

Pat Wagner, Senior Consultant

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Ms. Wagner has over twenty-six years of direct Healthcare Industry experience. She has successfully assisted both hospital and physician groups develop a proactive risk based Compliance Plan. As a medical auditor, Ms. Wagner has been effective in uncovering lost revenue and as a result has helped many organizations improve their bottom line. She has capitalized on her clinical experience and has been accepted as a credible resource.

An Internal Review Officer (IRO) for organizations under Corporate Integrity Agreements (CIAs), Ms. Wagner has successfully reduced financial penalties resulting from Medicare audits.

Pat Wagner has conducted charge master reviews for hospitals of all sizes across the country that resulted in improved coding, charge capture and documentation in support of billed services. She is a skilled educator and has presented coding and documentation classes to thousands of physicians across the country. Her focused areas of expertise include:

Compliance Plan Development: Hospital and Physician Groups

Teaching Physician Rule Compliance Review

Outpatient Hospital Coding

Physician coding and documentation audit and education

Revenue Cycle Management

Charge Description Master Review and/or development

Coding and billing Process Improvement

Medicare and Medicare Regulatory Consultant.

Certifications

Registered Nurse (RN)

Certified Professional Coder (CPC)

Certified Healthcare Compliance Consultant (CHCC)

Education

Diploma Graduate St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing, Bethlehem, PA

BS currently enrolled in Healthcare Administration

Experience

Medical auditor, and coding expert