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# Predictive Modeling -P&C's Evolution Points to Healthcare's Revolution

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## Overview

- The Evolution of P&C Predictive Modeling
- Predictive Modeling Across Insurance
- Healthcare Predictive Modeling Today
- The Future of Healthcare Predictive Modeling

## The Evolution of P&C Predictive Modeling

Why was Predictive Modeling not extensively used in the past?

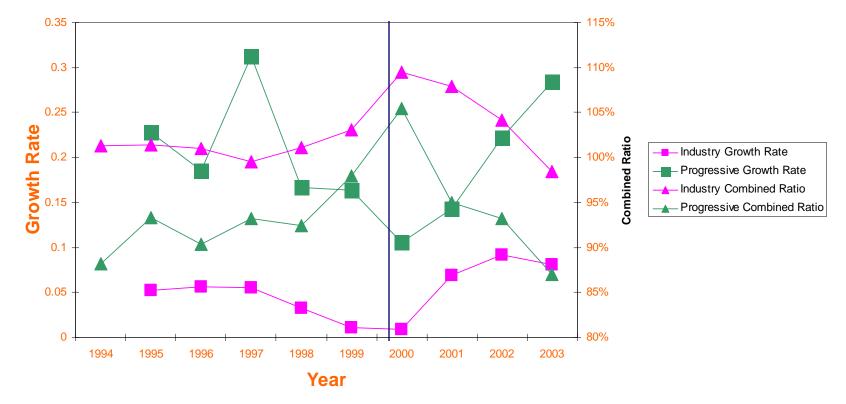
Processing power and storage was either not available or to expensive to support large scale predictive modeling

| Year                         | 1980  | 1985  | 1990  | 1995   | 2000   | 2004    |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|---------|
| Storage Cost per<br>Megabyte | \$190 | \$ 70 | \$ 10 | \$0.90 | \$0.05 | \$0.001 |
| Microprocessor Speed,<br>MHz | 5-8   | 16    | 33    | 75     | 200    | 400     |

Also robust external data and easy accessible internal transaction level data did not exist

## Progressive Insurance and Credit Score Case Study

- 1980's Progressive began experimenting with alternative underwriting variables
- 1990's Progressive became the first company to extensively use credit scores
- 2000's Progressive uses over 200 data elements in its scoring process



## **Progressive vs Industry**

## The Evolution of P&C Predictive Modeling

## **Evolution of P&C Predictive Modeling**

- Credit Scoring for Personal Auto
- Credit Scoring for Homeowners
- Small Commercial
  - Business Owners Policies
  - Commercial Auto
  - Property and General Liability
  - Workers' Compensation
- Non-Credit Scoring for Personal Auto and Homeowners
- Mid-Size and Large Commercial
- Workers' Compensation Claim Models
- Specialty Lines

## P&C Underwriting Today

- Predictive Modeling is Table Stakes
- Used in:
  - New business underwriting
  - Renewal underwriting
  - Customer service
  - Claims
  - Customer Retention
  - Agency Management
- Data Sources and Predictive Variables
  - Moved from solely credit score to 1,000s of variables
  - Looking at the present, the historical, and the changes over time
  - Internal elements
  - External elements
    - D&B, credit reporters, marketing datasets, geo-coding, synthetic variable development
- Key to realizing business benefits is implementation

## **Predictive Modeling Across Insurance**

## Predictive Modeling In The Insurance Industry Landscape

| Predictive Model Applications in Insurance   |   |                       |                |  |  |
|--|---|-----------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Product  | Life Stage of Predictive Modeling 15 Yrs+Future | Market<br>Penetration | Sophistication |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Personal Lines Underwriting</li> <li>Credit Modeling</li> <li>Non-Credit Modeling</li> </ul>                      |   |                       |                |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Commercial Lines Underwriting</li> <li>BOP/CMP</li> <li>Commercial Auto</li> <li>Workers Compensation</li> </ul>  |   |                       |                |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Healthcare</li> <li>Claims and Medical Management</li> <li>Underwriting</li> </ul>                                |   |                       |                |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Personal Lines <i>Claims</i></li> <li>– Auto Bodily Injury</li> </ul>   |   |                       |                |  |  |
| Commercial Lines <i>Claims</i> – Workers Compensation  |   |                       |                |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Disability Income</li> <li>LTD</li> <li>STD</li> </ul>  |   |                       |                |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Specialty Lines Underwriting<br/>&amp; Claims         <ul> <li>E&amp;O, D&amp;O, EPL, etc.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |   |                       | 10             |  |  |

