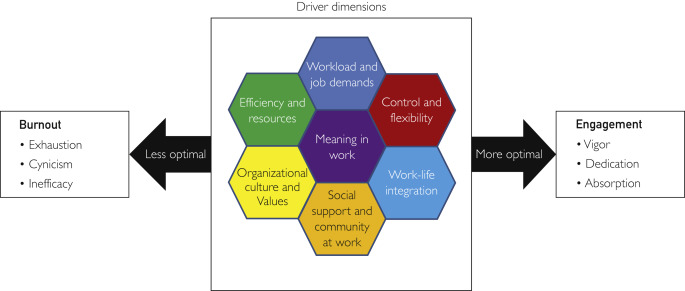
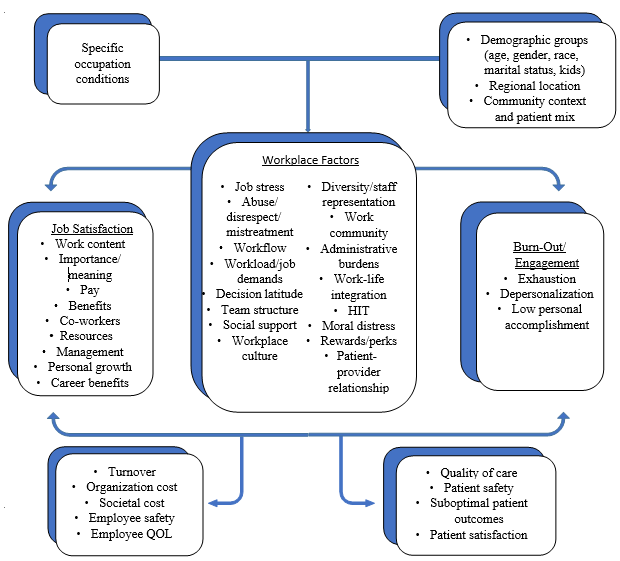
# Introduction to Draft Survey Construction

The initial draft Health Center Workforce Survey was developed based on an extensive literature review conducted as one of the deliverables for this contract (Literature Review Summary) and inputs from our initial Technical Advisory Panel meeting.  The literature review was structured around a Mayo Clinic framework of factors influencing burnout and job satisfaction, which were organized into seven broad groups of drivers of burnout (Workload, Control & Flexibility, Social Support, Work-Life Integration, Organizational/Cultural Values, Efficiency & Resources, and Meaning in Work) (Figure 1). Although the Mayo Clinic framework listed examples of drivers within each major grouping, John Snow Inc. staff supplemented and modified the list of workplace factors based on our conceptual understanding of important determinants and consequences of burnout and job satisfaction within the Health Center program environment (Figure 2).  It was this full list of workplace factors that provided the focus for the literature search (Figure 3).  The primary objectives of the literature search were to confirm that (a) the workplace factors  indeed were supported by research findings showing there was a relationship for each with either burnout or job satisfaction and (b) to also identify questionnaire measurement tools for the workplace factors that were used in these research studies (see Literature Review Summary).

