

Risk Adjustment

Consider every visit an opportunity to document and report the full burden of illness.

Documentation Tips:

- Remember M.E.A.T.! Supporting documentation can include that the condition was Monitored, Evaluated, Assessed or Treated
- Remember to note the severity of the episode
- Do not report conditions that are probable, questionable or suspected
- Always code to the highest level of specificity known

What Is Risk Adjustment?

Risk Adjustment is a payment methodology (using claims and encounter data) intended to predict the current or future healthcare expenditures of individuals based on their demographics and chronic conditions.



UH RPCI Risk and HCC Toolkit

[Click Here](#) for the DWP Pediatric Resources webpage.

Resources available:

- UH RPCI Risk and HCC [Toolkit](#)
- Codes and documentation information for common chronic conditions
- UH HCC/RAF education [video](#)



Please reference the PDF/attachment for access to links!

All definitions reflect UH's recommended best practices.