

Picis LYNX E/Point

Consistent and compliant charge capture, visit level calculation and infusion services support for the emergency department



Effective revenue management is the foundation of any hospital's financial health and critical to its ability to deliver care. Picis LYNX E/Point® delivers value with consistent and compliant facility visit level (E/M score) calculation, infusion services charge capture and procedure charge capture for the emergency department. In the challenging climate of fiscal austerity, healthcare organizations require tools to offer value in multiple ways. E/Point responds to the challenge with flexible deployment options, an open application programming interface (API) that preserves investment in existing systems, post-implementation performance monitoring and the certainty and confidence that comes with a proven methodology.

Overview

E/Point is a software application that promotes consistent and compliant charging for procedures and facility visit level for

care provided in the emergency department. Its presenting problem-based methodology complies with OPSS guidelines and produces a visit level distribution that accurately reflects patient acuity mix and resource use. E/Point has an easy-to-use interface that requires minimal user interaction and prompts the user to document all of the care provided to the patient to support appropriate and optimal reimbursement. In addition, E/Point implementations include performance monitoring to facilitate consistent and compliant charging and provide insight into key operational metrics.

Benefits

- Appropriate and optimal charging for care provided in the emergency department
- Consistent and compliant calculation of the facility visit level with a methodology that is compliant with the 11 OPSS guidelines outlined by CMS
- Proper charge capture for all infusion administration services to protect against RAC audits and OIG inspections
- A simple interface and minimal data-entry requirements to facilitate rapid adoption by users

LYNX Revenue Management Solutions

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Key Features

- **Consistency and compliance.** Calculates the facility visit level in a way that is compliant with the 11 OPSS guidelines and supports a comprehensive outpatient charging compliance strategy.
- **Infusion services support.** Prompts users for complete information and automatically calculates the appropriate charges for all infusion and injection services.
- **Procedure charge capture.** Charges associated with procedures provided to the patient can be captured and sent to the hospital's billing system.
- **Patient log.** Populated by the ADT interface; displays patients, demographic information, presenting problem and charging status.

Preserves Existing Investments

LYNX clients often have specialized, existing software and systems. E/Point helps preserve your organization's investment in current systems by offering an open API for the seamless exchange of information. Your organization can continue to use existing software and reap the compliant and consistent revenue capture capabilities of E/Point.

Flexible and Scalable Deployment

E/Point is developed with a scalable application architecture that accommodates a single hospital to a large Integrated Delivery Network (IDN). Our flexible deployment options

do not require any special adjustments to existing IT infrastructure.

- **Web-based:** Users access E/Point directly with a wide selection of supported browsers
- **Integrated:** Users interact with existing systems; E/Point's features are utilized in the background with our open API

Audit Protection

E/Point's algorithms are developed and managed by an experienced team of compliance experts. LYNX will stand behind its product in the event of a payer audit.

LYNX Performance Monitoring

LYNX Medical Systems supports its clients with best-in-class performance monitoring which sets the standard for the revenue management industry.

Before system implementation, LYNX analyzes your organization's visit-level distributions and per-visit revenue with analytic reports that have 95% accuracy to predict the opportunity to provide value.

Our performance monitoring continues after system implementation. On a quarterly and annual basis, LYNX will report on your organization's visit-level compliance, key user performance metrics and per-visit revenue changes. Each report is customized for your organization and presented by your client relationship manager. All LYNX performance monitoring is provided at no additional cost.

About LYNX Medical Systems

LYNX Medical Systems, a Picis company, provides software and services that help healthcare organizations obtain accurate and optimal reimbursement for their services across the entire care spectrum. LYNX revenue management solutions help improve outpatient and inpatient clinical documentation, reduce compliance risk, and promote accurate and consistent code assignment for appropriate reimbursement. LYNX revenue management solutions currently help more than 600 healthcare organizations manage more than 21.5 million patient encounters in the U.S. annually.



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