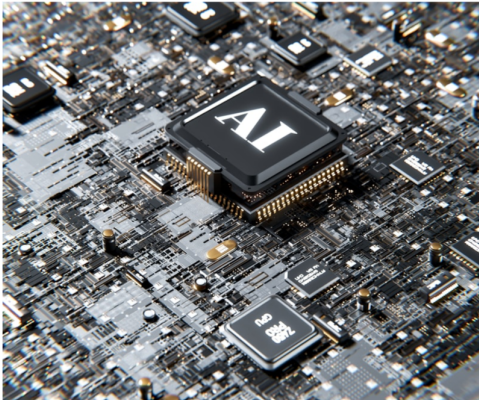


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## EMERGING CONCEPT: LEVERAGING AI TO IMPROVE REVENUE CYCLE MANAGEMENT IN CORRECTIONS

Revenue cycle management in correctional healthcare faces unique challenges, including complex funding structures, siloed information systems, and strict regulations, which can lead to substantial administrative burdens and revenue loss.

Artificial intelligence is transforming RCM in this space by automating workflows, optimizing claims, and improving clinical documentation with technologies like predictive analytics and natural language processing. These systems reduce claims denials, streamline denial appeals, and enhance care cost management, ultimately boosting revenue and increasing patient quality of care.

Even with its many benefits, the use of AI technologies in correctional healthcare raises ethical concerns, particularly around algorithmic bias and data privacy. To ensure responsible adoption of AI-driven RCM, policymakers must implement transparent reporting requirements and independent oversight of AI systems. By balancing efficiency with human judgment, AI has the potential to optimize both financial and patient outcomes in correctional healthcare.

## GUEST LECTURE AT CORNELL DYSON SCHOOL OF APPLIED ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT

Returning to his alma mater, Avocet's Brent Gibson delivered a graduate lecture on the intersection of behavioral economics and correctional healthcare to students, including members of the prestigious CEMS program. Dr. Gibson presented a case study on innovative diabetes management strategies within a correctional setting, utilizing principles of behavioral economics to tackle unique challenges such as security constraints, limited patient autonomy, and resource limitations.



## ABU DHABI GLOBAL HEALTHCARE WEEK

Avocet's Founding Principal and General Partner, Brent Gibson, will serve as a Delegate at the Abu Dhabi Global Health Week, April 15-17. Building upon his participation at the inaugural ADGHW, Dr. Gibson is looking forward to connecting with healthcare innovators to advance our mission of improving public health through stronger health systems in correctional facilities. Please let us know if you will be attending the conference—we would love to meet and discuss opportunities to collaborate: [brentgibson@avocetllc.com](mailto:brentgibson@avocetllc.com).

## AVOCET AND CORNELL PARTNERSHIP ON SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP

For a third consecutive semester, Avocet is partnering with the Grand Challenges program at the Dyson School of Applied Economics and Management to support a student capstone project focused on social entrepreneurship. The student team is studying the critical link between local health systems and jails by examining the relationship between the Cayuga Medical System and Tompkins County Jail.