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## Healthcare Predictive Modeling Today

## **Consumer Segmentation**

Consumer Segmentation is a method of better understanding and meeting the needs of individual consumers by dividing current and potential members into subgroups with distinct attributes, buying behaviors and health risk characteristics.

Traditionally, insurance companies have applied predictive analytics to identify high risk members either for upfront underwriting analysis or for post sale block of business analysis. However, insurance companies have often ignored the significant portion of the population that were either low cost and low risk or unknown.

We believe a broader, end-to-end segmentation approach utilizing Predictive Analytics should be used to deepen the understanding of the entire consumer population. An insurance company can then utilize this information to positively impact acquisition of new customers, develop programs to retain profitable members and improve risk analysis identification and assumptions for high risk high cost customers.

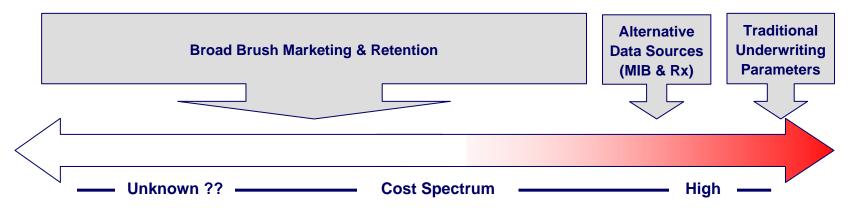
## Traditional Approach to Health Risk Segmentation

Predictive modeling was originally used to identify the 20% of the population that have significant medical histories. However, this population will only account for 30% of next years claims.

The approach offered a strong understanding of historical health characteristics for targeting purposes; however it had the following pitfalls

- Limited understanding of the unhealthy population subject only to historical medical information
- Limited to no understanding of the characteristics of prospects and profitable members thereby limiting marketing and retention efforts for the healthiest individuals
- Model was heavily dependent on historical medical history. Alternative sources such as MIB and Rx only add additional medical information to the equation

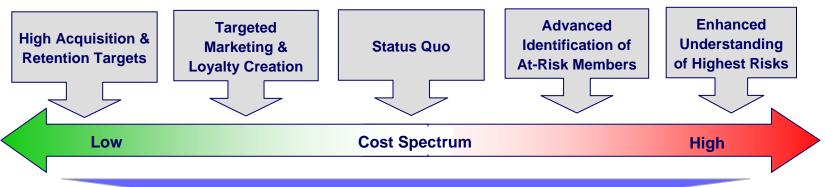
#### **Traditional Health Risk Segmentation and Resulting Solutions**



## The Future of Healthcare Predictive Modeling

## Proposed Solution to Health Risk Segmentation

#### New Health Risk Segmentation and Resulting Solutions



#### **Enhanced Analytics & Results**

#### **New Business**

#### Tools:

- Lifestyle-Based Analytics
- Household level data
- Census
- Geographic Data

#### Solutions

- Sales-force Effectiveness
- Improved Underwriting Especially for Year 2 and Beyond
- New Market Penetration
- Improved Marketing Efforts
- Underwriting Efficiencies

#### **Member Retention**

#### Tools:

- Member Retention Analytics
- Household Level Data
- Non-HEDIS Based Clinical Compliancy Measures

#### Solutions

- Outreach Router
- New Product Offerings
- Loyalty Rewards Program
- Enhanced Customer Experience
- Improved Efficiency

