Optum

Measure value with standard units of analysis

The **Optum® Symmetry® suite** is an end-to-end solution that helps health care organizations measure value with clinically homogeneous, severity- and risk-adjusted standard units of analysis. Allowing for apples-to-apples comparisons of members, populations, providers and networks, Symmetry facilitates a better understanding of variation, outliers and opportunities for improvement in your clinical and financial performance.

With a 25+ year heritage, the seven-engine suite helps organizations address **three key** health care management issues:



Insights guide actions

Symmetry provides a universal language and business standard for health care analytics. The comprehensive solution allows users to manage clinical and financial performance in six key categories.



Measure utilization with episodes of care

Symmetry[®] Episode Treatment Groups[®] (ETG[®]) captures the relevant services – including pharmaceutical prescriptions – given during the course of an individual's treatment. It also organizes the input into meaningful episodes of care, providing the basis for valid comparisons. ETG Oncology is a specialized engine that can process clinical data to enable the most accurate financial analysis available for cancer care episodes.



Evaluate clinical specialty performance

The industry-first foundation for enhanced analysis by procedure, Symmetry[®] Procedure Episode Groups[®] (PEG[®]) identifies complete procedure episodes for better understanding of the cost and utilization in surgical procedures, workups and post-procedural services. PEG also enables analysis of complications and place of service.



Predict future health care utilization

Symmetry® Episode Risk Groups® (ERG®) and Symmetry Risk Engine (SRE) help you accurately assess current and future health care risk for individuals and groups. ERG primarily focuses on retrospective models, while SRE is a newer solution with a variety of prospective models. The many models in these solutions can address numerous use cases including provider network and care management programs, including value-based care, as well as underwriting and actuarial application.

Assess quality of care compared to national standards

Symmetry[®] EBM Connect[®], a transparent quality measurement tool, facilitates increased compliance with evidence-based care standards, sourced from national standards specifications from organizations such as HEDIS, MIPS, AHRQ and PQA to enhance care quality and improve outcomes. The vast measure catalog includes specialty and primary care measures, as well as measures to identify low-value services.



Evaluate oncology care compliance

Symmetry[®] EBM Connect[®] Oncology, a quality measurement tool specific to cancer care, evaluates compliance of oncology care to clinical guidelines published by national standard organizations, such as the CMS OCM, ASCO, ASTRO and ACS, to improve care quality and drive better outcomes. EBM Connect Oncology is a valuable and powerful tool to evaluate oncology quality using only medical claims data. **To learn more** about how Symmetry can help you manage clinical and financial performance visit **optum.com/symmetry.**



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