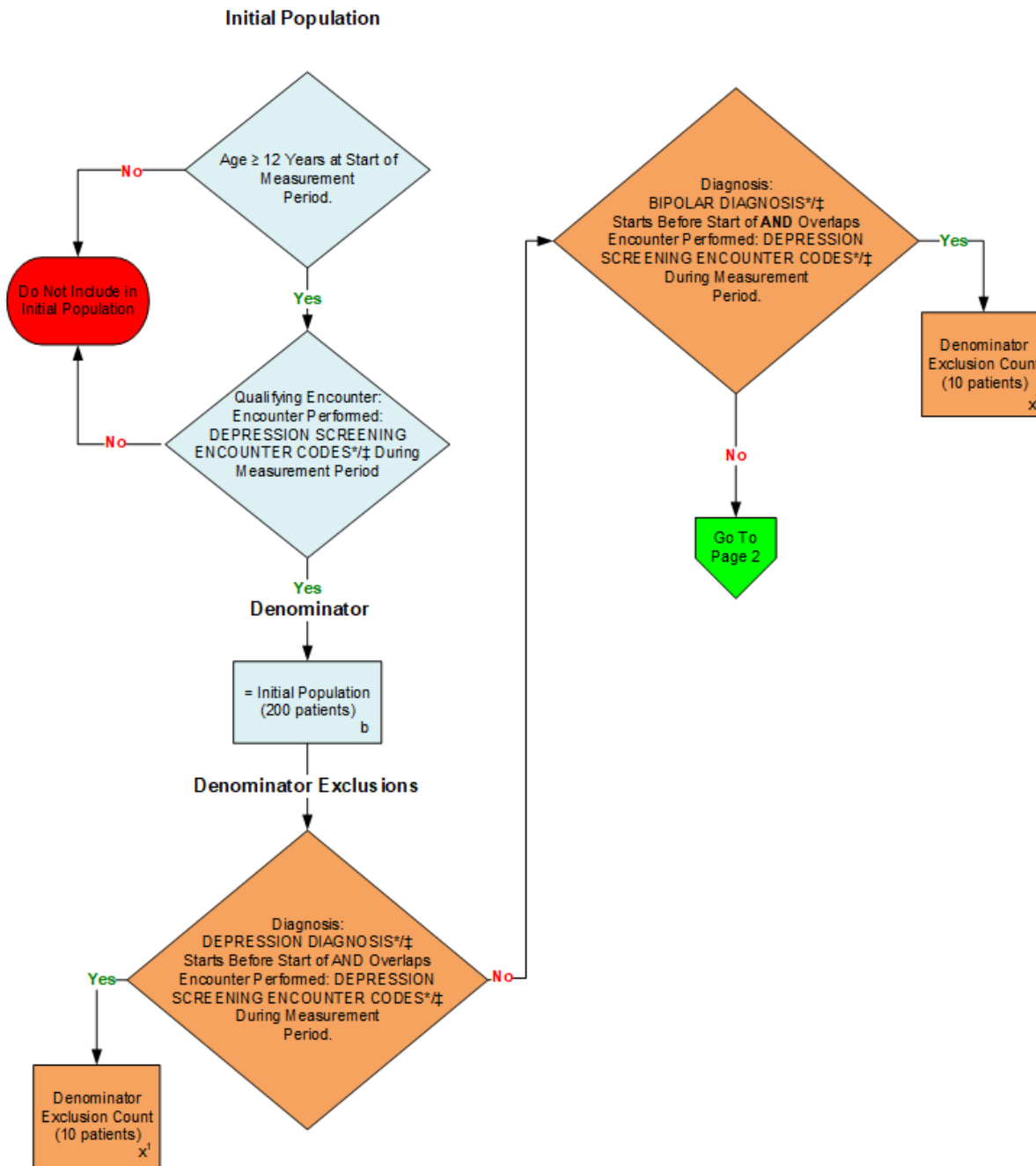


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