



Solventum tools for TRICARE patients

- Process TRICARE-compliant claims within existing Solventum workflows
- Receive accurate reimbursement for care provided across inpatient and outpatient settings
- Maintain alignment with TRICARE policies through timely updates



The challenge: Navigating unique requirements for TRICARE beneficiaries

Managed by the DHA, TRICARE is the DOD's healthcare program. TRICARE patients constitute a distinct reimbursement population with their own program-specific rules. Whether a TRICARE beneficiary receives care at a military treatment facility or any other hospital, providers must accurately code, group and price those encounters according to TRICARE's unique requirements. Failure to do so can lead to operational burdens, payment delays, claim denials and compliance risks — but many grouping systems aren't specific enough.

Built in alignment with the DHA

Under contract with the Defense Health Agency (DHA), we developed and continue to maintain these reimbursement methodologies for TRICARE beneficiaries:

- Solventum TRICARE Diagnosis Related Groups (DRGs)
- Solventum Ambulatory Payment Classifications (APCs) for TRICARE

Providers can trust that these methodologies are specifically designed to reflect military-connected populations and align with Department of Defense (DOD) policies.

The solution: Integrate TRICARE logic into your workflows

Customers of the following Solventum coding and grouping solutions can integrate TRICARE-specific grouping and pricing requirements into existing workflows:

- [Solventum™ Grouper Plus Content Services \(GPCS\)](#)
- [Solventum™ Core Grouping Software \(CGS\)](#)
- [Solventum™ 360 Encompass™ System](#)
- [Solventum™ Coding and Reimbursement System \(CRS\)](#)

Our TRICARE tools accurately group, price and support regulatory compliance across inpatient and outpatient settings — enabling providers to seamlessly care for military-connected patients without additional infrastructure.

TRICARE grouping and pricing tools from Solventum

These add-on tools can help group and reimburse TRICARE-related claims. Our experts align TRICARE logic with applicable Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)-based structures and regularly maintain TRICARE-related updates as part of standard software releases.

Solventum product	TRICARE role
Solventum Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related Groups (MS-DRGs), TRICARE-modified	Inpatient payment system
Solventum TRICARE DRGs	Inpatient grouping
Solventum TRICARE Outpatient Prospective Payment System (OPPS) Pricer	Outpatient payment system
Solventum Ambulatory Payment Classifications (APCs) for TRICARE	Outpatient grouping
Solventum TRICARE Outpatient Code Editor (TC-OCE)	Outpatient engine



Benefits

Expertise: Solventum developed TRICARE DRGs and APCs for the DHA and maintains tight alignment with TRICARE reimbursement policy.

Efficiency: TRICARE beneficiaries are supported within a single, unified workflow — preventing the need to maintain separate systems or parallel processes.

Compliance: As TRICARE policies evolve independently of Medicare, timely updates from Solventum enable organizations to avoid manual workarounds or outdated logic that increases audit exposure and delayed payments.

Accuracy: Submit cleaner TRICARE-related claims the first time — reducing rework, appeals and payment delays.



Contact Solventum today

For more information about Solventum TRICARE tools and how to activate them in your solution, contact your Solventum sales representative.