



**Bloom Road Consulting Group**

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What can Bloom Road do for Ascent clients as they face the sunset of Ascent in 2012? First we want you to know that we plan to continue to support the product as long as you want to use it. As Thomson exits this healthcare segment, we want to assure you that supporting payor contract management systems is our core business and we are here for you.

We can help you in all of these ways:

- Migrating your data to a data repository or archive.
- Converting your reports to a new system. We have tools to extract the report components and make cataloging and migration so much easier.
- Finding another solution for your needs. Whether you need Contract Management, Quality Management, Denials Management, or Decision Support, we understand how Ascent is used in each of these operational functions. We also have knowledge of industry software and solutions that can fill these needs for you. Not only do we know the software, in many cases we know the software vendor people, culture and clients; three important elements often overlooked in the search process.
- Implementing new solutions.

In the coming weeks and months as you decide a direction, please contact us for assistance. We have worked with Ascent since 1998. During this time we have implemented CMS and QMS and supported the products in single and multiple facility clients. We understand your need to get the software working for you to fit your operations, and we strive to achieve that purpose for you. We know you depend on reliable software and data integrity to help you find underpayments, manage denials, capture quality indicators, and report accurate results. Find more about work we have done at <http://www.bloomroad.com/projects.htm>

Thank you for your consideration,

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