



PURCHASE ITEM MASTER REVIEW

Many health care organizations experience difficulties capturing and billing supply charges due to inconsistencies between the purchase item master (PIM) and the Charge Description Master (CDM) billing system. Many times these systems are not linked; and therefore become unsynchronized resulting in lost revenue and other compliance concerns.

ParaRev's Purchase Item Master Review brings together the coding and financial analytic components of our services to create a link and a process to appropriately maintain the systems simultaneously.

The analysis compares the PIM to the CDM and identifies the link between the two systems as well as:

- Determines which items are included in the PIM but not in the CDM files and which are in the CDM but not in the PIM
- **ParaRev** Coding Staff will review each line item in the PIM to determine its Medicare billable status
- All revenue and HCPCS codes for supply items will be reviewed and updated for correct coding
- Any billable PIM items which are not currently contained in the CDM will be created and activated in the CDM
- Any CDM item which cannot be linked to a PIM item will be inactivated

The screenshot displays the ParaRev software interface for Purchase Item Master Review. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Select, Charge Quote, Charge Process, Claim/RA, Contracts, Pricing Data, Pricing, Rx/Supplies, Filters (highlighted), CDM, Calculator, Advisor, Admin, RAC, CAT, and PARA. The main interface is divided into several sections:

- Coding Filters:** Includes a list of filter categories such as 'Supplies', 'Recommended Changes', 'Changed By', 'Comment By', 'Pharmacy - Self Admin Drugs - MAC Specific', 'Transmittal', 'Service', 'Quantity', and 'Search for Codes and Descriptions'. It also features radio buttons for 'Or' and 'And' logic.
- Pricing Filters:** Includes checkboxes for 'Recommended Price', 'Same CPT@ w/ Different Price', 'Relative To Market' (with radio buttons for 'Below Average', 'Below Midpoint', 'Above High'), 'Price Below Clinical Lab', 'Price Below Professional Fees', 'Price Below DME', 'Price Below APC Status T', 'Price Below APC Status S', and 'Price Below APC Status X'. A 'Market Inflation' field is also present.
- Charge Quote:** Includes dropdown menus for 'Package' (00 Test) and 'Add On' (CT Contrast).
- CDM:** Includes a 'Department' dropdown (3010 - Total Items: 00016), a 'Sort By' dropdown (Procedure Code), and radio buttons for 'Ascending' and 'Descending'. A 'View CDM' button is also visible.
- Reports:** Includes an 'Audit' dropdown (Unit of service - per ml/sq cm) and a 'Service' dropdown (Allergy), both with 'Create PDF' buttons.

Contact your ParaRev Account Representative to learn more about ParaRev's Purchase Item Master program!

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