

APIC Great Lakes: 2024 Educational Webinar Series

Long-Term Care Facility Reporting Required, Optional, and the Future

July 16, 2024



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- Please mute your line
- Have questions for our speaker? Drop it in the chat to be asked!



Continuing Education (CE)

- There are no CEUs for today's presentation

Announcements

MDHHS & MHA Project Firstline: [IP Training](#)

- Acute & Long-Term Care IP
 - Modules 1, 2, and 6
- Staff (Direct care, housekeeping & food service)
 - Modules 3, 4, and 5

New [Microlesson](#) posted
on the APIC-GL
YouTube Channel

**APIC Great Lakes Microlearn:
Updating APIC Setting to Engage
in our Chapter Online
Community**

NEW! APIC-GL Peer-to-Peer Mentorship Roundtable

- WHAT:

- A facilitated time following APIC-GL monthly education webinars where members will have the opportunity to share challenges, ask questions, and seek advice from fellow member IPs.

- WHO:

- All APIC-GL members can participate and benefit.

- HOW:

- Submit questions anonymously through [Google Forms](#). Questions/situations will be presented to the group for discussion.

Long Term Care Facility Reporting-Required, Optional, and the Future

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Who We Are-Background

The Surveillance for Healthcare-Associated and Resistant Pathogens Unit (SHARP) was created in 2009 to:

- Coordinate activities related to Healthcare Associated Infection (HAI) surveillance, response, and prevention in Michigan
- Improve surveillance and detection of antimicrobial-resistant pathogens and HAIs
- Identify and respond to disease outbreaks
- Use collected data to monitor trends
- Educate healthcare providers, state and local public health partners, and the public on HAIs
- My role is the Long-Term Care Epidemiologist in the SHARP unit
 - Collaborate with facilities, Local Health Departments, other units, and sections at MDHHS regarding Long-Term Care Facilities (LTCFs)
 - Coordinate surveillance projects on HAIs in Long-Term Care Facilities (LTCFs)

Some of the slides in today's presentation were presented by the National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Disease, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Links to archived trainings can be found here:

- <https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/ltc/covid19/index.html>
- <https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/ltc/weekly-covid-vac/index.html>

LTCF COVID-19 Module: Surveillance Pathway Updates – June 2023

- [YouTube Webinar Recording \(Video-46 minutes\)](#)

Updates to Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Data Reporting: Long-term Care Facilities – March 2024

Current Reporting Requirements

SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES: COVID-19 REPORTING

CMS Reporting Requirements for Long-term Care Facilities

- **Reminder: Facilities can contact CMS with questions about reporting requirements and quality reporting**
 - Long-term care facilities weekly reporting requirement questions:
DNH_TriageTeam@cms.hhs.gov
 - Skilled nursing facilities quality reporting program questions:
SNFQualityQuestions@cms.hhs.gov

COVID-19 Surveillance Pathways	COVID-19 Vaccination Module
Reporting requirements	Reporting requirements
CMS certified facilities are required to report at least once every reporting week	Weekly reporting requirement for LTC residents and staff • Report at least once every reporting week • Requirement to go through December 2024
Requirement to go through December 2024	Quarterly Reporting Requirement for Staff • Report vaccination data 1 week/month for staff • After the weekly requirement expires in Dec. 2024, continue to report 1 week/month for staff • Use the “COVID-19 Vaccination HCP” tab in order to report these data



Additional COVID-19 Vaccination Reporting Resources:

- [Operational Guidance for Reporting COVID-19 Vaccination Data](#)
- [FAQs on Reporting COVID-19 Vaccination Data](#)

Current Reporting Requirements in NHSN-Weekly

Surveillance Reporting Pathways

- ❖ Due every 7 days
- ❖ No set reporting week, at least 1 report is required every 7 days
- ❖ 2 Pathways-Resident Impact and Facility Capacity & Staff and Personnel Impact
 - ❖ Newly positive tests in residents and staff
 - ❖ Vaccination status of resident COVID-19 cases

Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Data Reporting Module

- ❖ Due every 7 days
- ❖ Structured Reporting week every Monday-Sunday and must be completed before the next Sunday
 - ❖ Example: Data covering The week of 7/8/24- 7/14/24 is due by 7/21/2024

COVID-19 Surveillance pathways versus COVID-19 Vaccination Modules

COVID19 Surveillance Pathways

[LTCF COVID-19 Module webpage](#)

NHSN Home	
Alerts	
Dashboard	▶
Reporting Plan	▶
Resident	▶
Event	▶
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COVID-19	▶
Vaccination Summary	
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Dashboard

