2020

Postponed until further notice

The 2020 Affirmant Leadership Retreat, scheduled for May 21, 2020, has been postponed. We will communicate with our network once a new date has been identified.



Connect with us on Social Media

Affirmant is on [LinkedIn](#), [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#) to connect with current and potential stakeholders. This is also a great way for us to highlight the important work our member systems are doing. If you are active on any of these platforms, please find us and comment or tweet at us @Affirmant.



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