Effectiveness Guidance Documents (EGDs)

developers, researchers/methodologists, public and private payers, clinicians, patients/consumers. Also included are representatives of professional societies and federal (and/or state) government agencies. Representatives should be nominated by their organization

Step 4. Recommendation Development
Product: Recommendations

Draft recommendations are developed by CMTP staff based on the background research,
as well as through discussions with the TWG (interviews, meeting).

Recommendations, typically 10 to 12, are clear and actionable statements providing guidance on
the specific questions (such as type of patient, outcome measures) and specific design issues that

Appendix A: Effectiveness Guidance Document Flowchart

Appendix B: Outline for Effectiveness Guidance Documents

1. Title Page
    - title
    - version number and date

    On back of title page include box listing the writing team
2.

2) Areas or questions where the evidence is of poor quality suggesting the possibility of bias.

Recommendation Template

Statement
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