eAppendix A. Shifting Links Between Reimbursement and Physician Compliance

Sources: Online survey with stakeholders (providers and payers who rated their level of experience/knowledge related to implementation and/or use of care pathways as 3, 4, or 5 [N = 31]) who influence or are affected by care pathways (see Methods section). Provider survey Q33, payer survey Q28, question: “[To encourage physician use of care pathways when making treatment decisions,] are compliance or adherence requirements typically tied to reimbursement?” In the 2016 study, stakeholders (payers, providers, and vendors who rated their level of experience/knowledge related to implementation and/or use of care pathways as 3, 4, or 5 [N = 19]) had been asked the same question.
eAppendix B. Disclosure of Care Pathway Details to Patients (Providers Only)

Sources: Online survey with stakeholders (providers who rated their level of experience/knowledge related to implementation and/or use of care pathways as 3, 4, or 5 \([N = 24]\)) who influence or are affected by care pathways (see Methods section). Provider survey Q43, question: “Are patients who are treated on a care pathway provided disclosure or education about the care pathway?” In the 2016 study, providers who rated their level of experience/knowledge related to implementation and/or use of care pathways as 3, 4, or 5 \((N = 5)\) had been asked the same question.