SNAC Submission Form Section 2: Detailed Measure Specifications Attachment 2: Chart Abstraction Algorithm

This algorithm demonstrates how this measure would be calculated from manual chart review.

II.A Data Source: Electronic Health Record	Process: Manual Chart Abstraction	
Create Denominator: All patients aged 4 and 5 years with a diagnosis of ADHD.	Step 1	Run a query to create a list of all records of pediatric patients diagnosed with ADHD
	Step 2	Keep records of patients aged 4 through 5 years at time of diagnosis; exclude all others who were diagnosed outside of these ages
	Step 3	Exclude any records that indicate a medical reason(s) for not prescribing behavior therapy as first-line treatment
	Step 4	Exclude any records that indicate a system reason(s) for not prescribing behavior therapy as first-line treatment
	Step 5	Count the number of unique records to get the denominator
Create Numerator: Patients for whom ADHD-focused evidence-based behavior therapy was prescribed as first-line treatment.	Step 1	Using the records in the denominator, exclude any records that indicate behavior therapy was not prescribed
	Step 2	For each remaining record, exclude records that do not indicate that behavior therapy is directed to the parent or caregiver
	Step 3	For each remaining record, exclude records that do not indicate that behavior therapy is parent or caregiver behavior modification training
	Step 4	For each remaining record, exclude records that do not indicate that behavior therapy does not involve child-directed play therapy
	Step 5	Exclude any records that indicate that medication was prescribed prior behavior therapy
	Step 6	Count the number of unique records to get the numerator