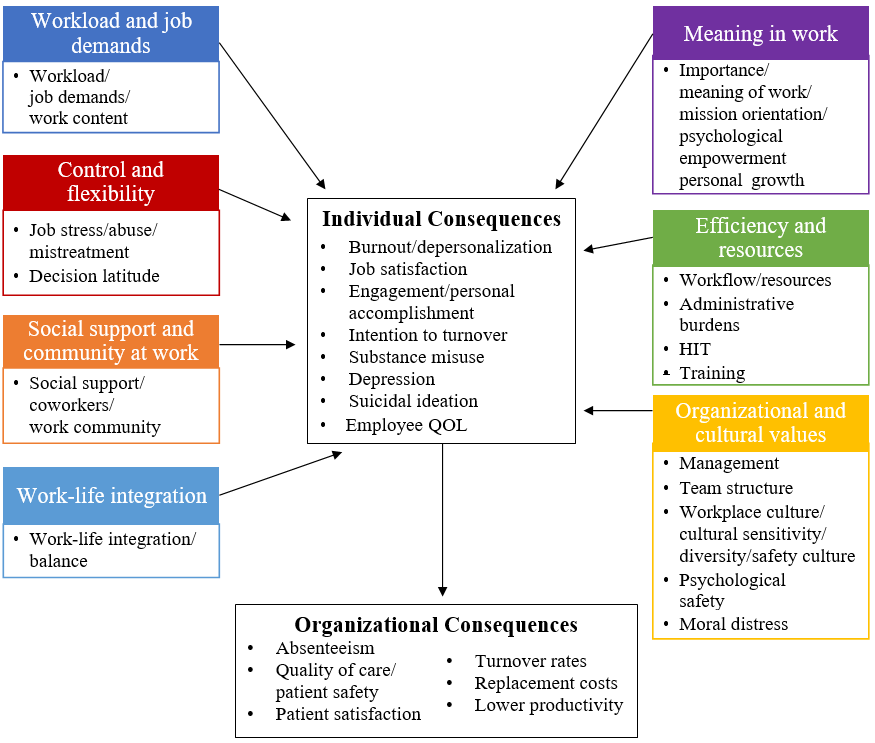
JSI then compiled these measurement tools for consideration, often with several alternative tools available for each workplace factor.  A subgroup of our project team then worked systematically over many sessions to choose the questions to include in the initial draft survey.  In selecting the questions to measure each workplace factor, we kept in mind two objectives: (a) in order to keep the length of the total survey reasonable, the number of questions selected to measure an individual workplace factor should be relatively few; and (b) the wording of the questions should be applicable to Health Center staff across occupations (rather than hospital settings or limited to physicians for instance).  The team chose a subset of questions that succinctly met the definition of a workplace factor as described in the literature review.  In some instances, the team made slight wording or phrasing changes to ensure relevance to health center employees and consistency of perspective. Also, for some workplace factors, the team included questions from multiple measures.  One final note on the construction of the survey, we arranged the survey into major sections and sequenced workplace factors within these sections in a way that made sense even though they were different from the Mayo Clinic’s major groupings of workplace factors.

Based on feedback from 73 Listening Session participants representing a variety of occupations from different types of Health Centers across the country, JSI revised a second draft of this survey. Feedback from the Technical Advisory Panel members and HRSA staff contributed towards the third and fourth drafts. The current draft (version 5.0) was further informed by cognitive interviews conducted with a diverse pool of 60 health center staff who had completed the survey. A final draft of the survey will be prepared after pilot testing of the current version with approximately 400 health center employees from across all HRSA-funded health centers.

