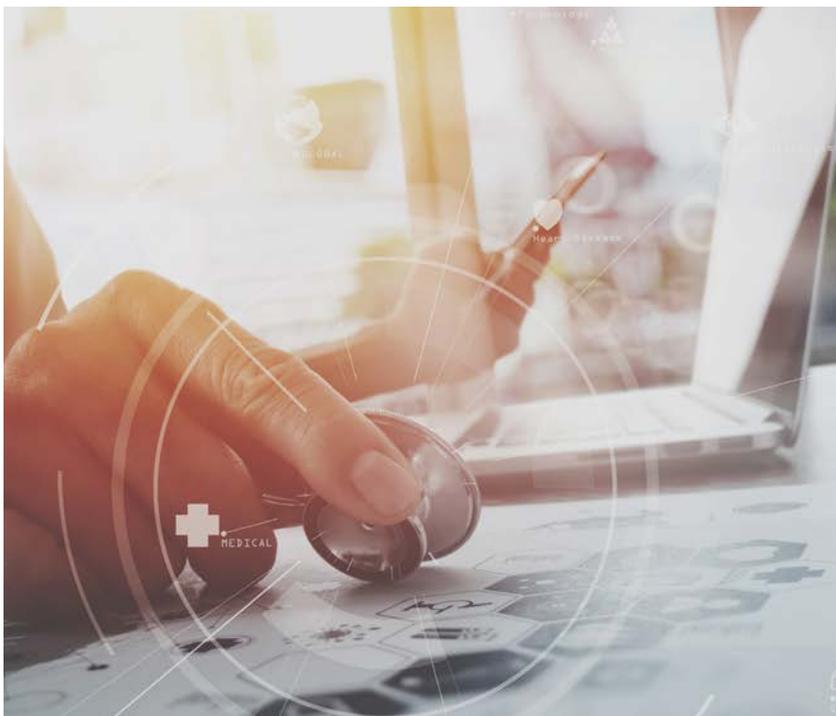


Combating Medicare and Medicaid Fraud with Ephesoft

As a leader in providing technology and service solutions to United States health, defense, civilian and intelligence agencies, one of Ephesoft's esteemed partners depends on using the most modern, innovative solutions to help its customers. The government agencies that are supported by this Company often work on mission-critical projects and valued security and fraud prevention. In fact, the Coalition Against Insurance Fraud reports that fraud steals \$80 billion a year across all lines of insurance, including fraud within government agencies.

Specifically, Medicare and Medicaid fraud, abuse and waste has turned into a multibillion-dollar problem for American taxpayers and the United States government. Medicare and Medicaid, which cover over 100 million people, is deemed as a high-risk program because of its size, complexity and vulnerability to improper payments. In fact, according to the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), the FY 2015 improper payment rate was 12.1%, representing \$43.3 billion in improper payments. Another report says that more than \$2.77 billion of Medicare and Medicaid recoveries are expected from audits and investigations during the first half of FY 2016 (October-March). The 2016 fraud costs are expected to be lower at around 10%.



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Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

Customer

Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

Industry

Healthcare

Application

Fraud Prevention for Medical Records

Partner

Large IT & Services Integrator for Government Agencies

Results

- Expedited millions of documents and claims per year
- Reallocated 33% of staff
- CMS recovered \$3.3 billion in 2016
- Reduced improper payment rate by about 2%, saving billions



“Our team at Ephesoft is thrilled that we can contribute to helping government healthcare programs prevent fraud, abuse and waste and enable them to help the people who legally qualify for it,” stated Ike Kavas, CEO at Ephesoft. “Once we – and in this case, our partner – help a customer transform their documents, images and data digitally, they can easily access and apply our patented machine learning and business intelligence tools to make the data meaningful and actionable quickly.”

In summary, Ephesoft’s partner used best practices and their expertise to help CMS convert their processes with automation, prevent and reduce fraud, eliminate waste, abuse and save valuable time and effort using Ephesoft. With actionable data and electronic health and claim records, CMS can help minimize risks and reduce fraud. Best of all, taxpayers will know their money is being spent wisely. Next steps for CMS include exploring Ephesoft’s big data document analytic platform that can detect anomalies with outlier detection intelligently to prevent fraud faster.

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