Pathway Data Reporting

POC Test Result Reporting

COVID-19 Event

COVID-19 Vaccination - HCP

COVID-19 Vaccination - Residents

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - HCP

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - Residents

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COVID-19 Vaccination Module

[Weekly HCP & Resident COVID-19 Vaccination webpage](#)

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COVID-19 Vaccination - HCP

COVID-19 Vaccination - Residents

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - HCP

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - Residents

Examples of Data Reporting Forms

RIFC Pathway: Data Reporting Example

Resident Impact for COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2)

★ **POSITIVE TESTS:** Enter the Number of residents with a **newly** positive SARS-CoV-2 viral test result (for example, a positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test and/or SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR)).

Note: Do not include residents who have a positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test, but a negative SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR).

Only include residents newly positive since the most recent date data were collected for NHSN reporting.

Vaccination Status of Residents with a Newly Confirmed SARS-CoV-2 Viral Test Result

Up to Date Vaccination Status

Up to Date: Include residents with a newly positive SARS-CoV-2 viral test result who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccines 14 days or more before the specimen collection date.

Note: Please review the current NHSN surveillance definition of [up to date](#).

Not Up to Date: Based on the counts entered for POSITIVE TESTS and UP TO DATE, the count for residents who are NOT considered up to date based on the NHSN Surveillance definition has been calculated above.

This count is not editable, to edit please update the count entered for UP TO DATE.

Hospitalizations

This is not a subset of the "Positive Tests" count reported above. Include only the number of new hospitalizations with a positive COVID-19 test since the most recent date data were reported to NHSN.

★ **Hospitalizations with a positive COVID-19 Test:** Number of residents who have been hospitalized **with** a positive COVID-19 test.

Note: Only include residents who have been hospitalized during this reporting period and had a positive COVID-19 test in the **10 days prior to the hospitalization**, date of specimen collection is calendar day 1.

★★ **Hospitalizations with a positive COVID-19 Test and Up to Date:** Based on the number reported for "Hospitalizations with a positive COVID-19 Test" indicate the number of residents who were hospitalized **with positive COVID-19 test and also up to date with COVID-19 vaccinations at the time of the positive COVID-19 test.**

Resident Deaths

★ **TOTAL DEATHS:** Number of residents who have died for *any* reason in the facility or another location.

Include only the number of new deaths since the most recent date data were collected for NHSN reporting.

COVID-19 DEATHS: Based on the number reported for *Total Deaths*, indicate the number of residents who died from COVID-19 or related complications, either in the facility or another location.



Staff and Personnel Impact Pathway Reporting Example

Staff and Personnel Impact

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*** POSITIVE TESTS:** Enter the number of staff and facility personnel with a **newly** positive SARS-CoV-2 viral test result (for example, a positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test and/or SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR)).

Note: Exclude staff and facility personnel who have a positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test, but a negative SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR).

Include only staff and facility personnel newly positive since the most recent date data were collected for NHSN reporting

Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination: Resident Form

Who is considered up to date has changed, but the form has not.

1. * Number of residents staying in this facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection	
2. * <u>Cumulative</u> number of residents in Question #1 who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccines.	
Please review the current definition of <u>up to date</u> : Key Terms and Up to Date Vaccination.	
3. * <u>Cumulative</u> number of residents in Question #1 with other conditions:	
3.1 * Medical contraindication to COVID-19 vaccine	
3.2 * Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine	
3.3 * Unknown/Other COVID-19 vaccination status	

Note: The sum of the numbers entered for questions 2 and 3 should equal the total number of individuals entered for question 1.

Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination: HCP Form

Who is considered up to date has changed, but the form has not.

	Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Categories					
			Employee HCP	Non-Employee HCP		
	* All Core HCP ^a	* All HCP ^b	* Employees (staff on facility payroll) ^c	* Licensed independent practitioners: Physicians, advanced practice nurses, & physician assistants ^d	* Adult students/trainees & volunteers ^e	* Other Contract Personnel ^f
1. * Number of HCP that were eligible to have worked at this healthcare facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection						
2. * Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 who are <u>up to date</u> with COVID-19 vaccine(s). Please review the current definition of up to date: Key Terms and Up to Date Vaccination .						
3. * <u>Cumulative</u> number of HCP in Question #1 with other conditions:						
3.1 * Medical contraindication to COVID-19 vaccine						
3.2 * Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine						
3.3 * Unknown/Other COVID-19 vaccination status						

Note: The sum of the numbers entered for questions 2 and 3 should equal the total number of individuals entered for question 1.