**Figure 1. “Key drivers of burnout and engagement in physicians.”[[1]](#footnote-3)** ****

**Figure 2. JSI conceptual model to guide survey development for health centers.** 

**Figure 3. Integration of the JSI and Mayo Clinic frameworks.**



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| **Draft Version** | **Summary of Major Changes** |
| 1 | Organized the survey headings, subheadings, and flow of questions.  In the Literature Review Summary, JSI categorized workplace factors under the Mayo Clinic’s “Driver dimensions” of burnout (Figure 1). In draft 1, JSI re-categorized the workplace factors under new headings that transition from the individual, interpersonal, and organizational level. Some workplace factors merged into the same subheading or separated into distinct subheadings. |
| 2 | Added, deleted, revised, and reorganized questions based on feedback from the Listening Session participants.  Added questions or response options where the Listening Session participants noted missing concepts. Removed one question after reviewing whether the concept had been encompassed in other existing questions. Revised questions that participants found unclear or lengthy. Merged related questions into the same subheading. |
| 3 | Updated survey headings, added and deleted questions, revised response categories, and refined the question language based on TAP and HRSA feedback.  Upon HRSA’s suggestion, JSI reviewed the 2019 Federal Employment Viewpoint Survey (EVS) to compare the survey’s organization and workplace factors. Altered survey headings based on the EVS and reorganized existing subheadings. Added an introduction to the demographics section based on HRSA’s feedback. Added questions based on TAP/HRSA’s comments as well as added EVS questions that were not already included in the survey. Deleted questions that were redundant. Revised response categories to meet HRSA’s feedback, match the existing agree-disagree scale, and offer participants an option to not disclose their demographic data. Revised some questions for clarity and consistency. |
| 4 | Revised questions based on HRSA’s feedback.  Bullying, discrimination, and abuse questions were removed from the survey. Minor revisions to questions for clarity and consistency. |
| 5 | Revised, deleted, and reorganized questions based on feedback from the Cognitive Interview participants.  Reworded and simplified job classification questions. Added additional job classification questions to record respondents with multiple jobs, director roles, and those currently working towards credentialing or certification. Separated race/ethnicity demographic question into two questions. Removed questions that were redundant or already encompassed by other questions. Reorganized questions and subheadings to better reflect corresponding workplace factors. Clarified and simplified questions with minor edits. Revised response categories based on Cognitive Interview participants feedback on missing options. Added or revised section introductions given participant feedback about confidentiality concerns. |
| 6 | Revised and deleted questions based on feedback from HRSA.  Revised EMR/EHR questions to better assess burnout and not satisfaction with the operating system. Deleted sensitive moral distress questions. |

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# A. Information about My Job

A1. Please select the job that best matches your Primary job at this Health Center.

1. Please select the category that your job falls in.

Medical (General Practitioner, Physician Assistant, Nurse, etc.)

Dental (Dental Technician, Dental Aide etc.)

Behavioral Health / Substance Use (Psychologist, Professional Counselor, Recovery Support Specialist, etc.)

Other Professional (Chiropractor, Nutritionist, Podiatrist, etc.)

Vision (Ophthalmologist, Optometric Assistant, etc.)

Lab (Pathologist, Laboratory Technician, Phlebotomist, etc.)

X-Ray (Radiologist, Ultrasound Technician, etc.)

Pharmacy (Pharmacy Clerk, Pharmacy Assistant, etc.)

Enabling (Case Manager, Transportation Staff, Interpreter, etc.)

Other Program and Services (WIC Staff, Educational Counselor, Exercise Trainer, etc.)

Patient Support (Front Desk Staff, Medical Scribe, Patient Records Clerk, etc.)

Quality Improvement (Quality Improvement Nurse, Data Analyst, etc.)

Senior Corporate Leadership (Chief Information Officer, Chief Medical Officer, etc.)

Administration and Support (Site Manager, Human Resources Staff, Communications Staff, etc.)

Fiscal and Billing (Accounts Payable Clerk, Bookkeeper, etc.)

Information and Technology (EHR Technician, IT Help Desk Technician, Programmer, etc.)

Facilities (Janitorial Staff, Security Guard, Equipment Maintenance Staff, etc.)

1. Please select the title that best describes your job.

Family Physician   
General Practitioner   
Internist   
Obstetrician / Gynecologist   
Pediatrician   
Other Specialty Physician: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
Nurse Practitioner   
Physician Assistant   
Midwife   
Nurse   
Nurse Aide / Assistant (certified and uncertified)

