Screening for Social Drivers of Health in iKnowMed

In this lesson, you will learn the steps required for **MIPS # 487 Screening for Social Drivers of Health** quality measure.

The measure requires that patients 18 years and older be screened for **food insecurity, housing instability, transportation needs, utility difficulties, and interpersonal safety.**

Note: The NCCN Distress Thermometer in iKnowMed has been modified to include utility screening. If you are using a paper screening tool, you must ensure that it includes utility screening.
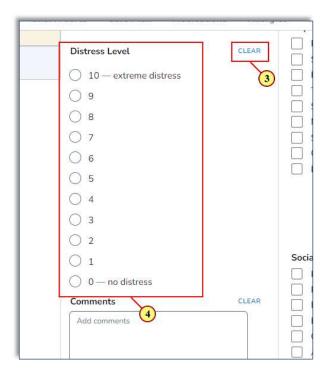
You may send the Distress Screening to the patient via Ontada Health. Please see the Ontada Health help menu for more information. This job aid will walk through adding the documentation to iKnowMed.

1. To reach the NCCN Distress Thermometer, go to the **Clinical Profile** tab, then click Patient Hx.
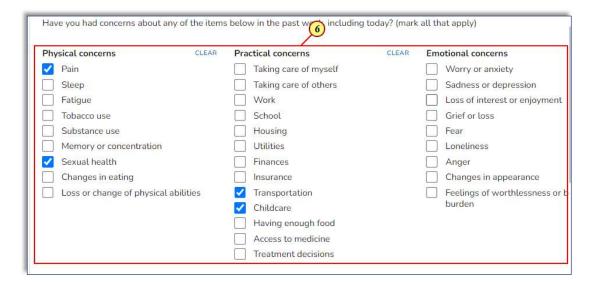2. Then click on **Distress Thermometer** in the left-hand menu.

3. Click **CLEAR** to reset selections, if needed.
4. Enter the patient's **Distress Level** by clicking the radio button next to the reported level.

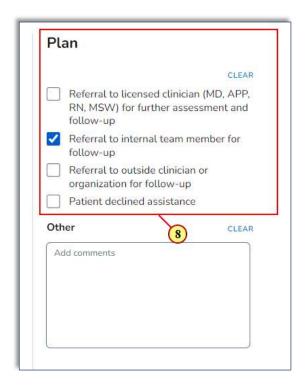5. Comments may be added in the free text **Comments** box.

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Have you had concerns about any of the items below in the past week, including today? (mark all that apply) **6**

Physical concerns	CLEAR	Practical concerns	CLEAR	Emotional concerns
☑ Pain		☐ Taking care of myself		☐ Worry or anxiety
☐ Sleep		☐ Taking care of others		☐ Sadness or depression
☐ Fatigue		☐ Work		☐ Loss of interest or enjoyment
☐ Tobacco use		☐ School		☐ Grief or loss
☐ Substance use		☐ Housing		☐ Fear
☐ Memory or concentration		☐ Utilities		☐ Loneliness
☑ Sexual health		☐ Finances		☐ Anger
☐ Changes in eating		☐ Insurance		☐ Changes in appearance
☐ Loss or change of physical abilities		☑ Transportation		☐ Feelings of worthlessness or burden
		☑ Childcare		
		☐ Having enough food		
		☐ Access to medicine		
		☐ Treatment decisions		

6. Complete any **areas of concern** based on the patient's responses.
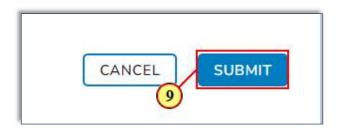
Other concerns **7**

Add other concerns

7. A free text box is available to document any **Other concerns**.

8. Based on the assessment results, document the **plan of care** to address areas of concern. A free text box is available for additional comments.

> Note: Depending on your monitor size, you may need to scroll to the right using the bottom scroll bar to see the Plan area.

9. Click **SUBMIT** to save.

10. Previously completed assessments can be viewed here.

11. Check this box to document if a **Patient declined to complete the assessment**.

This concludes the lesson for the **MIPS # 487 Screening for Social Drivers of Health** quality measure.