Other Reporting Requirements

Point of Care Test Reporting

- ❖ Due within 24 hours of performing test
- ❖ All positive individual Point Of Care test results
- ❖ Batch .csv uploading available to streamline process
- ❖ One of 3 available methods:
 - ❖ NHSN Point of Care Test Result Reporting Module
 - ❖ MiBridges-Antigen Reporting Portal (Until Aug 17th)
 - ❖ New Reporting Method to come
 - ❖ Directly to your Local Health Department

Annual Healthcare Personnel Influenza Vaccination Reporting

- ❖ Due May 15th
- ❖ Covers annual influenza season (10/1-3/31)
- ❖ Only 1 report required
- ❖ Must be reported to the Healthcare Personnel Safety (HPS) Component in NHSN
 - ❖ Only the Facility Administrator role in NHSN can request access

Point of Care & Annual Flu Vaccination Location



NHSN - National Healthcare Safety Network

NHSN Home

- Reporting Plan
- Resident
- Staff
- Event
- Summary Data
- COVID-19/Respiratory Pathogens**
- Vaccination Summary
- Surveys
- Analysis
- Users
- Group
- Logout

NHSN Long Term Care Facility Component Home Page

Assurance of Confidentiality: The voluntarily provided information obtained in this surveillance system that would and will not otherwise be disclosed or released without the consent of the individual, or the institution in accordance with the applicable law.

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- POC Test Result Reporting**
- Pathway Data Reporting
- COVID-19 Vaccination
 - Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - HCP
 - Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - Residents



NHSN - National Healthcare Safety Network

NHSN Home

- Reporting Plan
- HCW
- Lab Test
- Exposure
- Prophyl/Treat
- Vaccination Summary**
- Surveys
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- Annual Vaccination Flu Summary**
- Weekly Flu Vaccination Summary
- COVID-19 Weekly Vaccination Summary

One Stop Browsing for NHSN LTCF COVID-19 Module Resources

Visit [NHSN LTCF COVID-19 Module web page](#) for reporting resources

LTCF COVID-19 Module

[Print](#)

Facilities eligible to report data to NHSN's LTCF COVID-19 Module include nursing homes/skilled nursing, Intermediate Care Facilities for individuals with Intellectual disability (ICF/ID), and assisted living facilities.

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Nursing Home COVID-19 Data Dashboard

FAQs about the POC Testing Reporting Tool
[PDF - 4 MB]

CDC COVID-19 Info
Get the latest information from the CDC about COVID-19

Data Collection Forms and Instructions

Resident Impact and Facility Capacity

[COVID-19 Resident Impact and Facility Capacity Pathway Form \(57.144\)](#) [PDF - 251 KB] (print-only) -

◦ [Table of Instructions \(57.144\)](#) [PDF - 476 KB] -

Staff and Personnel Impact

[COVID-19 Staff and Personnel Impact Pathway Form \(57.145\)](#) [PDF - 161 KB] (print-only) -

◦ [Table of Instructions \(57.145\)](#) [PDF - 250 KB] [PDF - 358 KB] -

Point of Care Testing

[Point of Care Test Reporting Tool \(57.155\)](#) [PDF - 80 KB] (print-only) -

◦ [Table of Instructions \(57.155\)](#) [PDF - 200 KB] -



Optional Reporting

PART 1: PERSON LEVEL VACCINATION DATA

Up to Date: Quarter 2 of 2024 (April 1, 2024 – June 30, 2024)

- Individuals are considered up to date with their COVID-19 vaccines for the purpose of NHSN surveillance if they meet the following criteria:
- **65 years and older** and received 2 doses of the updated 2023-2024 COVID-19 vaccine
- or
- **65 years and older** and received 1 dose of the updated 2023-2024 COVID-19 vaccine in the last 4 months
- **Under the age of 65** and received 2 doses of the updated 2023-2024 COVID-19 vaccine

The Person-level forms apply
these definitions for you!

