## **IMPROVING QUALITY OF LIFE IN EPILEPSY**



**Key Drivers Interventions** This example provides you with one possible way to identify interventions that may impact your patients' quality of life scores. • Implement screening in pre-visit Use quality improvement methodology to Resources and questionnaire, patient portals, and electronic determine key drivers and then interventions staffing needed health records to obtain QOLIE-10-P for implementation. for QOLIE-10 information implementation Each provider will need to create an • Train rooming and nursing staff to have individualized intervention plan based on screening completed local key drivers. This serves as an example and not necessarily what will work for every Identification of Partner with social workers and psychology provider or practice. to screen and help implement a quality of life ways to improve improvement plan quality of life For more information on identifying a quality • Take action to screen and help implement a improvement methodology, visit the AAN's quality of life improvement plan QI Toolkit at AAN.com/policy-and-guidelines/ quality/quality-improvement/quality-toolkitand-resources. Patient engagement • Create tools and resources for patients to in improving address and improve their quality of life Aim quality of life Identify free resources and direct patients to appropriate resources such as Managing Epilepsy Well or Epilepsy Foundation Increase % of epilepsy patients >18 years of age whose most recent QOLIE-10-P score is maintained • Refer treatment-resistant patients to or improved from X to Y during Seizure burden a comprehensive epilepsy center for two-year measurement period consultation • Offer neurostimulation or dietary therapy as treatments for appropriate treatmentresistant patients