

Kentucky Primary Care Clinically Integrated Network (CIN)

HCC coding resource offered free to CIN members

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visit status

Practices in the CIN were offered the resources of Vatica Health for help with HCC coding and documentation. The CIN, an affiliate of the state's primary care association, showed how Vatica could relieve the burden of coding and documentation while generating additional health plan compensation. The results are noteworthy.

Success from the start 2024 (July - December)

- 1,199 signed Vatica visits
- \$233,200 total health plan compensation earned through Vatica program



625 locations
21 organizations
650,000 patients







The Kentucky Primary Care Clinically Integrated Network (CIN) first promoted Vatica to member practices in 2024. Jennifer Camas, MD, primary care physician and chief medical officer at A+ Family Healthcare, was eager to learn more. "Implementing Vatica was an easy process," she notes. "The Vatica trainers were informative and provided clear instructions. They shared a brief overview followed by 1:1 instruction.

"The platform is easy to navigate. We've seen a nice financial impact, as well as a clinical benefit," Dr. Camas said. "Vatica's services are especially helpful for practices with a care management team. The data that Vatica gathers can help care managers maintain accurate problem lists for followup."



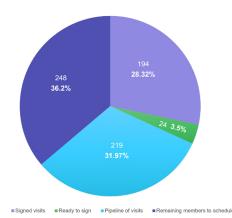


Tammy Merrill

Quality director and risk manager

Tammy Merrill, quality director and risk manager at Health First Community Health Centers, found Vatica's services intriguing and championed the implementation for her organization's eight locations. The practice is proactive about scheduling these patient visits and has an eligibility flag set in the EMR. Time is allotted in providers' schedules to ensure they can complete the documentation process.

The practice is off to a great start with 28% of eligible patient visits reviewed and signed off by the provider in the first quarter of 2025. Another 32% of patients have their visit scheduled with only 36% remaining to be scheduled in the last nine months of the year.



Tammy noted how much her staff appreciates the training Vatica provides on using the solution. The staff raves about the free webinars Vatica offers on risk adjustment and coding.

"Vatica taught me to code a higher degree of specificity," notes one nurse practitioner. "I've learned a lot about the newer coding required in V28. The training on diabetes coding has been especially helpful."