## Broader Data. Better Decisions.

Informing your business decisions with the rich healthcare claims data contained in the FH NPIC® (National Private Insurance Claims) database can enhance your organization's initiatives and help achieve cost efficiencies—returns that far outweigh the investment.

That's why diverse stakeholders are licensing FH<sup>®</sup> Benchmarks and FH Custom Analytics designed to their specifications to meet their strategic and operational business needs.

## The Healthcare Sector Uses FH Benchmarks and FH Custom Analytics to:

- · Adjudicate out-of-network claims;
- · Support development of fee schedules;
- Shape strategic initiatives, assess competitive opportunities and anticipate market trends;
- Evaluate alternative reimbursement models (e.g., episodes of care, ACOs);
- Analyze network adequacy;
- Facilitate network negotiations among professionals, hospital systems and insurers;
- · Identify potential fraud and abuse;
- Help members choose healthcare plans and access benefits; and
- · Create tools for member education and transparency.

FAIR Health is a national nonprofit organization whose mission is to bring transparency to healthcare costs and health insurance information through comprehensive data products, consumer resources and support for health systems research, all powered by the nation's largest collection of private health insurance claims data. FAIR Health is not affiliated with any governmental agency, insurer or other organization in the healthcare sector.



Over 24 billion medical and dental procedures

493 geographic areas throughout the United States

Claims contributed by more than 60 payors for plans covering over 150 million individuals

Validated data

**Transparent methodology** 



FH <sup>®</sup> Benchmarks	Description	FH Charge Benchmarks	FH Allowed Benchmarks
Medical	Arrayed by Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) <sup>1</sup> codes for evaluation and management (E&M), medical, surgical, radiology, laboratory and pathology procedures.	•	•
Dental	Arrayed by Current Dental Terminology (CDT) <sup>2</sup> codes for dental procedures.		•
Anesthesia	Arrayed by CPT, anesthesia and surgical procedure codes.		
Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS)	Arrayed by Level II HCPCS codes for products, supplies and services generally not included in CPT codes, such as ambulance services, physician-administered drugs, durable medical equipment (DME), prosthetics, orthotics and supplies.	•	•
Inpatient Facility	Arrayed by DRG codes for over 90 Medicare GPCIs for services performed in a hospital inpatient setting.		
Outpatient Facility	Arrayed by CPT codes for services performed in a hospital outpatient setting.	•	•
Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	Arrayed by CPT and HCPCS codes at state, regional and national levels for ASC-specific facility claims.		
Episodes of Care	Includes allowed amount and billed charge benchmarks for a patient's beginning-to-end treatment path for more than 40 defined episodes. <sup>3</sup>	•	•



## **FH Custom Analytics**

For clients who seek customized data analytics for specific business needs, FAIR Health can provide data based on geographic region, subsets of procedure codes, time periods or other specifications. What's more, our data collection has been expanded to include all service types and data fields listed on private insurance claim forms. This powerful resource offers opportunities for examining diverse aspects of the healthcare system, including longitudinal studies of treatment patterns over time as presented in a given payor's claims, relationships among claims and more.

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1 CPT © 2016 American Medical Association (AMA). All rights reserved.

2 The Code on Dental Procedures and Nomenclature is published in Current Dental Terminology (CDT), American Dental Association (ADA). All rights reserved.

3 FH Episodes of Care Benchmarks uses the PROMETHEUS Payment<sup>®</sup> model of the Altarum Institute. FAIR Health is the only independent nonprofit certified and licensed by the Altarum Institute to operate its PROMETHEUS Payment model, which is used to identify the services that make up each episode.

Contact us for help in selecting the FH Benchmarks or FH Custom Analytics that meet your needs:

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