**Supporting Information:** **Table 2.** Primary limiting factor to performing additional colonoscopies\*, Survey of Endoscopic Capacity II – 2012.

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| **Primary Limiting Factor** | **Percentage of Facilities† (SE‡)** |
| Insufficient time (few open appointments) | 6.5% (0.6) |
| Insufficient utilization due to cancellations (“no shows”) | 5.7% (0.6) |
| Insufficient number of physicians available to perform procedures | 34.0% (1.2) |
| Insufficient nursing staff to assist with procedures | 8.9% (0.7) |
| Insufficient ancillary staff to help with room turnover | 0.6% (0.2) |
| Insufficient staff or physicians to monitor sedation or anesthesia | 2.1% (0.4) |
| Insufficient procedure rooms | 6.9% (0.7) |
| Insufficient preparatory and/or recovery areas | 8.2% (0.7) |
| Insufficient endoscopes or monitors | 3.6% (0.5) |
| Insufficient reimbursement | 4.0% (0.5) |
| Other§ | 19.5% (1.0) |

\*Respondents were asked “What are the limiting factors to performing more colonoscopies at this practice site?”, then were asked “What is the primary limiting factor?” Percentages reflect the proportion of respondents that chose the option as the primary limiting factor.

†Facilities included hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers, and physician offices where colonoscopies were performed for the purpose of colorectal cancer screening of adults.

‡SE=Standard error.

§Most commons responses to other were competition from other facilities and lack of patient referrals.