**Public Health Registry Reporting for Eligible Professionals**

**Vermont Providers**

**Public Health Objective Documentation Aid**

**Program Year 2019, MU Stage 3: Objective 8 Option 4A and Option 4B**

**Option 4A**

* The Vermont Department of Health has not declared readiness to accept Public Health Registry Reporting data from Eligible Professionals (EPs).
* Vermont EPs should **not** select *Yes* to Option 4A, Public Health Registry Reporting.
* All Vermont EPs must select *No* to Option 4A.
* All Vermont EPs may select *Yes* to this exclusion: *“Operates in a jurisdiction where no public health registry for which the EP is eligible has declared readiness to receive electronic registry transactions*

*as of 6 months prior to the start of the EHR reporting period.*

* No documentation is required to be submitted for the exclusion to Public Health Registry Reporting.

**Please Note**: The terms “*EHR Reporting Period*,” “*MU Reporting Period*”, and “*Promoting Interoperability (PI) Reporting Period*” all refer to the continuous 90-day period within the Program Year in which an Eligible Professional demonstrates meaningful use of certified EHR technology.

**Screenshot from MAPIR: MU Stage 3 Objective 8 Option 4A – Public Health Registry Reporting**



**Option 4B**

* MAPIR is configured to allow attestation for **two** Public Health Registries. Therefore, EPs have the ability to select Option 4A and Option 4B for this measure.
* Vermont EPs must **exclude** to Option 4A, and therefore are **not** required to select the checkbox or answer Option 4B.
* Per the screenshot below, Vermont EPs should leave the checkbox blank for Objective 8 Option 4B on the *Required Public Health Objective List Table*.

**Screenshot from MAPIR: MU Stage 3 Required Public Health Objective List Table**



**Leave
Option 4B
Check Box
Blank**