## **ACCURE-Aligned Equity Self-Audit**

Instructions: For each domain, score your clinic from 1 (not at all) to 5 (fully implemented and measured)

DOMAIN	CRITICAL QUESTIONS	SCORE 1-5
1. Real-Time Visibility	<ul> <li>Do we use EMR queries or registries to flag patients missing key treatment milestones (e.g., no surgery by day 60)?</li> <li>Are treatment completion rates monitored quarterly and stratified by race, insurance, and geography?</li> </ul>	
2. Navigation Infrastructure	<ul> <li>Is every high-risk patient (e.g., uninsured, Medicaid, minority, rural) assigned a trained navigator?</li> <li>Are we billing under CMS PIN codes (G0023/G0024) to support navigation long-term?</li> </ul>	
3. Timely, Guideline-Aligned Care	<ul> <li>Do we track time-to-surgery, time-to-adjuvant therapy, and missed consults across demographics?</li> <li>Can we show that patients of all races receive care aligned with NCCN timelines?</li> </ul>	
4. Trial Inclusion	<ul> <li>Are all eligible patients screened for clinical trials using an opt-out model?</li> <li>Does our trial enrollment reflect the racial/ethnic makeup of our clinic population?</li> </ul>	
5. Structural Barriers	<ul> <li>Do we document barriers like transport, financial strain, or childcare—and close them?</li> <li>Are CHWs or financial advocates integrated into care and visible in the EMR?</li> </ul>	
6. Accountability & Culture Change	<ul> <li>Do we share equity dashboards (e.g., treatment completion rates) at tumor boards and service line meetings?</li> <li>Have staff received equity training (e.g., TEAM, HEET), and is cultural humility embedded into onboarding?</li> </ul>	

Use this rubric to assess where your clinic stands — and what steps to take next.

Score Meaning		Interpretation / Next Steps	
1	Not in place	No process, tracking, or staff assigned. <b>Start here</b> with pilot workflows, EMR queries, or staff training.	
2	Early awareness	Informal efforts exist, but not standardized. May rely on individual champions. <b>Build systems</b> that make the effort consistent.	
3	Partial implementation	Processes are in place for some patients, but not universal. <b>Expand</b> to high-risk populations and set up tracking mechanisms.	
4	Operationalized	Process is standard across teams. EMR tools or dashboards are in use. <b>Begin monitoring</b> equity metrics quarterly.	
5	Fully embedded + measured	Practice is system-wide, tracked over time, and linked to equity outcomes.  Share your data internally and externally. Sustain with training, billing, and dashboarding.	

## Interpreting Your Total Score

- 25–30: Equity is embedded and measurable. Time to scale what's working and publish your impact.
- **19–24**: You have key building blocks. Focus on expanding reach and integrating real-time alerts and dashboards.
- 13–18: Good intent, limited structure. Prioritize workflows, navigator billing, and EMR tools.
- <13: You're in early stages. Start with one domain (e.g., Navigation or Timely Care) and build from there.