



Cerner and UDS_{MR} create a unique interface

The collaboration at a glance

Cerner® and Uniform Data System for Medical Rehabilitation (UDSMR®) collaborated to help improve the PPS Coordinator workflow for submitting information required as part of the Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Patient Assessment Instrument (IRF-PAI). A standard interface is available that enables users to exchange IRF-PAI data elements with UDSMR systems without having to export and import using separate tools. Additional capabilities are being developed to expand two-way interface capabilities.*

Streamlining the user experience

The Cerner IRF-PAI External Integration is designed to help clients achieve significant time savings by automating the process of sharing relevant IRF-PAI data between Cerner and UDSMR

Key benefits

The Cerner IRF-PAI External Integration is designed to help:

- Transmit IRF-PAI data scores directly without manual export or import
- Reduce the cost of manual errors (uploaded or transcribed) that potentially lead to time waste, impacted reimbursement and/or increased denials
- Helps eliminate the need and costs associated with manual custom interface changes through automated updates

systems. This helps to reduce the cumbersome process of exporting and importing between systems, which can be lengthy, time consuming and error prone. Similarly, the risk of transcription errors can be reduced as manual

data entry will no longer be a part of the process.

Clients also have the opportunity to reduce the cost of annual regulatory updates. The standardized interface can enable all clients to receive automated updates to help support uninterrupted operations. Cerner IRF-PAI External Integration can also help eliminate the need to create custom interface updates to meet regulatory requirements issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

Cerner IRF-PAI External Integration intersects regulatory requirements with technology. Because of this, clients will no longer need to be experts on data transfer, or worry about the uncertainties of standalone interfaces. Relieving clients of manual entry and creating or maintaining custom interfaces allows rehabilitation facilities the opportunity to save time, labor and money.

About Cerner Rehabilitation

The Cerner rehabilitation solution is designed to facilitate easy accessibility and communication from every venue of care, allowing for better coordination of treatments and providing patients with the best care possible. With documentation tailored to rehabilitative



workflow, Cerner rehabilitation enhances the clinician experience and helps measure patient outcomes as well as organizational metrics.

About UDSMR

UDSMR is a functional assessment specialist. Representing more than 80% of all inpatient rehabilitation facilities, they maintain the largest database of medical rehabilitation outcomes, offering benchmarks for case management and program improvement. UDSMR also offers clinical rehabilitation expertise via trainings, consultations, and educational materials, in addition to rehabilitation coding services.

About Cerner

We're continuously building on our foundation of intelligent solutions for the health care industry. Our technologies connect people and systems, and our wide range of services support the clinical, financial and operational needs of organizations of every size.

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