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For the measure in Table 6B, Initiation and Engagement in SUD treatment, we will have incomplete data since the EMR will not be able to report on intensive outpatient encounters or partial hospitalizations since these occur outside our health center, unless we put in a dummy code or a structured data field to document this in the note, and a report can be generated. We can do the structured data field insert in our template yet it is still likely that the data will not be fully accurately captured.



Table 6A, Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias (ADRD) Screening, is asking primary care providers to screen for dementia although this is not routinely done, and received a USPSTF recommendation of I. I would not recommend this, and would continue to conduct screenings based on provider observation, or patient or family concern.

Sincerely,

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