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Date:

Dear Health Care Provider,

Your patient, _____, was recently screened by a Social Worker with Aging & Independence Services, a division of the County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency.

The patient scored a _____, which is a “positive” result on the AD8 screening tool. We recommend that this patient receive a more comprehensive assessment for memory impairment.

The patient has been advised that the AD8 is only an initial screening tool and that they should seek further assessment from their doctor. The patient was assured that community support and resources are available.

You may wish to visit the local Champions for Health (formerly the San Diego County Medical Society Foundation) website for physicians to find tools and assessments that you can use with your patients: <https://championsforhealth.org/alzheimers-project/>.

Thank you for all of the great work you do to help our clients.

Social Worker Signature