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Indicator Equality Impact Assessment

Topic: IND238 Register

1.1 Have any potential equality issues been identified during the development process?

Yes. Coding of ethnicity may be poor in some practices. Using the lower threshold of 27.5 kg/m² unless ethnicity is specifically recorded as White will help ensure that people are not excluded from the register inappropriately because ethnicity was not recorded.

1.2 Have any population groups, treatments or settings been excluded from coverage by the indicator? Are these exclusions justified – that is, are the reasons legitimate and the exclusion proportionate?

No.

1.3 Does the indicator make it more difficult in practice for a specific group to access services compared with other groups? If so, what are the barriers to, or difficulties with, access for the specific group?

No.

1.4 Is there potential for the indicator to have an adverse impact on people with disabilities because of something that is a consequence of the disability?

No.

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