The Struggle with PHP/IOP **Outcomes Compliance**

of patients without a change score are missing BOTH admission and discharge assessments discharge assessments

But when patients stop showing up, can the last during treatment assessment be used as a discharge assessment?



Admission Assessment



During Treatment Assessments



Discharge Assessment

-- 16% -

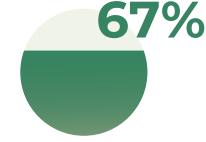
lower severity at discharge vs. last during treatment

Percent of Patients Improving

54%

when using the last during treatment assessment

VS.



when using a discharge assessment

Best Practices for Patient Improvement Metrics



Compliance may increase by using the last during treatment assessment as the discharge assessment, but other metrics suffer.



Improvement metrics should reflect patients who fully complete the recommended course of treatment.



Focus on BOTH admission and discharge assessment capture to improve compliance.

