HRSA 340B Program Integrity

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) requires that the Government Accountability Office (GAO) examine and audit federal programs such as the 340B Drug Pricing Program to help maintain performance, accountability, and integrity of public dollar expenditures. On September 2011, the GAO recommended that HRSA take steps to strengthen oversight regarding 340B program participation and compliance with program requirements. Increase use and reliance of the 340B program and inadequate “self-policing” of covered entities and manufacturers to ensure compliance prompted the GAO’s recommendation to HRSA to begin audits on February 6, 2012.

The audits will evaluate the covered entities and manufacturers’ compliance as it relates to the entities’ transfer of drugs purchased at 340B prices only to eligible patients, and manufacturers’ sale of drugs to covered entities at or below the 340B price.

Ramsell340B™ Audit and Compliance Module

Ramsell340B offers a complete end-to-end technology solution and in-depth expertise designed to ensure that your covered entity is audit ready and compliant. Ramsell accomplishes this by performing a thorough analysis of your claims data matched to the 340B pricing from the manufacturer to ensure compliance with HRSA regulations. We incorporate a “Five P” methodology to our auditing approach for accuracy. This includes checking for:

- **Payment**: Payment terms with vendors and/or subcontractors, including third-party payer and other administrative fees
- **Pharmacy**: Validity of prescription dispensing
- **Prescriber**: 340B prescriber accuracy
- **Patient Eligibility**: 340B dispensing to eligible patients
- **Pricing**: Accuracy in 340B prices

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