## Disease Management/Wellness Tools:

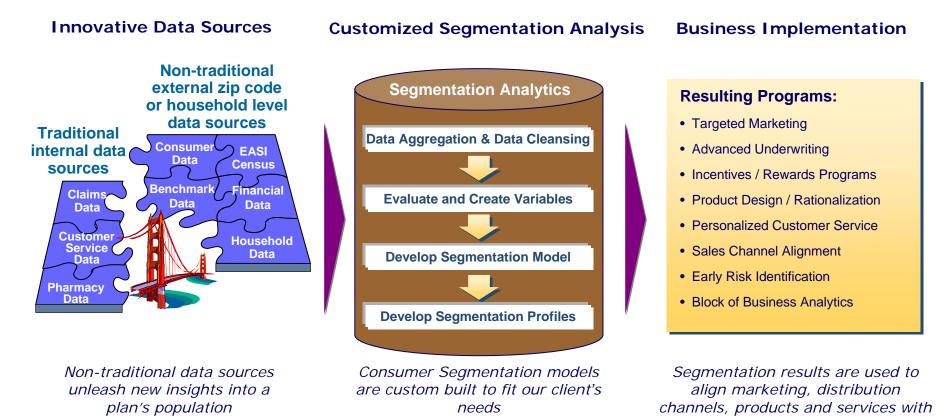
- Comprehensive Clinical Models Incorporating Multiple Risk Characteristics
- Lifestyle Indicators of At-Risk Individuals

#### Solutions

- Improved Risk Analysis Capabilities
- Earlier Identification of High Risk
   Members
- Increased Agent Education of Non-Traditional Member Risk Characteristics

## An Innovative Approach to Consumer Segmentation for Insurance Risk

Emerging approach supplements internal plan data with external consumer data and uses advanced statistical analysis to better define members desires and needs and gain insight into the health risks of members with limited claims experience



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prioritized consumer segments to improve acquisition, engagement and retention

## **Predictive Modeling**

Predictive Modeling applies mathematical and statistical techniques to predict the future profitability of a book of business at the individual policy level basis.

## An Objective Approach to Analyze Risk

 Limits subjective reasoning from the underwriting process

**Predictive Modeling** 

- Leverages internal and external data to predict individual risk profitability at the policy level
- Utilizes historical data to develop the model and enhance predictive power
- Can allow for increased amount of "low touch" policies/claims
- Provides objective guidance for more efficient and consistent pricing
- Improves underwriting workflow allocation efficiency for appropriate assignment of resources

A Means to an End

A Tool to Allow

Increased

Efficiency

- The predictive model itself delivers the relative profitability indication for each policy
- The business value to be obtained from the predictive model comes from careful implementation of model results into underwriting process, pricing, and systems



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#### Sample Lift Curve

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Sample Results --

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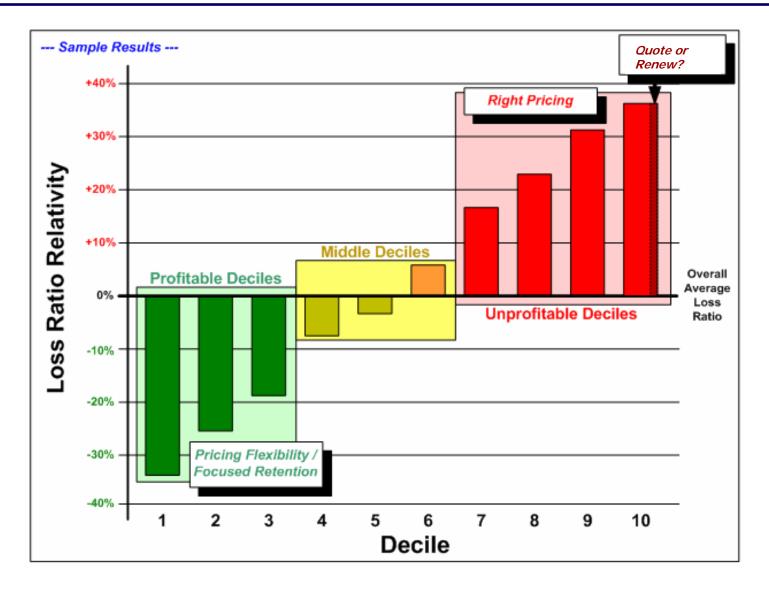
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### Predictive Modeling Overview – What can You Do with the Models?