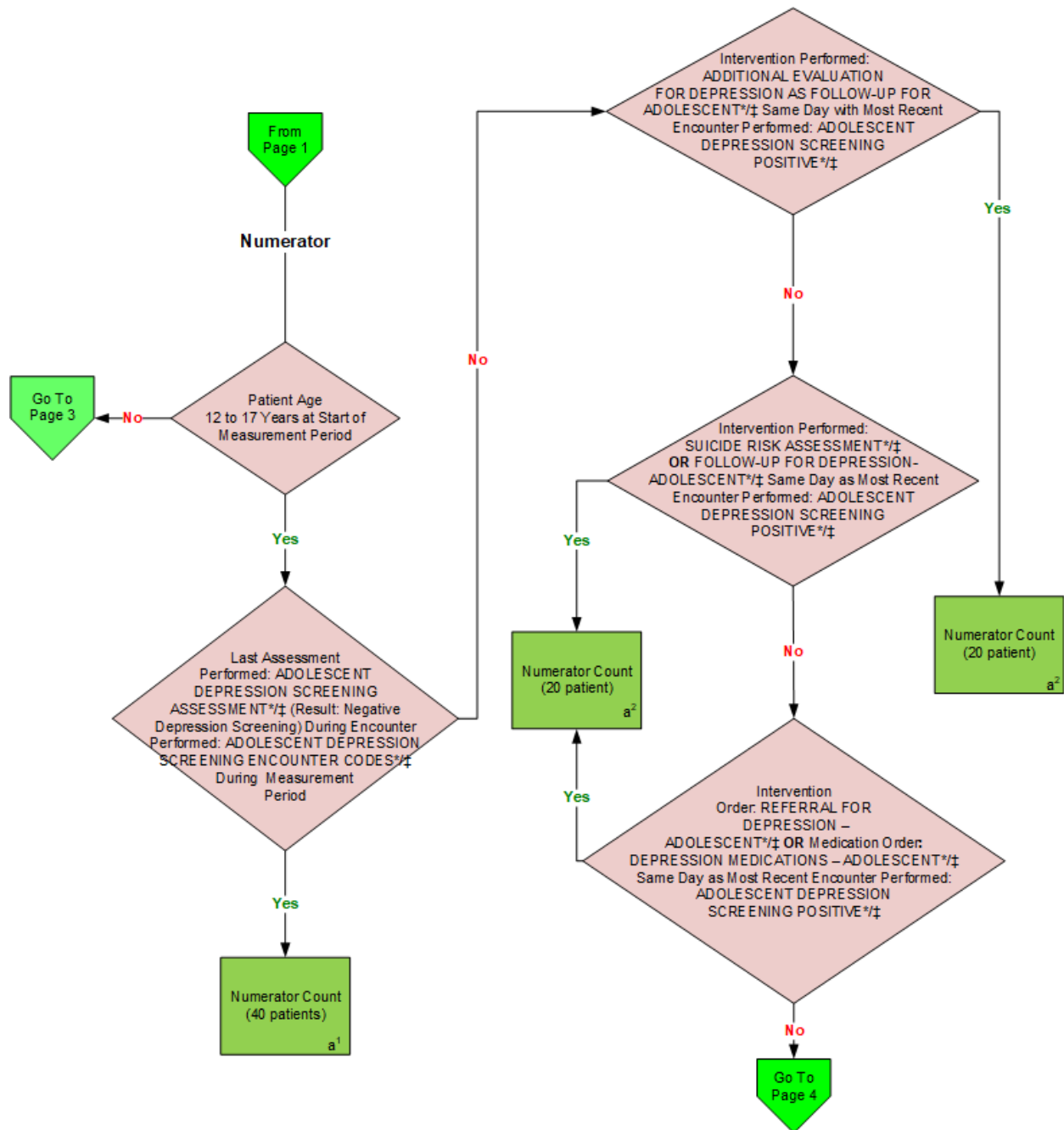
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