Resource: Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Forms

All resources: [LTCF](#) | [COVID-19/Respiratory Pathogens Vaccination](#) | [NHSN](#) | [CDC](#)

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Forms - Instructions and Guidance Documents

INSTRUCTIONS FOR REPORTING PERSON-LEVEL VACCINATION DATA

[Person-Level Group Upload CSV Instructions - LTC](#) [PDF - 985 KB] - May 2023

[Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Forms: A How-To Guide](#) [PDF - 1 MB] - June 2023

[1-Page: NHSN COVID-19 \(Person-Level\) Forms](#) [PDF - 209 KB] - June 2023

[Person-Level Vaccination Form Table of Instructions: Healthcare Personnel](#) [PDF - 340 KB] - January 2024

[Person-Level Vaccination Form Table of Instructions: Residents](#) [PDF - 330 KB] - October 2023

[Quick Reference Guide: Re-Submitting COVID-19 Vaccination Data using the Person-Level Vaccination Forms](#) [PDF - 384 KB] - February 2023

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Data - CSV Data Import

VARIABLE DESCRIPTION AND FILE LAYOUT FOR RESIDENTS AND HEALTHCARE PERSONNEL OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES (LTCFS)

[Variable description and file layout for residents and healthcare personnel of LTCFs \(1.1.5\)](#) [PDF - 364 KB] - October 2023

[Variable description and file layout for residents and healthcare personnel of LTCFs \(1.1.4.1\)](#) [PDF - 208 KB] - June 2023

[Variable description and file layout for person-level vaccination forms](#) [PDF - 213 KB] - October 2022

CSV TEMPLATES AND EXAMPLES FILES FOR RESIDENTS OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES (LTCFS)

[CSV File Template for LTCF Residents](#) [XLS - 521 B] - June 2023

Optional Reporting

PART 2: INFLUENZA/RSV CASE AND VACCINATION REPORTING

Surveillance Pathways: 2 Pathways and 1 Optional Tab

Optimizing Timely, Standardized Data Collection to Characterize National Impact, Inform Ongoing Activities, and Direct Resources

Resident Impact and Facility Capacity

- Newly Positive Tests
- Up-to-date status
- Hospitalizations
- Hospitalizations and up-to date status
- Deaths

Optional

- Influenza
- RSV

Staff and Personnel Impact

- Newly Positive Tests

NHSN Application Updates: Influenza and RSV Case Reporting

Add COVID-19/Respiratory Pathogens Data

Date for which counts are reported: Facility CCN: Facility Type:

Resident Impact and Facility Capacity

Staff and Personnel Impact

Influenza/RSV (Optional)

INFLUENZA

If the count is zero, a "0" must be entered as the response. A blank response is equivalent to missing data.

Resident Impact for Influenza

*** POSITIVE TESTS:** Enter the Number of residents with a newly positive Influenza test result.

Only include residents new positive since the most recent date data were collected for NHSN reporting.

Vaccination Status of Residents with a Newly Confirmed Influenza Test Result

**** Up to Date Vaccination Status**

Up to Date: Include residents with a newly positive Influenza viral test result who are up to date with Influenza (flu) vaccines for the current flu season (2023-2024) 14 days or more before the specimen collection date.

Not Up to Date: Based on the counts entered for POSITIVE TESTS and UP TO DATE, the count for residents who are NOT considered up to date for the current flu season has been calculated here.

This count is not editable, to edit please update the count(s) entered for UP TO DATE and/or POSITIVE TESTS.

Hospitalizations

This is not a subset of the Influenza "Positive Tests" count reported above. Include only the number of new hospitalizations in residents with a positive Influenza test since the most recent date data were reported to NHSN.

***Hospitalizations with a positive Influenza Test:** Number of residents who have been hospitalized with a positive Influenza test.
Note: Only include residents who have been hospitalized during this reporting period and had a positive Influenza test in the 10 days prior to the hospitalization, date of specimen collection is calendar day 1.

****Hospitalizations with a positive Influenza Test and Up to Date:** Based on the number reported for "Hospitalizations with a positive Influenza Test" indicate the number of residents who were hospitalized with positive Influenza test and also up to date with Influenza vaccine at the time of the positive Influenza test.

Complete COVID-19 Vaccine Residents Form

- Required to report COVID-19 residents' data **before** entering Influenza/RSV vaccination data
- Continue to report COVID-19 per CMS requirements
- Question 1 from COVID-19 residents form will auto populate total residents on Flu/RSV form

Edit Vaccine Data

COVID-19 Vaccine: HCP COVID-19 Vaccine: Residents Influenza/RSV: Residents

Resident COVID-19 Cumulative Vaccination Summary for Long Term

Date Created: 10/03/2023 3:50PM

*Facility ID: *Vaccination type

*Week of Data Collection: 10/02/2023 - 10/08/2023 *Date Last Modified: 10/03/2023 3:50PM

Complete COVID-19 Residents Form

Cumulative Vaccination Coverage

Note: Facilities submit Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary data by completing the questions on this form. As of March 28th, 2022 facilities also have the option to use the Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form and select the "view reporting summary and submit" to submit these data. Using the person-level forms is recommended to ensure that individuals who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccination are categorized appropriately according to their vaccination dates.