Medical Assistant / Aide (certified and uncertified)   
EMS/EMT Staff (not credentialed as a nurse)   
Other Clinical Medical Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Dentist   
Dental Hygienist   
Dental Therapist   
Dental Assistant, Advanced Practice Dental Assistant   
Dental Technician   
Dental Aide   
Other Clinical Dental Personnel: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Psychiatrist   
Psychologist   
Clinical Social Worker   
Professional Counselor   
Marriage and Family Therapist   
Psychiatric Nurse Specialist   
Mental Health Nurse Practitioner   
Mental Health Physician Assistant   
Other Licensed Mental Health Provider   
Other Mental Health Staff   
Alcohol/Substance Use Counselor   
Recovery Support Specialist   
Other Behavioral Health/Substance Use Disorder Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Chiropractor   
Dietician / Nutritionist   
Therapist (Occupational, Speech, Physical, etc.)   
Podiatrist   
Other Professional Providers: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Ophthalmologist   
Optometrist   
Ophthalmologist / Optometric Assistant   
Ophthalmologist / Optometric Aide   
Ophthalmologist / Optometric Technician   
Other Vision Care Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Pathologist   
Medical Technologist   
Laboratory Technician   
Laboratory Assistant   
Phlebotomist   
Other Lab Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Radiologist   
X-Ray Technician   
Radiology Assistant   
Ultrasound Technician   
Other X-Ray Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
Pharmacist   
Pharmacy Technician   
Pharmacist Assistant   
Pharmacy Clerk   
Other Pharmacy Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Case Manager   
Patient / Community Education Specialist   
Outreach Worker   
Transportation Staff   
Eligibility Assistance Worker   
Interpreter   
Community Health Worker   
Other Enabling Services Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
WIC Staff   
Head Start Staff   
Housing Assistance Staff   
Child Care Staff   
Food Bank / Meal Delivery Staff   
Employment / Educational Counselor   
Exercise Trainer/Fitness Center Staff   
Adult Day Health Care, Frail Elderly Support Staff   
Other Program / Service Specific Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Clinical Team Secretary   
Patient Appointment Clerk   
Patient / Medical Records Clerk   
Medical Scribe   
Patient Records Transcriptionist   
Front Desk / Registration / Check-In Staff   
Cashier / Check-Out Staff   
Appointments Clerk

Other Patient Support Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
QI Nurse   
QI Technician   
QI Data Specialist   
Statistician / Data Analyst   
Other Quality Improvement Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
Chief Executive Officer / Executive Director   
Chief Financial Officer / Fiscal Officer / Finance Director   
Chief Information Officer   
Chief Medical Officer / Medical Director (With No Clinical Practice)   
Chief Operating Officer / Director Of Operations   
Chief Strategy/Planning Officer   
Other Corporate Leadership Team: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Department Manager   
Site Manager   
Planning And Evaluation Staff   
Personnel / HR Department Staff   
Marketing / Communications Staff   
Receptionist (not clinical check-in)   
Secretaries / Administrative Assistant   
Other Administration / Support Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Accountant   
Bookkeeper   
Billing Clerk   
Accounts Payable Clerk   
Other Fiscal and Billing Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_   
  
Data Processing Staff   
Programmer   
IT Help Desk Technician   
EHR Technician   
Data Entry Clerk   
Other Information and Technology Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Janitor / Custodian   
Security Guard   
Groundskeeper   
Equipment Maintenance Staff   
Housekeeping Staff   
Other Facilities Staff: \_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What is your actual title for this job? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. For this job, do you serve as a director of the clinical or functional area in which you work, such as Medical Director, Human Resources Director, or Director of Nursing?

Yes, I am a director

No, I am not a director

1. For this job, are you working as part of an educational requirement, such as an internship, residency, fellowship, or apprenticeship?

Yes, my job is part of an educational requirement   
No, my job is part of an educational requirement

1. Do you have a second distinct job at this Health Center? *Indicate a second job if you have separate time set aside for this additional job or an agreed expectation that you will serve in a clear second capacity for a portion of your time. Do not consider a director role as a second job.*

Yes, I have more than one distinct job [*skip logic to A1 vii-xi questions*]

No, I only have one job *[skip logic to A2]  
  
A1 Secondary Job Question Series (same responses):*  
Please select the job that best matches your Secondary job at this Health Center.

1. Please select the category that your Secondary job falls in.
2. Please select the title that best describes your Secondary job.
3. What is your actual title for this job?
4. For this job, do you serve as a director of the clinical or functional area in which you work, such as Medical Director, Human Resources Director, or Director of Nursing?
5. For this job, are you working as part of an educational requirement, such as an internship, residency, fellowship, or apprenticeship?

