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STATEMENT OF BEST PRACTICE:
1) We plan to use the following best practice for our submission:



2) The goals of adopting this best practice will enhance our program/practice in the following ways:

a	
b	
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3) The target population/patients for ou	ir best practice will be:
Nursing Home/SNF/Sub-acute	☐ Home Bound Elders
☐ Community Disabled Persons	☐ Hospital Inpatient
☐ Assisted living/RCFE	
Other - Describe:	

4) STATEMENT OF GOALS:

Please describe the best practice you plan to complete. Use S.M.A.R.T. goals (**S**pecific, **M**easurable, **A**chievable, **R**ealistic/**R**esults Oriented and **T**ime Dated) to guide your plans.

S.M.A.R.T. Goal Example:

"By February 2015, all planning meetings will be paperless by using tablets so notes can be shared electronically to facilitate communication."

Specific: What, Why, How

What: all planning meetings will be paperless

Why: to facilitate communication

How: by using tablets

Measurable: whether or not all meetings are paperless by 2/2015 **Achievable:** participants have tablets and know how to use them

Results Oriented: notes are shared electronically

Time Dated: by 2/2015



5.M.A.R. I . Goal #1
Specific: What will the goal accomplish? Why and How will it be accomplished?
What:
Why:
How:
Measurable: How will you measure whether or not the goal has been reached?
Achievable: Do you have the necessary knowledge, skills, and resources to accomplish this goal?
Results Oriented: What is the reason, purpose or benefit of accomplishing this goal?
Time Dated: What is the completion date?



D.WI.A.R. I . Godi #2
Specific: What will the goal accomplish? Why and How will it be accomplished? What:
Why:
How:
Measurable: How will you measure whether or not the goal has been reached?
Achievable: Do you have the necessary knowledge, skills, and resources to accomplish this goal?
Results Oriented: What is the reason, purpose or benefit of accomplishing this goal?
Time Dated: What is the completion date?



S.M.A.R.T. Goal #3			
Specific: What will the goal accomplish? Why and How will it be accomplished?			
What:			
Why:			
How:			
Measurable: How will you measure whether or not the goal has been reached?			
Achievable: Do you have the necessary knowledge, skills, and resources to accomplish this goal?			
Results Oriented: What is the reason, purpose or benefit of accomplishing this goal?			
Time Dated: What is the completion date?			



ASSESSMENT:

Which QAPI <u>methods</u> do you plan to use to study your project? a. Flow Chart, PDSA, etc.	
MEASUREMENT:	
 Which sources of data do you plan to use to measure your project process and outcomes? a. Administrative data, chart audits, surveys, etc. 	
Goal 1:	
Goal 2:	
Goal 3:	
THINKING THROUGH ACTIVITIES TO IMPLEMENT YOUR PLAN:	
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A. Commitment from Organizational Leadership: Identify who needs to be aware of your action plan and goals for this QAPI project. Are they at the table already? If not, how will you get buy-in from necessary stakeholders?

We will need to communicate with the following people:

Person's name and title	Who will communicate with them?
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	



B. Resources: Identify what other resources you will need to accomplish your plan. Resources may include: personnel, time, financial requirements, leadership, and support from a committee or administrator.

We will nee	ed the following resources:
1.	
2.	
3.	
C. Barriers	s: Please identify potential obstacles or barriers to implementing your plan.
We anticip	pate the following obstacles/barriers:
1	
4.	
We will use	e these strategies to overcome the obstacles outlined above:
1.	
2.	
3	
E. How wil	Il you sustain your improvements over time?