

Appendix Q—DECISION ACCURACY AND CONSISTENCY RESULTS

Table Q-1. 2010 MEPA: Summary of Decision Accuracy (and Consistency) Results by Grade Span—Overall and Conditional on Performance Level

Grade Span	Overall	Kappa	Conditional on Level			
			Level 1/Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5
K-2	0.78 (0.69)	0.58	0.85 (0.78)	0.76 (0.69)	0.70 (0.60)	0.85 (0.73)
3-4	0.81 (0.74)	0.63	0.83 (0.75)	0.76 (0.67)	0.80 (0.73)	0.89 (0.81)
5-6	0.80 (0.72)	0.62	0.84 (0.77)	0.74 (0.66)	0.72 (0.63)	0.90 (0.83)
7-8	0.78 (0.71)	0.6	0.86 (0.81)	0.74 (0.65)	0.61 (0.49)	0.90 (0.82)
9-12	0.78 (0.71)	0.59	0.85 (0.78)	0.80 (0.74)	0.57 (0.45)	0.87 (0.78)

Table Q-2. 2010 MEPA: Summary of Decision Accuracy (and Consistency) Results by Grade Span—Conditional on Cutpoint

Grade Span	Level 1/Level 2 vs. Level 3			Level 3 vs. Level 4			Level 4 vs. Level 5		
	Accuracy (consistency)	False positive	False negative	Accuracy (consistency)	False positive	False negative	Accuracy (consistency)	False positive	False negative
K-2	0.92 (0.89)	0.04	0.04	0.91 (0.87)	0.05	0.04	0.95 (0.93)	0.04	0.02
3-4	0.96 (0.94)	0.02	0.02	0.92 (0.89)	0.04	0.04	0.93 (0.91)	0.04	0.03
5-6	0.95 (0.93)	0.02	0.03	0.92 (0.89)	0.04	0.04	0.93 (0.90)	0.05	0.03
7-8	0.94 (0.91)	0.03	0.03	0.92 (0.88)	0.05	0.04	0.93 (0.90)	0.04	0.03
9-12	0.93 (0.91)	0.03	0.03	0.91 (0.88)	0.05	0.04	0.93 (0.91)	0.04	0.02