For the remainder of the survey, please answer questions from the perspective of your Primary job to the degree possible, even if your answers might be different for your Secondary job.

A2. How many years have you been doing this type of job at this Health Center? *Please round to the nearest year.*

Less than 1 year   
More than 1 year: \_\_\_\_\_ years

A3. How many years, in total, have you been doing this type of job at this Health Center and anywhere else? *Please round to the nearest year.*

Less than 1 year   
More than 1 year: \_\_\_\_\_ years

A4. For your current job, are you paid on a salary or hourly basis?

Salary  
Hourly

A5. In the past month, on average how many hours a week did you work at your current job? *Include any paid time off as time worked. Do not include on-call time.*

Less than 10  
10 to 20  
21 to 30  
31 to 40  
41 to 50  
More than 50

A6. As part of your current job, for how many people are you their direct supervisor?

None (I don’t supervise anyone)  
 1-4 people  
 5-9 people  
 10 or more people

A7. As part of your current job, how often do you interact with patients?

Routinely  
Occasionally  
Never

A8. As part of your current job, how often do you use the Health Center’s electronic medical record (EMR) / electronic health record (EHR) system?

Routinely  
Occasionally  
Never

# B. My Work Team

*These next questions are about your work team. We want you to think about those people who you work with almost every day who are in the same unit as you even though you may do different tasks.*

## My Work Team Dynamics

1. My team members value, seek and give each other constructive feedback.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. My team members readily share ideas and information with each other. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. My team members work effectively together.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. My team members support me in the work that I do.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. Team members understand the role and responsibilities of each other.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
6. Members of my team are able to bring up problems and tough issues.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
7. If you make a mistake on my team, it is held against you.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
8. I feel that I am ignored or not taken seriously by others on my team.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Supervision and Leadership

1. I am encouraged by my direct supervisor to voice my opinion on issues relating to our work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. My direct supervisor supports my need to balance work and other life issues. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. Communication between my direct supervisor and me is good.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. My direct supervisor encourages staff to contribute to decisions about work-related issues. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. Communication between senior leaders and employees is good in this Health Center.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. My direct supervisor is a good manager and leader.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. My Health Center’s senior leaders are skilled and effective.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. In this Health Center, senior leaders generate high levels of motivation and commitment among staff.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

# C. My Health Center

Please remember that all your answers are confidential and no one’s individual answers will ever be seen by anyone.

## Culture

1. This Health Center promotes the well-being of staff.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. Policies and programs at this Health Center promote diversity in the workplace such as recruiting minorities and women, training in awareness of diversity issues, and mentoring.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. Staff members are respectful to all coworkers regardless of their different backgrounds or identities.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. Staff members are respectful of the diverse patient populations whom they serve.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. Staff members provide the same high quality care to all patients regardless of their different backgrounds or identities.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. Staff members have the resources needed to provide care that is appropriate for patients of different cultures, backgrounds, or identities.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
6. Opportunities for staff at this Health Center are decided primarily on quality of work and abilities.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
7. Senior leaders treat all employees fairly regardless of their different backgrounds or identities.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
8. Favoritism determines one's opportunities at this Health Center.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
9. I feel comfortable communicating with staff at all levels of this Health Center.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
10. Teamwork is valued in this Health Center.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
11. If I were to experience mistreatment within my workplace, such as bullying, discrimination, abuse, harassment, I would feel comfortable reporting it to someone at this Health Center.   
    6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Social Support and Recognition

1. I get help and support from my coworkers.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I get help and support from my direct supervisor.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. My coworkers are willing to listen to my problems.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. My direct supervisor is willing to listen to my problems.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. My coworkers show recognition and appreciation for my work.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. My direct supervisor shows recognition and appreciation for my work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. Senior leaders show recognition and appreciation for our work.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
6. The Health Center's patients show recognition and appreciation for our work.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
7. The community shows recognition and appreciation for our work.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Health Center Processes

1. Administrative tasks that I have to do get in the way of my primary duties.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. The electronic medical record (EMR) / electronic health record (EHR) system used at this Health Center gets in my way of supporting high quality patient care.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. The electronic medical record (EMR) / electronic health record (EHR) system used at this Health Center adds burden to my work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. I am satisfied with the electronic medical record (EMR) / electronic health record (EHR) system used at this Health Center.  
   
