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Relation of clinical audit based radiology and reimbursement systems

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Current reimbursement systems

heterogeneity in Europe

- budget (earlier used in Hungary)
- pay per result (currently used in Hungary)

Disadvantages in both

- direction to pay per quality
„where patients get the most effective and quick evidence proved diagnostic protocols and the service providers are interested in that”



Pay per result system

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force to the service provider to produce more and more as a volume

- controversies with quality control
- less interest in interdisciplinary work
- problems with protocol development



Possible role of clinical audit

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- to lead to „pay per quality” system
- help to measure quality (develop indicators)
 - help to implement evidence based radiology into practice
 - help to build evidence based radiology