America needs solutions for its health care woes. We need ways to ensure better quality of care. We need the cost of care to go down. We need to focus on helping people live healthier lives. And we need solutions that really work to get us there. That’s Availity.

Nearly 98,000 deaths and 974,000 injuries occur each year from preventable medical errors.

Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology, 2007

Electronic prescribing, like Availity CarePrescribe™, has proven to reduce preventable adverse drug events by 61%.


Delivering Quality

There is nothing more important in health care than quality. And since everyone is unique, we want our doctors to have the most accurate information about our health when they need it most. Availity does that.

Availity gives health care providers secure access to the information they need to know about us, like our health histories — including illnesses and conditions, medications and test results — so they can create an approach to improving our health that is as unique as we are.

When we help doctors do that, they deliver better quality care and we get back to living healthier lives faster.

Learn more about what Availity is doing for health care. Visit www.availity.com
Eliminating Cost

It’s a constant topic of conversation from Main Street to Capitol Hill. Health care is too expensive. The industry is plagued with wasteful spending. People can’t afford to get healthy. Eliminating cost by improving efficiencies is the key and health information technology is a big part of the solution. The federal government recognizes this – that’s why they’re allocating billions of dollars for health IT as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. And that kind of thinking is Availity – people who get health care and know how to deliver secure solutions that simplify health care administration and drive cost out of the system.

Availity services support over 75 million Americans and help thousands of people and companies serving our health care needs save time and money every day. Physicians report saving $6 to $8 per claim they send electronically through Availity instead of printing and mailing. One health plan customer achieved a 33% reduction in deployment, testing and vendor management costs alone with Availity. These kinds of savings are just what we need so the industry can stop wasting money and start spending more time getting America healthy.

Fact

Physician practices report the cost of interacting with insurance plans is $31 billion annually, or 6.9% of all U.S. expenditures for physician/clinical services.


Solutions that Work

Providers who use Availity regularly have reduced their phone call interactions with health plans by more than 10%. At a cost of $1.38 - $2.70 per call, the savings for both can be exponential. ¹


¹Measurement based on phone calls per claim

Improving Outcomes

When we are sick, we want to get healthy as fast as we can. When we have a chronic illness, we want to manage it so we have the best quality of life possible. And when we are healthy, we want to stay that way! Availity gives health care providers secure, reliable access to accurate and important health information that helps them provide the best care possible for us.

Fact

‘For heart attack patients, even a few minutes delay in treatment can mean the difference between life and death. Yet, the average [ER] wait time [has] increased from eight to 20 minutes.’


Solutions that Work

Studies of doctors who use the Availity CareProfile® electronic health record show a 3- to 6-minute reduction in patient intake and assessments.


For more information, including an online demonstration, please visit www.availity.com