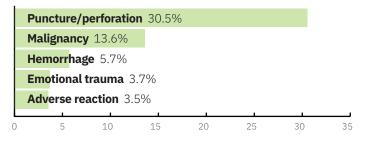
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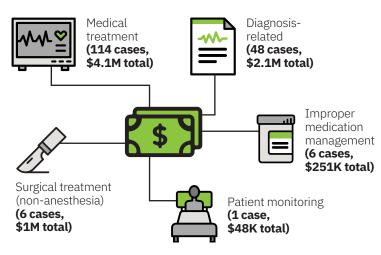
Factors that influence the frequency of gastroenterology claims¹

- **1.** What fraction of the provider's procedures were billed to an ambulatory setting?
- 2. What percentage of the provider's patients were diagnosed with peripheral vascular disease?
- 3. How many different hospitals are associated with the provider?
- 4. How many patients were diagnosed with organ failure?
- 5. Is the physician a pediatric gastroenterologist?

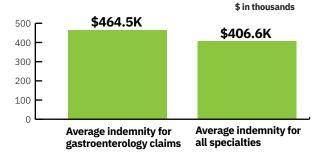
Top major injuries^{*}



Top allegations in gastroenterology claims³



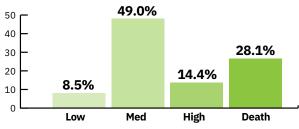
Indemnity for gastroenterology vs. all specialties²



Top contributing factors²

- **48.0%** Technical performance—possible technical problem, known complication
- **19.0%** Failure to appreciate and reconcile relevant sign/symptom/test result
- **16.7%** Selection/management therapy surgical/invasive procedures
- **15.8%** Patient assessment—failure/delay in ordering diagnostic test
- **11.3%** Communication among providers—regarding patient's condition

Clinical severity of injury for gastroenterology claims²



Low = Temporary insignificant injury or emotional only Medium = Temporary major or permanent minor injury High = Permanent significant, major, or grave injury Death = Adult, child, infant, or fetal death

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