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Center manifolds of approximately invariant manifolds for maps with applications.

We extend the results in [Bates, Lu and Zeng, *Approximately Invariant Manifolds and Global Dynamics of Spike States*, *Inventiones Mathematicae*, 174 (2008), 355-433] to case without normal hyperbolicity. We then show several applications of our abstract results to dispersive Hamiltonian PDEs. (Received January 17, 2019)