## **Instruction for Completing**

# STD Preventive Services Gap Assessment Checklist Adobe Fillable Form

#### Opening and Filling out the Form (Adobe Acrobat is required for this function)

- Open the file. Once it is open, it is ready to be completed.
  - o Most guestions can be completed by clicking within the response field.
- For the fields that accept text, we recommend the respondent be brief.
  - The field size is limited, but the amount of text accepted is not; thus, you may not see all of what was written.
  - This is especially true for the Notes/Additional Information Section. The text will appear as a single line, but all information is being captured.

## Saving the Form (Adobe Acrobat is required for this function)

Once the form has been filled out, click the Save As button and save the form as a PDF form. We suggest a naming protocol with the: 1) name of the facility or organization, 2) first initial and last name of the person completing the form and 3) date.

Example: sheltering arms\_JDoe\_051616.pdf.

### Exporting and Aggregating Forms into an Excel File (Adobe Pro is required for this function)

- Once PDFs are received from the responding facilities or organizations, please make sure that the PDF filenames are different such that no two files have the same name.
- When you want to export the forms to an Excel file, have one of the forms open and click on **Forms** on the right side.
- Find and click on More Form Options then click on Merge Data Files into Spreadsheet.
- Find and click **Add Files**. A window will open and ask you to add the file(s) that you want to add from the PDF files stored to be exported into the Excel spreadsheet.
- Find and click **Open** and then **Export** the file and name the new file as a .csv file.
- You can click on View File Now and save it as an .xlsx file.
- Once the file is saved as an .xlsx file, analyses can be conducted on the aggregated data.

Note: Column A on the Excel sheet will be the name of the individual PDF files.