**Improvement in Depression Performance Measure Algorithm**

Did the patient complete Cardiac Rehabilitation (CR)?
*A patient is defined as having completed CR when he/she has undergone a final, formal discharge assessment session and updated treatment plan*

- **NO**
  - Does not qualify for measure

  *Was the patient able to complete a PHQ-9, BDI-II, PRFS or HADS at CR program entry and completion?*

  - **NO**
    - Does not qualify for measure
  - **YES**

  Did the patient have a positive depressive screen at program entry? (Mild range or higher)

  - **NO**
    - Does not qualify for measure
  - **YES**
    - Include in the denominator (D)

  Did the patient experience a decrease in depressive symptoms by one or more level of severity at program completion using the same method of measurement as program entry?

  - **NO**
    - Do not include in numerator
  - **YES**
    - Include in the numerator (N)

**Calculation Instructions**

The % of patients with a positive depressive screen who experience a decrease in depressive symptoms after completion of CR.

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\text{Calculation} = \frac{N}{D} \times 100
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