



**Figure 6. Use of Risk-Based Thresholds for Initiation of BP Treatment in Adults.**

\*In older adults who may be frail or have a limited life expectancy, a clinician-patient assessment of potential benefits and harms of BP lowering should be pursued to align care with patient goals. †Increased short-term or 10-year risk is defined as a 10-year predicted risk for CVD events of  $\geq 7.5\%$  using PREVENT. BP indicates blood pressure; CHD, coronary heart disease; CKD, chronic kidney disease; CVD, cardiovascular disease; DBP, diastolic blood pressure; HF, heart failure; PREVENT, Predicting Risk of cardiovascular EVENTS; and SBP, systolic blood pressure.

