

# ASC Revenue Cycle Scorecard

**The Financial Health Check:** Most ASC administrators track volume, but the true health of your center is hidden in efficiency metrics. Use this scorecard weekly to prevent revenue leakage.

## 1. Net Collection Rate (NCR)

Target: > 96%

$$(\text{Payments} / (\text{Charges} - \text{Contractual Adj})) \times 100$$

The "Truth" Metric. Tells you if you are actually getting paid what your contracts say you should. A drop here means you are writing off denials.

→ **Audit:** Check write-off codes. Are "timely filing" denials hidden as adjustments?

## 2. Days in AR (DAR)

Target: < 35 Days

$$(\text{Total AR} / \text{Average Daily Charges})$$

The "Speed" Metric. Cash flow is oxygen. If this creeps up, your billing team is falling behind or payers are stalling.

→ **Action:** Run an aging report by payer. Is one specific payer dragging the average down?

## 3. Denial Rate

Target: < 5%

$$(\text{Denied Claims} / \text{Total Submitted}) \times 100$$

The "Friction" Metric. Every denial costs ~\$25 to rework and delays cash by 30+ days.

→ **Fix:** Categorize by reason (Reg, Auth, Med Necessity). Fix the top offender upstream.

## 4. Clean Claim Rate

Target: > 98%

$$\% \text{ claims passing clearinghouse 1st attempt}$$

The "Accuracy" Metric. Dirty claims are the silent killer of cash flow.

→ **Check:** Review clearinghouse logs weekly. Missing NPIs? Invalid CPTs?

## Stop Tracking, Start Recovering.

DenialPilot automates the appeal process for your most complex clinical denials.

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