

Clinical Documentation Market - 2015

Type of Patient Encounter / Event	Total Encounters (000)	Transcription (000)	% Transcription	EHR – Scribe (000)	% EHR - Scribe	EHR - Provider Entry (000)	% EHR - Provider Entry
office visits primary care ¹	485,860	48,586	10%	5,000	1%	432,274	89%
office visits specialty care ¹	514,140	205,656	40%	30,000	6%	278,484	54%
outpatient department visits ¹	125,700	50,280	40%	25,000	20%	50,420	40%
emergency department visits ¹	136,200	27,240	20%	50,000	37%	58,960	43%
hospital-based encounters (non-procedures, e.g. progress note, discharges, etc.) ^{1,2}	175,500	87,750	50%	30,000	17%	57,750	33%
Imaging procedures (all types) ³	400,000	120,000	30%	0	0%	280,000	70%
Procedures ¹	51,400	30,840	60%	0	0%	20,560	40%
Other (independent surgery center procedures, letters, pathology, other) ⁴	231,600	105,800	46%	3,000	1%	122,800	53%
Totals	2,120,400	676,152	32%	143,000	7%	1,301,248	61%

¹ Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/fastats/access-to-health-care.htm>

² baseline reported hospital figure is 35.1 million discharges. Number reflects average of five documented events per hospital stay (admit note, H/P, two progress notes and discharge summary).

³ American Society of Radiologic Technologists, <http://www.asrt.org/main/standards-regulations/federal-legislative-affairs/state-and-federal-licensure-issues>

⁴ WebChartMD estimate