

HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT CONSULTING SERVICES



Health Information Management Leadership is More Vital Than Ever!

Because of the central role that Health Information Management (HIM) plays in the clinical and financial performance of healthcare providers, the role of HIM leadership has always been pressure packed. Issues like coding productivity and backlogs, chart management, quality audits, transcription management, ROI, DNFB and others have required firm, hands-on attention.



Yet change is coming fast and successful HIM impacts a provider's performance success more than ever. Medical information now exists in an EHR and a hybrid record, and HIM Directors must now also manage a world with electronic clinical documentation, health information exchanges (HIE), ICD-10 code sets, increased security, scanning and archiving, and evolving regulatory and compliance requirements.

Failure to meet this challenge will lead to reduced reimbursement, productivity problems, legal and accreditation risks, increased costs and can even lead to poor relationships with physicians and other care providers.

Jacobus Consulting Is Uniquely Qualified to Help Providers Leverage the Strategic Value of HIM



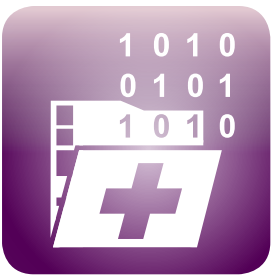
Jacobus believes that HIM must be seen as a strategic player in initiatives like 1) clinical transformation, 2) stronger physician, patient and community engagement, and even 3) difficult transitions like the move to Accountable Care.

About Jacobus Consulting

Jacobus Consulting is a leading process improvement & healthcare IT services firm that assists providers to reach clinical transformation, optimize financial results, & improve IT performance. We combine strategic thinking, operational and patient care knowledge, process best practice, project excellence, & systems expertise to empower efficiency gains in healthcare delivery. Our HIM Department services include: Clinical Documentation Improvement, ICD-10 Implementation, Coding Quality, Compliance, Education & Outsource, EHR Audits, Temporary HIM Staffing, Scanning & Workflow Redesign, MPI Clean-up, DNFB Management, and HIM Systems Implementation. For over a decade across North America we have been *Advancing Healthcare Together.*

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This is because HIM is a centralized “hub” in the movement of healthcare information and many organizational initiatives intersect at HIM. HIM defined the original medical chart structures and should also help define requirements for electronic patient care systems and EHR in order to see better system adoption and higher physician satisfaction. HIM gathers and creates the ever increasing amounts of information that directly impacts financial performance.

HIM is vital to healthcare information structures to support reporting initiatives like Meaningful Use, Quality Scorecards, and Pay-for-Performance.

Jacobus Consulting is uniquely qualified to assist providers to get more value from their HIM operations and to help steer the HIM ship through today’s changing waters. Our HIM Transformation services bring elements to align your HIM Department and provides the guidance needed to position your organization for success. We have assembled a broad range of expertise to drive excellence in HIM and provide them in the following disciplines and practice areas:

- *Health Information Management*
- *Quality Informatics*
- *Physician Informatics*
- *Revenue Cycle*
- *Information Technology*
- *Regulatory & Risk Management*
- *Clinical Informatics*
- *Physician Practice Integration*

Jacobus HIM Transformation Services for Healthcare Providers

1. HIM Strategic Planning and HIM Functional Assessment	2. HIM Re-structuring and HIM Workforce Performance Improvement
3. Coding Quality, Compliance and Education	4. ICD-10 Implementation: Assessment, Education and Remediation
5. Clinical Documentation Improvement (CDI)	6. HIM System Assessments, Implementations & Optimizations
7. Master Patient Index (MPI) Clean-Up	8. Process Re-Design & Process Optimization
9. RAC Management	10. HIM Training & Education
11. Policy & Procedure Improvement and Compliance	12. Systems Query Standardization / Optimization in support of ICD-10
13. Electronic Medical Record System Audit, Optimization and Implementation	14. Scanning & Archiving Implementation
15. HIM Interim Staffing	16. HIM Interim Management

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