**Entities Survey: Module 5**

**Number of questions: 9**

This module is relevant for the following entity identified in Module 2:

*Professional Society*

**Demographics Related Questions**

**Q 5.1.** For the typical year, how many applications for membership does your professional society receive?

Type a number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do not know (Please Explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Q 5.2.** For the typical year, how many membership applications does your professional society approve?

Type a number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do not know (Please Explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Q 5.3.** For the typical year, how many members belong to your professional society?

Type a number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do not know (Please Explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Q 5.4.** How many individuals in your professional society are responsible for granting membership to practitioners?

Type a number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do not know (Please Explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Q 5.5.** How often does your organization review the records of practitioners that have been granted membership into your professional society?

Once every 6 months

Once per year

Once every 2 years

Once every 3 years

Once every 4 or more years

Ongoing

Records are never routinely reviewed after membership is granted.

Other (Please Explain)

**Q 5.6.** Which of the following sources does your professional society utilize for granting membership to a practitioner? (Please select all that apply.)

National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB)

Practitioner’s Self-­Queries of the NPDB

Board Action Data Bank of the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) or other national organization(s) of state licensing boards for non-physician practitioners

Licensing board(s) in your state

Licensing board(s) in another state

Practitioner’s current medical malpractice/liability insurance carrier(s)

Practitioner’s previous medical malpractice/liability insurance carrier(s)

Practitioner’s current affiliated health plan(s)

Practitioner’s previous affiliated health plan(s)

Other health care entities (other hospitals, HMOs, group practice, etc.)

Professional society(ies) (e.g., AMA, AOA, ANA, etc.).

Medical school(s) or other professional school(s)

Residency program(s)

Speciality certification organizations (e.g., ABMS)

OIG exclusion list

Drug Enforcement Agency exclusion list

Peer or professional references

Other (Please Explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Q 5.7.** Has your professional society ever taken any NPDB reportable action(s)?

Yes

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**Q 5.8.** In the last 5 years, how many times does your professional society take professional review actions regarding practitioners?

Dropdown menu: 0 to 10, more than 10

Do not know (Please Explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If they say “zero”, then skip 5.9.

**Q 5.9.** In the last 5 years, how many times does your professional society take the following actions through a professional review process regarding practitioners? (Only one answer per row)

Dropdown menu for each item: 1 to 10, more than 10, Do not know

Revocation of Professional Society Membership

Suspension of Professional Society Membership

Disciplinary Probation Affecting Membership Rights or Privileges

Other Restriction/Limitation on Professional Society Membership (Specify) \_\_\_\_

Denial of Professional Society Membership (Subsequent)

Piping Logic:

Survey will be directed to Module 8 next.