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# THE NATIONAL PRACTITIONER DATA BANK (NPDB) AND THE HEALTHCARE INTEGRITY AND PROTECTION DATA BANK (HIPDB)

# NON-USER QUESTIONNAIRE

- Sa. STRATUM: (CODE FROM SAMPLE FILE)
  - 1 NPDB Non-User ONLY (No Current NPDB Registration)
  - 2 HIPDB Non-User ONLY (No Current HIPDB Registration)
  - 3 NPDB AND HIPDB Non-User (No Current NPDB AND HIPDB Registration)

(NOTE: NPDB non-users are defined as those entities that are eligible to register with the NPDB, but are not currently registered. HIPDB non-users are defined as those entities that are eligible to register with the HIPDB, but are not currently registered)

# (If Sa=2, THEN SKIP to #3, ELSE CONTINUE)

1. Have you ever heard of the NPDB--National Practitioner Data Bank?

Article I. Yes Article II. No

(If Sa=1 and CODE 2 in #1, SKIP TO #5)

#### (If Sa=3 and CODE 2 in #1, SKIP TO #3)

- 2. Is your entity currently registered to query and/or report to the NPDB?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

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(If Sa=1 AND CODE 1 IN #2, THANK AND TERMINATE)
(If Sa=1 AND CODE 2 IN #2, SKIP TO #5)
(If Sa=3 AND CODE 1 OR 2 IN #2, CONTINUE)
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- 3. Have you ever heard of the HIPDB--Health Integrity and Protection Data Bank?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

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(If Sa=2 and CODE 2 in #3, SKIP TO #5)
(If Sa=3 and CODE 2 in #3, SKIP TO #5)
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- 4. Is your entity currently registered to query and/or report to the HIPDB?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

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(If Sa=2 and Code 1 IN #4, THANK AND TERMINATE)
(If Sa=3 and Code 1 IN #2=1 and CODE 1 IN #4, THANK
AND TERMINATE, ELSE CONTINUE)
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- 5. Which of the following BEST describes your entity?
  - 1 Hospital
  - 2 Managed Care Organization
  - 3 Group Practice
  - 4 Other Provider of Health Services
  - 5 State Licensing Board
  - 6 Other Government Agency
  - 7 Professional Society
  - 8 Other Private Sector Entity
  - 9 Other (Open Ended and Code)

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(If Code 5 in #5, ASK #6 THEN ASK #9-1)
(If Code 7 in #5, ASK #7 and #7a THEN ASK #9-1)
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- 6. About how many practitioners does your State Licensing Board issue new or renewal licenses to each year? (Open Ended and Code Actual Number)
- 7. Does your professional society screen the credentials of some or all membership applicants or members?
  - 1 Yes, all applicants or members are screened
  - 2 Yes, some applicants or members are screened
  - 3 No, no applicants or members are screened

(If code 1,2 in #7, CONTINUE)
(If code 3 in #7, THANK AND TERMINATE)

- 7a. If so, how many practitioners do you screen each year? (Open Ended and Code Actual Number)
- 8. How many practitioners does your entity credential each year? (Open Ended and Code Actual Number)
- 9-1. Please indicate which of the following sources of information, if any, you use in your licensing, credentialing, or application decision-making process?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
- a. ABMS (American Board of Medical Specialties)
- b. AMA (American Medical Association)
- c. BADB/FSMB (Board Action Data Bank, Federation of State Medical Boards)
- d. HIPDB (IF CODE 2 in Sa, DO NOT ASK)
- e. Hospitals
- f. Licensing boards of your STATE
- q. Licensing boards of other STATES
- h. Medical schools
- i. National entities of state licensing boards for non-physician practitioners, e.g., National Council of State Boards of Nursing (Nursys), The Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Boards (CIN-BAD), etc.
- j. NPDB (IF CODE 1 in Sa, DO NOT ASK)
- k. Practitioner's currently affiliated Health Plans
- l. Previously affiliated health plans
- m. Practitioner's current medical malpractice insurance carrier
- n. Practitioner's previous medical malpractice insurance carrier

- o. Other health care entities
- p. Professional Societies
- q. Residency programs
- r. Other Sources (Open-ended)
- 10. Do you contract with an outside agency to handle portions of the process used to gather information for applications, licensing, credentialing decision-making processes?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
- 11-1. On a scale of 1 to 7, where 1 is not at all important, 7 is very important, and the other numbers represent something in between, how important are the following in your licensing, credentialing, or application decision making process?
  - 1 Not at all important
  - 2
  - 3
  - 4 5
  - 2
  - 7 Very Important
- a. Multiple medical malpractice payments over a period of vears
- b. Single, large medical malpractice payment during a period of years
- c. An adverse action resulting in a reduction of clinical privileges
- d. An adverse action resulting in a suspension of clinical privileges
- e. An adverse action resulting in a revocation of clinical privileges
- f. A probation imposed by a State Licensing Board
- g. A suspension imposed by a State Licensing Board
- h. A revocation imposed by a State Licensing Board
- i. Another action by a State Licensing Board
- j. A probation of a membership in a professional society
- k. A suspension of a membership in a professional society
- l. A revocation of a membership in a professional society
- m. Medicare or Medicaid exclusions
- n. A criminal conviction
- o. A civil judgment (non-malpractice)

## (If Code 1,3 in Sa CONTINUE)

#### (If Code 2 in Sa SKIP TO #14)

- 12. Has your entity EVER queried the NPDB?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

# (If Code 2 in #12, SKIP TO #14)

- 13. When was the last time your entity queried the NPDB?
  - 1 Less than one month ago
  - 2 One to less than three months ago
  - 3 Three to less than six months ago
  - 4 Six months to less than one year ago
  - 5 One to less than two years ago
  - 6 Two to less than three years ago
  - 7 Three to less than five years ago
  - 8 Five or more years ago
  - 9 Don't Know

(If Code 2,3 in Sa CONTINUE) (If Code 1 in Sa SKIP TO #16)

- 14. Has your entity EVER queried the HIPDB?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

## (If Code 2 in #14, SKIP TO #16)

- 15. When was the last time you queried the HIPDB?
  - 1 Less than one month ago
  - 2 One to less than three months ago
  - 3 Three to less than six months ago
  - 4 Six months to less than one year ago
  - 5 One to less than two years ago
  - 6 Two to less than three years ago
  - 7 Three to less than five years ago
  - 8 Five or more years ago
  - 9 Don't Know

(If sa=1 and CODE 2 in #2, ASK #16) (If sa=3 and CODE 2 in #2, ASK #16)

#### ELSE SKIP TO NOTE BEFORE #18)

- 16. Why is your entity not currently registered to query and/or report to the NPDB? (Allow three responses)
  - 1 Other (Open-Ended)
- 17. Is there anything the NPDB could do to increase the likelihood of your entity re-registering to query and/or report in the future? (Open-Ended) Allow three responses
  - 1 Other (Open-Ended)

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(If sa=2 and CODE 2 in #4, ASK #18)
(If sa=3 and CODE 2 in #4, ASK #18)
(ELSE SKIP TO FINISH)
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- 18. Why is your entity currently not registered to query and/or report to the HIPDB? (Allow three responses)
  - 1 Other (Open-Ended)
- 19. Is there anything HIPDB could do to increase the likelihood of your entity re-registering to query and/or report in the future? (Allow three responses)
  - 1 Other (Open-Ended)

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