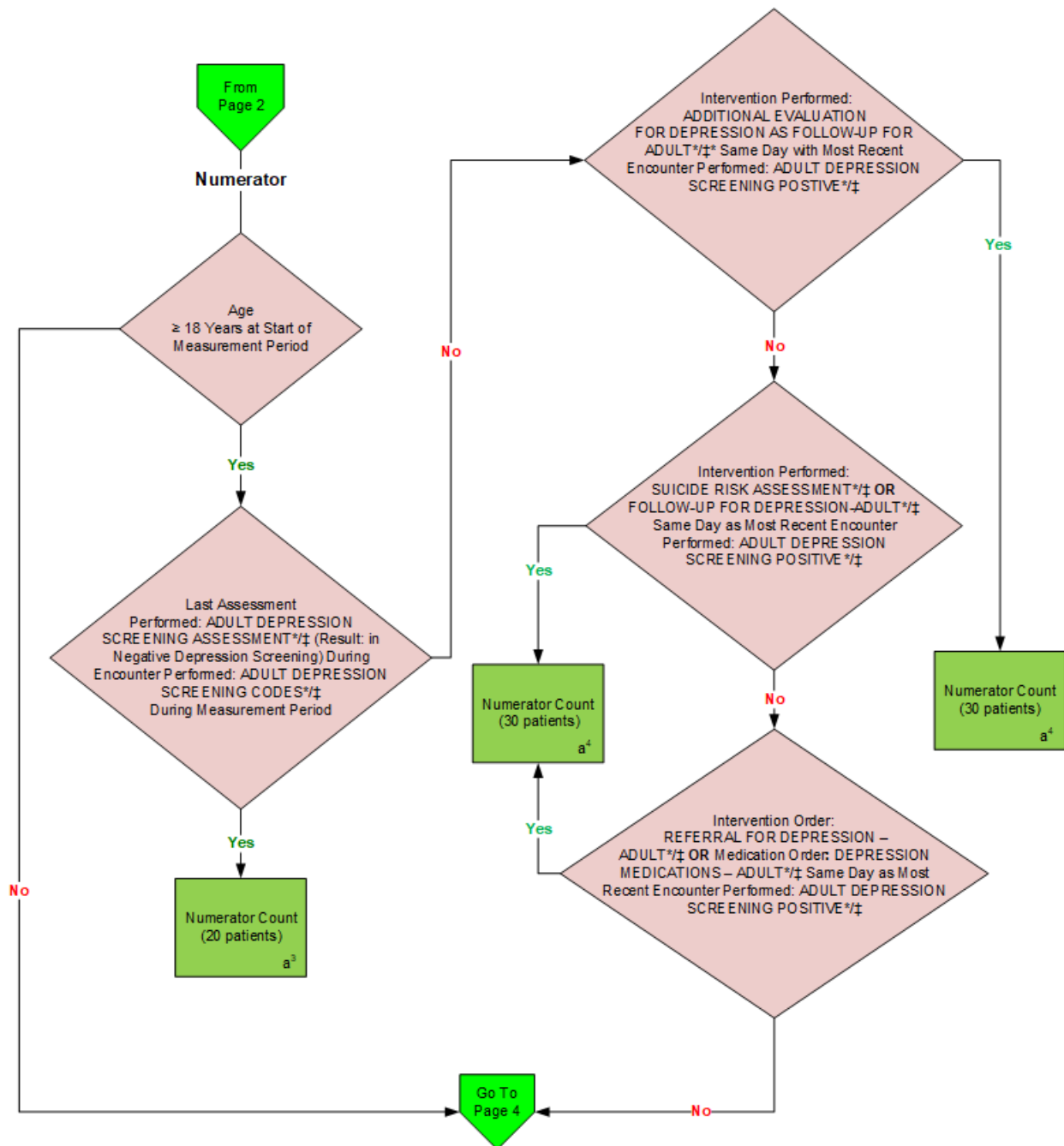
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