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Comments Received:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments to the 2024 Proposed DPRP Standards.

Please note two comments related to the following sections:

II. Standards and Requirements for Recognition

A. Participant Eligibility: can guidance be provided for participants who have already completed the DPP (considered completers) and are requesting to rejoin the program? We're concerned about its potential impact on duplicate data collection and for group-based intervention that relies heavily on participant bonding which could be tarnished by combining individuals at different 'starting points' and 'LSC knowledge' in the intervention.

IV. Submitting Evaluation Data to the DPRP

Table 5. Data Dictionary:

#7. Social Needs Action: In the proposed standards, there are a total of 5 selections. Can an additional selection be included which states: "Yes, our organization is currently taking action to meet one or more of the identified needs." Because at the time of enrollment, we may not have had adequate time to actually "meet the identified need" yet, since it takes time to locate resources, communicate feasibility with the participant, etc. By having this selection, it does show that the organization is in the process of attempting to meet the need.

Thank you,
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