

# RISK ADJUSTMENT DATA VALIDATION



The HHS-RADV audit is used by CMS to validate issuer risk adjustment factors. It impacts an issuer's plan-to-plan risk adjustment settlement.

## Is Your Auditor Getting You What You Need?

The keys to achieving the best outcome for this government-required audit are efficiency, frequent reporting, transparency and effective audit cycle management.

## What Makes a Difference In Auditors?

Your plan requires expertise in risk adjustment data and each part of the audit that can impact your RA revenue. ATTAC provides your plan with audit efficiency to lower your internal costs. Our analytics and reporting provide transparency and support audit cycle management to achieve the best outcome.

## Use ATTAC's Expertise to Manage Your Audit

- ✔ **Expertise in medical record coding and ACA HCC validation**  
Our certified coders have vast experience in ACA coding standards and HCC validation. In addition to validating submitted HCCs, ATTAC's coders identify any previously unsubmitted diagnosis and HCCs that could have been reported.
- ✔ **Expertise in demographic, enrollment and RXC validation**  
ATTAC's audit teams are seasoned auditors in commercial enrollment--on and off exchange--and in RXC validation. We work with many source systems and have designed an efficient audit process, which leads to reduced work for your internal team.
- ✔ **Exceptional reporting and outcomes transparency**  
Our reporting to clients is exceptional. We provide extensive data throughout the audit so you can efficiently target next steps.

*Finding a qualified auditor that can truly partner with you throughout the audit can bring long-term benefits to your organization.*

**- BNA's Health Insurance Report**

✔ **You can trust our findings.**

CMS notified ATTAC that its secondary validation auditor had sufficient agreement with our coder's validations since program inception.

✔ **It's all about the charts.**

Our RADV systems, processes, reporting and analytics allow issuers to effectively target charts to maximize possible chart retrieval.

✔ **Chart chase stratification and prioritization.**

ATTAC analyzes Edge Data and applies the HCC model to provide a stratified member, HCC and provider chart chase list, which allows issuers to prioritize key chart chases.

✔ **Status updates and transparency.**

- We provide feedback and outcome status throughout the audit, including:
- Routine coding status and HCC validation outcomes
- Real-time viewable charts and coding results linked to date of service and chart page
- Reports on non-validated HCC's identifying additional chart locations for reported HCCs to refine the chase targeting throughout audit cycle

✔ **Record procurement options.**

ATTAC provides issuers with three models to support chart retrieval:

- We procure the charts
- The issuer procures the charts
- A shared procurement approach that uses the issuer's relationship with key providers to obtain charts, with ATTAC assigned to obtain others

**Our clients achieve above-average chart retrieval counts per issuer compared to some major issuers.**

✔ **Access to other tools.**

ATTAC provides access to its web-based chart chase tool for issuer-managed chart chases.

✔ **Audit results filing and SVA data submission.**

We coordinate all audit results filing and submission of SVA data requests, and provide the issuer with copies of all results during each phase of the audit.

ATTAC participated in the beta testing for CMS' RADV audit tool in year one of the audit. Our filing process ran smoothly and our issuers' results were filed timely.

✔ **Critical Quality Assurance.**

ATTAC applies QA activities for each phase of the audit, enrollment, coding and data reporting to CMS.

**Why work with ATTAC Consulting Group?**

Picking the right audit partner is critical. ATTAC Consulting Group has the expertise, critical tools and effective processes for issuers to manage an audit.

We're more than a coding firm. We're expert auditors across all phases of the HHS-RADV audit.

**Our HHS-RADV team provides substantial value to issuers, including:**

- Expertise in enrollment
- Expertise in medical record coding
- Flexible, targeted medical record retrieval
- Outstanding tools and analytics to support audit transparency, efficiency and cycle management
- Experienced large-scale audit management

Talk with us about how we can help you implement effective and compliant risk adjustment programs.

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