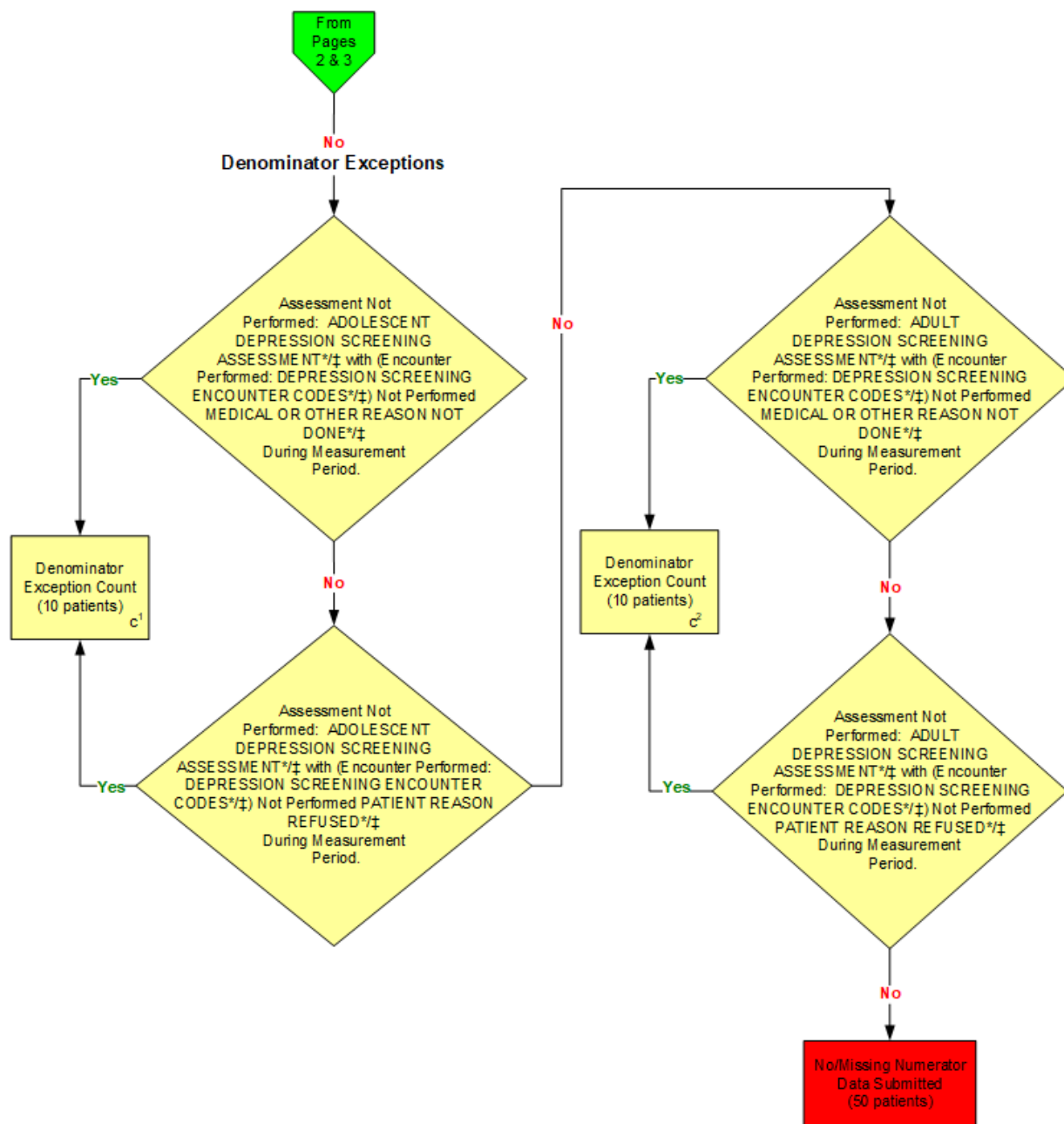
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### SAMPLE CALCULATION:

