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Ensure Claims and Provider Data Quality for Analytics

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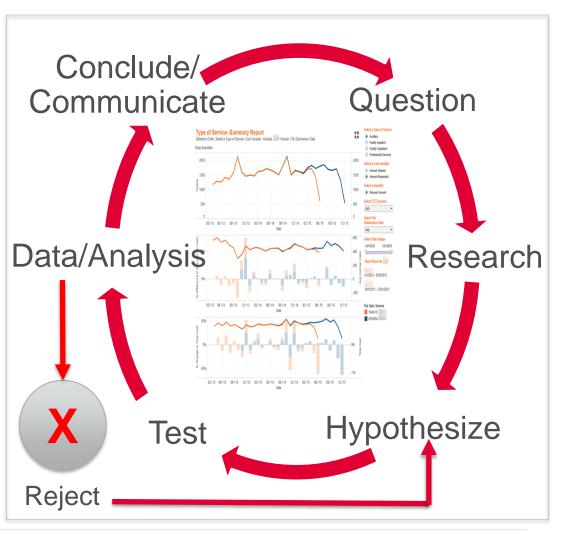


# Applying the Scientific Method to Data Quality Analysis

The Scientific Method can be applied to a data quality assurance process.

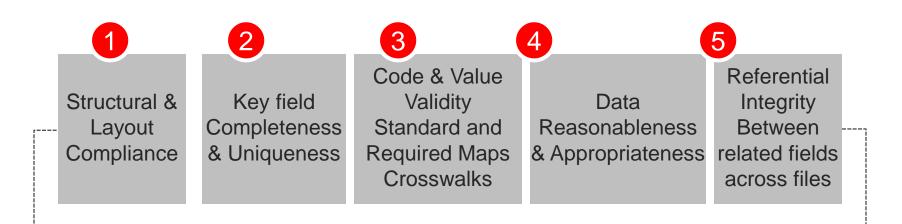
The process should be:

- Thorough
- Repeatable
- Timely
- Intuitive
- Responsive (feedback loop)





## Data Quality Assurance (QA)



- A 5-Step approach ensures detection of data errors, absence, abnormalities and inconsistencies.
- Key ratios and distributions based on industry standards and experience
- Trend analysis from cycle to cycle



#### Data Quality Assurance Tools and Techniques

Select the right mix of data tools for efficient processing, analysis and communication

- Data Analysis: SAS, Python, SQL ...
- Statistical packages: SAS, R, SPSS ....
- Data Visualization: Tableau, Domo, Power BI ...



## Key Field Completeness And Uniqueness

Select key fields to measure completeness and consistency

Drill down to second level attributes to identify outliers and investigate unexpected volume shifts

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Dialysis Center				15JUL1	-	5,265				0.79						
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Urgent Care Center				15JUL1	-	2,945				0.44						
				25FEB1		3,104				0.45						
Ambulatory Surgical Center				15JUL1	-	1,539				0.23						
				25FEB1		1,615				0.23						
Psychiatric Hospital				15JUL1		23				0.00						
				25FEB1		25				0.00						
MH/SA Non-Acute Facility				15JUL1	-	4				0.00						
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Radiology				15JUL1	-	1										
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#### Code and Value Validity

Check data elements and values against industry standard references.

This will also require payer-specific references for statespecific and MCOspecific values.

Frequency Distribution for Va Selection Order: Claim Type, Variable, Valid Value	Select a Claim Type Professional Facility						
Search Code and Description	All Others						
						Select a Variable	
Data Submitter		f_procedure code					
Code and Description	Version	Valid Val F	Filedate	Count	Number of Records	Select a Valid Value Flag	
- Incorrect		Invalid	15JUL15	50,881	1 ^	(All)	
		Invalid	25FEB16	52,987	1	Valid	
0159T - COMPUTER AIDED DETECTION BREAS		Valid	15JUL15	17	1	Invalid	
		Valid	25FEB16	19	1	Apply Cancel	
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		Valid	25FEB16	4	1	(All)	
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		Valid	25FEB16	3	1	Submission Date	
00142 - ANESTHESIA EYE LENS SURGERY		Valid	15JUL15	87	1	(All)	
		Valid	25FEB16	109	1	Valid Value Flag	
00170 - ANESTHESIA INTRAORAL WITH BIOP		Valid	15JUL15	1	1	Valid	
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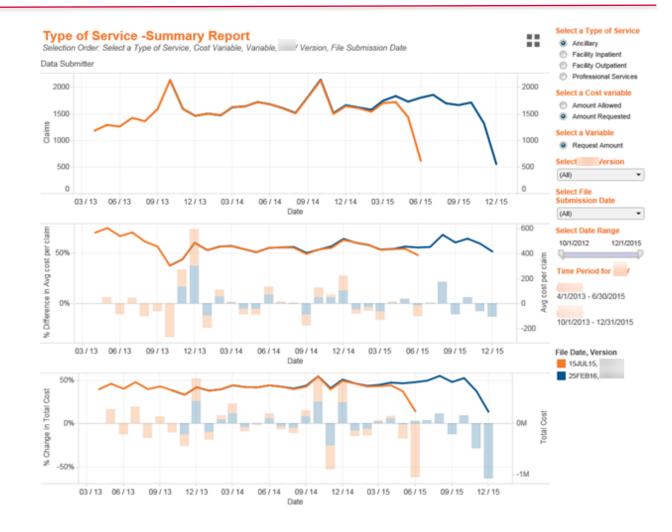


## Data Reasonability and Appropriateness

Control Total Run Chart: - # of Claims

Run Chart: - % Difference in average cost per claim

Run Chart: - % Difference in total cost per claim





#### Referential Integrity Between Datasets, Tables and Fields

Select File Submission Date

#### **Integrity Check Report**

Select Version

The integrity table report provides various counts from Table 1 and Table2 with given condition that holds true and joined on specific fields as shown. Selection Order: Version and File Submission date

Test the integrity between multiple data sets. (e.g. Provider/ Member/Claims)

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When values in Table 1 as below		and the condition in Table 1 is	and the condition in Table 2 is	and the two tables are joined on this field; then 	Version	File Date	Tname2	Unique count in Table 1	Unique Count in Table 2				
Medical Claims Membership Provider		none	none	Member		15JUL15	_elig	8,281	9,226				
	Membership					25FEB16	_elig	8,549	9,457				
		none	none	serv_prv_npi=linkage_id		25FEB16	prv	1,543	342,840				
	Provider			serv_prv=linkage_id		15JUL15	_prv	1,556	1,965				
Membership / Med Claims		covclass='MED'	ss='MED' covclass='MED'	Member		15JUL15	_med	5,707	4,850				
	Claims					25FEB16	_med	5,883	5,072				
		covclass='SUP'	covclass='SUP'	Member		15JUL15	_med	3,550	3,460				





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