



Wipop News



WHAIC 20-year anniversary

Payers and data uses

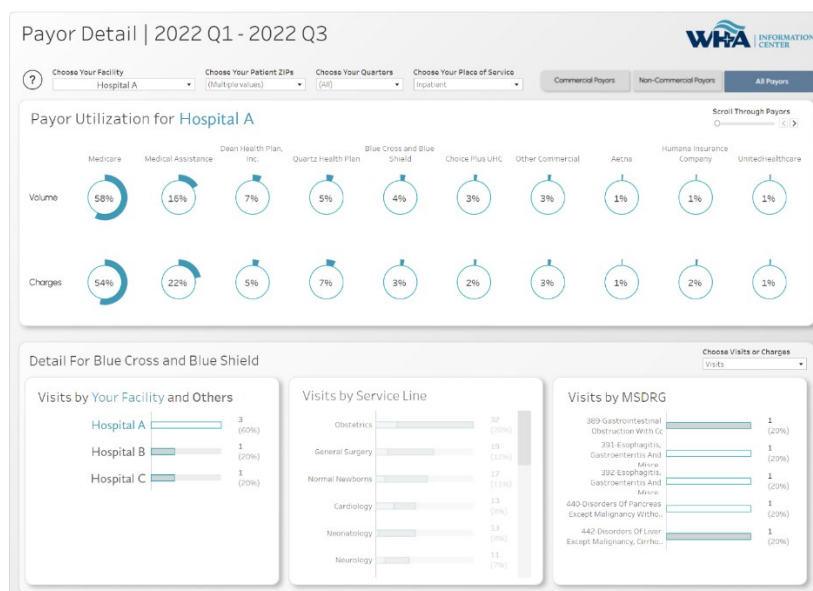
Do you know how your data is used? The importance of it's use and mapping?

The WHA Information Center has been collecting data, including payor data, for the past twenty years in accordance with state statute 153. The data collected from our Wisconsin hospitals and ASCs allow for a robust set of analytic tools to be built and used by WHA members and other applicable data purchasers. The WHAIC currently has 20 dashboards (plus 12 available to SHIP Grant

participants) in its “toolkit” and we anticipate the Payor Detail Dashboard to be one of the most sought-after. Why? Because beginning with first quarter, 2022 data, the WHAIC Payor Detail Dashboard will visualize volume and charges by individual commercial payor, as well as both Medicare and Medicaid. The data further breaks down to show more detail by facility, by service line and by primary diagnosis or principal procedure. Organizations can begin to analyze questions such as:

- Why are patients in selected zip codes with selected payor(s) going to competitor hospitals?
- What are competitor hospitals providing that my organization does not offer, or have limited capacity to provide?
- Is there a new technology that my organization could be leveraging?
- Are amenities at competitor hospitals creating a competitive differentiation?
- Do the lost volumes substantiate recruiting additional providers?
- Could there be a possibility to partner with other healthcare organizations to enhance care delivery to the communities?

This dashboard will be exclusively accessible to data users who purchase at the WHAIC relational data set level. This dataset includes access to inpatient, outpatient surgery, observation, and emergency department data. (Please note that Other Hospital Outpatient (OHO) data is also available to purchase as an add on.) If your organization is not currently at the relational data set level and you are interested in upgrading, please contact [Brian Competente](#) for details.



Training hold dates

We have so many exciting updates to share at the annual training this year! The Wlpop site went through a facelift to modernize the look and feel, provide a seamless customer experience and an overall more intuitive enhancement.



Wlpop Reminders!

Provider-Based Clinics/Locations should be updated accordingly. If you are reporting technical charges on an 837I those services must be reported to WHAIC as outpatient services.

New Payer Code: MPC – 09