**Performance Rate =**  

$$\frac{\text{Numerator (a}^1\text{+a}^2\text{+a}^3\text{+a}^4\text{ = 110 patients)}}{\text{Denominator (b=200 patients) – Denominator Exclusions (x}^1\text{+x}^2\text{ = 20 patients) – Denominator Exceptions (c}^1\text{+c}^2\text{ = 20 patients)}} = 68.75\%$$

**2019 eCQM Flows**  
**Measure Identifier: CMS2v8**  
**NQF 0418: Preventive Care and Screening: Screening for Depression and Follow-Up Plan**

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1. Start Initial Population
2. Check AGE:
  - a. If the AGE is greater than or equal to 12 years at start of measurement period equals No, do not include in Initial Population. Stop Processing.
  - b. If the AGE is greater than or equal to 12 years at start of measurement period equals Yes, proceed to check Qualifying Encounter: Encounter Performed.
3. Check Qualifying Encounter: Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES:
  - a. If Qualifying Encounter: Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals Yes, include in the Initial Population and proceed to Denominator.
  - b. If Qualifying Encounter: Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals No, do not include in the Initial Population. Stop Processing.
4. Start Denominator
  - a. Denominator equals the Initial Population. Denominator is represented by Letter b in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter b equals 200 patients in the Sample Calculation.
5. Start Denominator Exclusions
6. Check Diagnosis: DEPRESSION DIAGNOSIS:
  - a. If the Diagnosis: DEPRESSION DIAGNOSIS starts before start of AND overlaps Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals Yes, include in Denominator Exclusion Count. Denominator Exclusion Count is represented by Letter x<sup>1</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter x<sup>1</sup> equals 10 patients in the Sample Calculation.
  - b. If the Diagnosis: DEPRESSION DIAGNOSIS starts before start of AND overlaps Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals No, continue on to Diagnosis: BIPOLAR DIAGNOSIS.
7. Check Diagnosis: BIPOLAR DIAGNOSIS:
  - a. If the Diagnosis: BIPOLAR DIAGNOSIS starts before start of **AND** overlaps Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals Yes, include in Denominator Exclusion Count. Denominator Exclusion Count is represented by Letter x<sup>2</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter x<sup>2</sup> equals 10 patients in the Sample Calculation.
  - b. If the Diagnosis: BIPOLAR DIAGNOSIS starts before start of **AND** overlaps Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals No, continue on to Numerator.
8. Start Numerator
9. Check AGE:

- a. If the AGE is 12 to 17 years at start of measurement period equals No, proceed to check AGE is greater than or equal to 18 years.
  - b. If the AGE is 12 to 17 years at measurement period equals Yes, proceed to check Last Assessment Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT.
10. Check Last Assessment Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT:
  - a. If Last Assessment Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT (Result: Negative Depression Screening) during Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>1</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>1</sup> equals 40 patients in the Sample Calculation.
  - b. If Last Assessment Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT (Result: Negative Depression Screening) during Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES during measurement period equals No, proceed to check Intervention Performed.
11. Check Intervention Performed:
  - a. If the Intervention Performed: ADDITIONAL EVALUATION FOR DEPRESSION AS FOLLOW-UP FOR ADOLESCENT same day with Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>2</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>2</sup> equals 20 patients in the Sample Calculation.
  - b. If the Intervention Performed, ADDITIONAL EVALUATION FOR DEPRESSION AS FOLLOW-UP FOR ADOLESCENT, same day with Most Recent Encounter Performed, ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals No, proceed to check Intervention Performed.
12. Check Intervention Performed:
  - a. If the Intervention Performed: SUICIDE RISK ASSESSMENT **OR** FOLLOW-UP FOR DEPRESSION- ADOLESCENT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator is represented by Letter a<sup>2</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>2</sup> equals 20 patients in the Sample Calculation.
  - b. If the Intervention Performed: SUICIDE RISK ASSESSMENT **OR** FOLLOW-UP FOR DEPRESSION- ADOLESCENT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals No, proceed to check Intervention Order.
13. Check Intervention Order:
  - a. If the Intervention Order: REFERRAL FOR DEPRESSION-ADOLESCENT **OR** Medication Order: DEPRESSION MEDICATIONS – ADOLESCENT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>2</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>2</sup> equals 20 patients in the Sample Calculation.
  - b. If the Intervention Order: REFERRAL FOR DEPRESSION-ADOLESCENT **OR** Medication Order: DEPRESSION MEDICATIONS – ADOLESCENT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals No, proceed to check Denominator Exceptions.