5. In this Health Center, getting more work done is more important than quality of care. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
6. This Health Center has systems in place to prevent, catch, and correct problems that have the potential to affect patient care.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Training

1. This Health Center makes sure staff get the job training they need.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. This Health Center makes sure staff get the continuing education they need.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. This Health Center trains staff when new processes are put into place.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Resources

1. This Health Center is able to hire people with the right skills.
2. I have the resources I need to do my job well.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. This Health Center has adequate resources and procedures to protect the health and safety of staff.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. This Health Center is keeping up with the latest changes in the delivery of healthcare.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. This Health Center has appropriate physical space and conditions to deliver our services, such as adequate noise levels, temperature control, and privacy. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
6. This Health Center has resources, systems, and processes to respond to crises effectively. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
7. I am confident about this Health Center's financial stability over the next few years. 6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

# D. My Work Experience

## Mission Orientation

1. I work in an organization that provides essential care to people who otherwise wouldn't have it.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I am aware of the direction and mission of this Health Center.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. This Health Center is successful at accomplishing its mission.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. My work contributes to carrying out the mission of this Health Center.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Meaningfulness

1. I feel I'm positively influencing other people's lives through my work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I believe that working in a Community Health Center gives me a greater sense of fulfillment than I would feel working in other health care settings.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. Working with under-resourced populations makes my job feel valuable.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. I have a meaningful job at this Health Center.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. The work I do serves a greater purpose.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Compensation and Benefits

1. I am well compensated given my training and experience.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I am well compensated compared to people with similar jobs in this region.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. This Health Center rewards performance with bonuses or other monetary types of recognition.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Professional Growth

1. I am satisfied with my opportunities for professional growth at this Health Center.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. There are a lot of opportunities for challenging work in my job.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. There are a lot of opportunities for gaining new skills and knowledge in my job.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. My skills and knowledge are used well in my job.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Work Load

1. I don’t have enough time to do the work that must be done.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. We have enough staff to handle our patient load.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. I know what is expected of me at work.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. I sometimes have to do things at work which seem to be unnecessary.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. I have control over how I do my work.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I have influence in the decisions affecting my work.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Work-Life Balance

1. My work takes so much of my time that it has a negative effect on my personal life.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I leave my work behind at the end of the workday.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. I am able to take the time off from work that I need.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Moral Distress

1. I often find it difficult to do my job because of organizational rules or procedures.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I am often bothered that this Health Center cannot fully address patients’ needs because they go beyond what this Health Center can offer.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. This Health Center has resources, such as dedicated staff, community programs, resources or tools, to address patients’ social needs.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

# E. Overall Feelings About My Job

## Job Satisfaction

1. If I had to decide again, I would definitely take this job.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. I would recommend this Health Center as a good place to work.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. I feel that this is my ideal job.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. My job matches the expectations I had when I took it.   
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. All things considered, I am very satisfied with my current job.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Burnout