# Business Value of Improved Insurance Risk Consumer Segmentation

## Applying improved customer insight across the organization can unlock significant business value

#### **Benefits of Improved Segmentation**

| Improved<br>Engagement<br>and Retention      | <ul> <li>Improved identification of the healthiest population</li> <li>Improved retention of profitable members</li> <li>Increased engagement and marketing to the best morbidity risk populations</li> <li>Improved ability to provide value to entire member population</li> <li>Contributing to a shift in the claims cost curve</li> </ul>  |
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| More Efficient<br>Allocation of<br>Resources | <ul> <li>Increased efficiency of acquisition, retention and outreach activities</li> <li>Increased effectiveness of underwriting as healthiest applicants are passed through efficiently and questionable applicants can be looked at closer</li> <li>Efficiency of customer service interactions</li> </ul> Contributing to a lower administrative expenses  |
| Opportunities<br>for Innovation              | <ul> <li>Consumer insight for new product development and marketing activities</li> <li>Potential for sharing customer insight with agents to improve quality</li> <li>Potential for sharing customer insight with affinity groups or other populations to develop new partnerships</li> <li>Pre-cursor to personalized insurance product development</li> </ul> Contributing to consumer-focused innovations |

## Lifestyle-Based Analytics (LBA)

- Roots are in predictive modeling
- Maps lifestyle behaviors to health risks
- Focuses on strong correlations that exist between lifestyles and many disease states
  - Diabetes
  - Hypertension
  - Cardiovascular
  - Stroke
  - COPD/Respiratory
  - Back Pain
  - Maternity
  - Most cancers
  - Some mental health: Depression, Alzheimer's, etc.
  - Others: Osteoporosis, Arthritis, etc.

| Diabetes Profiling Example |                |                   |                |  |  |
|----------------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|--|--|
|                            |                |                   | Diabetes Ratio |  |  |
| Data Element               | Employee A     | <b>Employee</b> B | AtoB           |  |  |
| Age                        | 40             | 40                | 1 to 1         |  |  |
| Vehicle Type               | MiniVan        | MiniVan           | 1 to 1         |  |  |
| # of Children              | 3              | 0                 | 1 to 10        |  |  |
| Outdoor Rec                | 4 plus         | No                | 1 to 25        |  |  |
| Fast Food                  | Rarely         | Frequent          | 1 to 40        |  |  |
| Lifestyle Ind              | M17            | RE3               | 1 to 60        |  |  |
| Hobbies                    | Active Outdoor | Reading           | 1 to 80        |  |  |
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|                            |                |                   |                |  |  |
| Online Purchasing          | Sporting Goods | Clothes           | 1 to 110       |  |  |

## Implementation is the Key to Success

The failure of predictive models in the past has not been due to the strength of the model itself but due to the lack of implementation planning

Plan on spending at least twice as much time on implementation as on model development

Before any data is ever analyzed, a successful model must begin with three things:

- determination of the business objectives
- definition of key model success parameters
- development of a detailed work plan for implementation

## What is the Future?

- Watch as earlier adopters in the world of underwriting automation gain significant competitive advantages by picking off the best risks, eliminating the worst risks, or even both
- To date, successful early adopters have had a strong entrepreneurial corporate nature leading this next generation of predictive modeling
- As managed care continues to move towards managed health, the importance of predictive models will increase and thus the need for advances in predictive modeling will expand
  - In disease management the need to assess those who are next at risk, not just those who are currently diagnosed
  - In marketing and sales, the paradigm is shifting to marketing to the healthiest populations or the most profitable populations

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