



## Bundled Payment Analytics

"The customization [VOV] provided resulted in a product that is intuitive, user friendly, understandable and has the flexibility to drive performance our [clients] need by unlocking the potential in their data."

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### Executive Summary

In order to support and empower its clients with strategic and operational insights for bundled payment performance, Stryker Performance Solutions (SPS) engaged VOV to create a bundled payment analytics solution.

### SPS Profile

As the consulting arm of Stryker Corporation, SPS provides transformation services to provider organizations across the country. Given the industry's focus on value-based care delivery, SPS specializes in partnering with its clients through industry experts, tools, and a dedicated support team to drive forward performance improvement.

### Challenges

Since the introduction of alternative reimbursement via Bundled Payments for Care Improvement (BPCI), SPS saw a need to support provider organizations who opted to participate in the initiative. As the trend and intensity of bundled payment increased with Comprehensive Care for Joint Replacement (CJR) and its mandatory design, SPS needed a more efficient and scalable way of analyzing performance improvement opportunities for its bundled payment clients.

### Approach

With technical experience in Extract, Transform, Load (ETL) methods, VOV automated the data intake of BPCI and CJR claims files for SPS clients and designed a visualization tool on the Tableau platform based on SPS business requirements. Ultimately, the combined work streams served as SPS' client-facing bundled payment product. With the introduction of new programs – both government and commercial – VOV is in the process of replicating the experience to keep pace with Episode Payment Models (EPM) while also maintaining and evolving both BPCI and CJR products.

### Results

Through the partnership, SPS now utilizes a client-facing product to analyze and visualize bundled payment performance, empowering its clients to make strategic decisions about opportunities for improvement. The flexible design of the product is capable of consuming future data sources, giving SPS the ability to expand its services to accommodate client needs.