1. There are days when I feel tired before I arrive at work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. After work, I tend to need more time than in the past in order to relax and feel better.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
3. I can tolerate the pressure of my work very well.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
4. During my work, I often feel emotionally drained.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
5. After working, I have enough energy for my leisure activities.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
6. After my work, I usually feel worn out and weary.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
7. Usually, I can manage the amount of my work well.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
8. When I work, I usually feel energized.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
9. I often find new and interesting aspects in my work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
10. It happens more and more often that I talk about my work in a negative way.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
11. Lately, I tend to think less at work and do my job almost mechanically.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
12. I find my work to be a positive challenge.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
13. Over time, one can become disconnected from this type of work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
14. Sometimes I feel sickened by my work tasks.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
15. This is the only type of work that I can imagine myself doing.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
16. I feel more and more engaged in my work.6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
17. The longer I work in this job, the less empathetic I feel toward the Health Center's patients.  
    6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
18. The longer I work in this job, the less empathetic I feel with my colleagues.  
    6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
19. The longer I work in this job, the less sensitive I feel toward others’ feelings/emotions.  
    6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
20. The longer I work in this job, the less interested I feel in talking with the Health Center's patients.  
    6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
21. The longer I work in this job, the less connected I feel with the Health Center's patients.

6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

1. The longer I work in this job, the less connected I feel with my colleagues.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

## Intention to Leave

1. A year from now, it is likely that I will still be working at this Health Center.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.
2. If you were to leave, which would be the main reason(s)? *Select all that apply.*

Moving

Retiring

Advancing career

Joining another health care organization

Joining a different field  
Better pay

Better benefits

Better working environment

Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Staff turnover is a problem at this Health Center.  
   6-item scale from strongly agree to strongly disagree.

# F. My Demographics

**Your confidentiality and responses will be protected.** Demographic information is important in order to compare group responses with other groups across health centers. Your responses will not be provided to your health center in any way that could identify you.

1. What is your age?

\_\_\_\_\_ years old Choose not to disclose

1. What is your gender Identity?

Male

Female

Transgender

Something else

Don't know/not sure

Choose not to disclose

1. What is your sexual orientation?

Lesbian or Gay

Heterosexual or Straight

Bisexual

Something else

Don't know/not sure

Choose not to disclose

1. Are you Hispanic or Latino/a?

Yes No Choose not to disclose

1. What is your race? *Select all that apply.*

American Indian or Alaska Native  
Asian  
Black or African American  
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  
White  
Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
Choose not to disclose

1. How well do you speak English?

Well  
Not well

Not at all

Choose not to disclose

1. Are you an individual with a disability?

Yes No Choose not to disclose

1. What is the highest education level you have completed?

Less than High School

High School Diploma/GED or Equivalent

Technical or Professional Certificate

Some College (no degree)

Associate’s Degree (e.g., AA, AS)

Bachelor’s Degree (e.g., BA, BS)

Master’s Degree (e.g., MA, MS, MBA)

Doctoral/Professional Degree (e.g., MD/DO, DMD/DDS, PhD)

Choose not to disclose

1. What is your current marital status?

Married / Domestic Partnership

Widowed

Separated

Divorced

Never Married

Choose not to disclose

1. Do you have children under 18 living at home?  
   Yes No Choose not to disclose
2. Do you have significant caregiver responsibilities for relatives or dependents who have disabilities or who are elderly?

Yes No Choose not to disclose

1. Are you working at this Health Center because of a scholarship or loan repayment agreement or as part of a visa requirement?

Yes No Choose not to disclose

# G. Survey Feedback

1. How did you feel about the length of the survey?

            Very long

            A little long

            Just about right

            A little short

            Very short

1. Do you feel this information gathered from all employees at Health Centers across the country would provide useful data to help to improve working conditions for staff?

            Absolutely yes

            Probably yes

            Not sure

            Probably not

            Absolutely not

1. If the survey were rolled out at Health Centers with solid protections of confidentiality, do you think most employees would fill out the survey?

            Yes, most would fill it out  
            Yes, many would fill it out  
            Not sure

            No, many would not fill it out

            No, most would not fill it out

1. How worried are you that someone at your Health Center would find out how you answered these questions?

Very worried

Worried

Somewhat worried

A little worried

Not at all worried

1. Were there any questions that were confusing or that made you feel uncomfortable? If so, which questions?

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1. Is there anything else you would like to share that was not included in this survey?

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