

Value Pathways powered by NCCN and Clear Value Plus

Successful collaboration
with payers begins with a
successful quality program.

Private payers and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) are increasingly interested in evidence demonstrating greater consistency of cancer care and predictability of costs. Value Pathways powered by NCCN, only available through Clear Value Plus software, aim to help your practice provide the highest quality treatment to your patients and efficiently document delivery of consistent, evidence-based care.

Our solution for a successful quality program consists of two components—the transparent, evidence-based clinical content of Value Pathways powered by NCCN, and Clear Value Plus, software which allows physicians to assess treatment options of both Value Pathways and NCCN Clinical Practice Guidelines® in Oncology (NCCN Guidelines®) at the point of care.



Developed by physicians, Value Pathways powered by NCCN are 100% concordant with NCCN Guidelines and continually updated as new evidence becomes available. In addition, Value Pathways build upon Level I Pathways, created by The US Oncology Network, and can aid your practice's financial health by rewarding you for making evidence-based treatment choices. Level I Pathways have demonstrated:

- Lower treatment costs with no observable difference in overall survival
- Lower rates of chemotherapy-related hospital admissions

Level I Pathways have also demonstrated benefits for patients, including:

- Shorter duration of therapy
- Lower frequency of chemotherapy infusion visits
- Lower frequency of non-chemotherapy agents

Whether used in conjunction with a value-based reimbursement program or to demonstrate to payers your use of NCCN Guidelines in patient care, Clear Value Plus:

- Allows physicians to use patient data to easily access Value Pathways powered by NCCN and NCCN Guidelines at the point of care without disrupting their workflow
- Can be interfaced with a variety of electronic health records
- Keeps pathways and guidelines current by continually updating both NCCN Guidelines and Value Pathways as additional evidence becomes available
- Automatically captures guideline and pathway selections, minimizing the burden of documenting quality, and provides real-time, customizable reporting for demonstrating efforts to payers
- Can identify data missing from patient records, helping physicians strengthen the quality of care



For more information about Value Pathways and Clear Value Plus during the 2013 NCCN Annual Conference, please visit booth # 58 in the Health Information Technology Row or attend the breakfast Exhibitor Showcase on Thursday, March 14, at 715A.

¹Hoverman, Pathways, Outcomes, and Costs in Colon Cancer: Retrospective Evaluations in Two Distinct Databases, JOP 7:3S.

²Neubauer, Cost-Effectiveness of Evidence-based Treatment Guidelines for the Treatment of NSCLC in the Community Setting, JOP, 6:1.

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