14. Check AGE:

- a. If the AGE is greater than or equal to 18 years at start of measurement period equals No, proceed to check Denominator Exceptions.
- b. If the AGE is greater than or equal to 18 years at start of measurement period equals Yes, proceed to check Last Assessment Performed.

15. Check Last Assessment Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT:

- a. If the Last Assessment Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT (Result: in Negative Depression Screening) during Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING CODES during measurement period equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>3</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>3</sup> equals 20 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Last Assessment Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT (Result: in Negative Depression Screening) during Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING CODES during measurement period equals No, proceed to check Intervention Performed.

16. Check Intervention Performed:

- a. If the Intervention Performed: ADDITIONAL EVALUATION FOR DEPRESSION AS FOLLOW-UP FOR ADULT same day with Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>4</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>4</sup> equals 30 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Intervention Performed: ADDITIONAL EVALUATION FOR DEPRESSION AS FOLLOW-UP FOR ADULT same day with Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals No, proceed to check Intervention Performed.

17. Check Intervention Performed:

- a. If the Intervention Performed: SUICIDE RISK ASSESSMENT **OR** FOLLOW-UP FOR DEPRESSION-ADULT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>4</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>4</sup> equals 30 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Intervention Performed: SUICIDE RISK ASSESSMENT **OR** FOLLOW-UP FOR DEPRESSION-ADULT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals No, proceed to check Intervention Order.

18. Check Intervention Order:

- a. If the Intervention Order: REFERRAL FOR DEPRESSION – ADULT **OR** Medication Order: DEPRESSION MEDICATIONS – ADULT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals Yes, include in Numerator Count. Numerator Count is represented by Letter a<sup>4</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter a<sup>4</sup> equals 30 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Intervention Order: REFERRAL FOR DEPRESSION – ADULT **OR** Medication Order: DEPRESSION MEDICATIONS – ADULT same day as Most Recent Encounter Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING POSITIVE equals No, proceed to check Denominator Exceptions.

19. Start Denominator Exceptions

20. Check Assessment Not Performed:

- a. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed MEDICAL OR OTHER REASON NOT DONE during measurement period equals Yes, include in Denominator Exception Count. Denominator Exception Count is represented by Letter c<sup>1</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter c<sup>1</sup> equals 10 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed MEDICAL OR OTHER REASON NOT DONE during measurement period equals No, proceed to Assessment Not Performed.

21. Check Assessment Not Performed:

- a. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed PATIENT REASON REFUSED during measurement period equals Yes, include in Denominator Exception Count. Denominator Exception Count is represented by Letter c<sup>1</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter c<sup>1</sup> equals 10 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed PATIENT REASON REFUSED during measurement period equals No, proceed to check Assessment Not Performed.

22. Check Assessment Not:

- a. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed MEDICAL OR OTHER REASON NOT DONE during measurement period equals Yes, include in Denominator Exception Count. Denominator Exception Count is represented by Letter c<sup>2</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter c<sup>2</sup> equals 10 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed MEDICAL OR OTHER REASON NOT DONE during measurement period equals No, proceed to check Assessment Not Performed.

23. Check Assessment Not Performed:

- a. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed PATIENT REASON REFUSED during measurement period equals Yes, include in Denominator Exception Count. Denominator Exception Count is represented by Letter c<sup>2</sup> in the Sample Calculation listed at the end of this document. Letter c<sup>2</sup> equals 10 patients in the Sample Calculation.
- b. If the Assessment Not Performed: ADULT DEPRESSION SCREENING ASSESSMENT with (Encounter Performed: DEPRESSION SCREENING ENCOUNTER CODES) Not Performed PATIENT REASON REFUSED during measurement period equals No, include in the No/Missing Data Submitted Count. Stop Processing.



**SAMPLE CALCULATION:**

**Performance Rate =**

$$\frac{\text{Numerator } (a^1+a^2+a^3+a^4 = 110 \text{ patients})}{\text{Denominator } (b=200 \text{ patients}) - \text{Denominator Exclusions } (x^1+x^2= 20 \text{ patients}) - \text{Denominator Exceptions } (c^1+c^2= 20 \text{ patients})} = 68.75\%$$