1. * Number of residents staying in this facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection 100

2. * Cumulative number of residents in Question #1 who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccines. 80

Please review the current definition of up to date: Key Terms and Up to Date Vaccination.

3. * Cumulative number of residents in Question #1 with other conditions:

3.1 * Medical contraindication to COVID-19 vaccine 10

3.2 * Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine 10

3.3 * Unknown/Other COVID-19 vaccination status 0

Adverse Events following COVID-19 Vaccine(s)

Clinically significant adverse events should be reported to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS) at <https://vaers.hhs.gov/reportevent.html>. To help identify reports from NHSN sites, please enter your NHSN orgID in Box 26 of the VAERS form.

Clinically significant adverse events include vaccine administration errors and serious adverse events (such as death, life-threatening conditions, or inpatient hospitalization) that occur after vaccination, even if it is not certain that vaccination caused the event.

Other clinically significant adverse events may be described in the provider emergency use authorization (EUA) fact sheets or prescribing information for the COVID-19 vaccine(s). Healthcare providers should comply with VAERS reporting requirements described in EUAs or prescribing information.

By saving these data in NHSN, facilities are agreeing to the following:
1) The data reported are consistent with definitions outlined in NHSN surveillance protocols (including tables of instructions and frequently asked questions).
2) The data will be sent to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to fulfill CMS quality reporting requirements (when applicable).

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Influenza and RSV Vaccine Form

- Flu/RSV Total Residents (Question 1) is auto-populated from COVID-19 Residents tab
- 4 data fields for Flu/RSV vaccinations
 - Number of up to date
 - Number of medical contraindications
 - Number offered but declined
 - Number other/unknown
- The 4 data fields need to add up to the number reported in Total Residents (Question 1)

Edit Vaccine Data

COVID-19 Vaccine: HCP COVID-19 Vaccine: Residents **Influenza/RSV: Residents (Optional)**

New Optional Tab

Resident Flu/RSV Cumulative Vaccination Summary for Long-Term Care Facilities

Date Created:

* Facility ID: * Vaccination type: Respiratory Facility CON #:

* Week of Data Collection: 10/09/2023 - 10/15/2023 * Date Last Modified:

Cumulative Vaccination Coverage

Optional Reporting: These data are NOT required.

Total Residents	1. * Number of residents staying in this facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection	100
Influenza Vaccination	2. * Number of residents in question #1 who are up to date with influenza vaccination for current season	90
	Among those not in question #2, reason not up to date:	
	2.1 * Medical contraindication to influenza vaccine	2
	2.2 * Offered but declined influenza vaccine	5
RSV Vaccination	2.3 * Other/unknown influenza vaccination status	0
	3. * Number of residents in question #1 who are up to date with RSV vaccination	
	Among those not in question #3, reason not up to date:	
	3.1 * Medical contraindication to RSV vaccine	
	3.2 * Offered but declined RSV vaccine	
	3.3 * Other/unknown RSV vaccination status	

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Save **Cancel**

Reporting Influenza and RSV Vaccinations

- You can report:
 - Both Flu and RSV vaccination questions
 - Only Flu vaccination (questions 2-2.3)
 - Only RSV vaccination (questions 3-3.3)
 - Neither
- If you report in any data field for either vaccine. You must complete all vaccination questions for the associated vaccine.
- Users choose how often to report
 - Ideally in same weekly reporting cadence as COVID-19 Vaccine

Edit Vaccine Data

COVID-19 Vaccine: HCP COVID-19 Vaccine: Residents Influenza/RSV: Residents (Optional) **New Optional Tab**

Resident Flu/RSV Cumulative Vaccination Summary for Long-Term Care Facilities

Date Created:

* Facility ID: * Vaccination type: Respiratory Facility CCN #:

* Week of Data Collection: 10/09/2023 - 10/15/2023 * Date Last Modified:

Cumulative Vaccination Coverage

Optional Reporting: These data are NOT required.

Total Residents	1. * Number of residents staying in this facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection	100
	2. * Number of residents in question #1 who are up to date with influenza vaccination for current season	90
	Among those not in question #2, reason not up to date:	
Influenza Vaccination	2.1 * Medical contraindication to influenza vaccine	2
	2.2 * Offered but declined influenza vaccine	8
	2.3 * Other/unknown influenza vaccination status	0
	3. * Number of residents in question #1 who are up to date with RSV vaccination	
	Among those not in question #3, reason not up to date:	
RSV Vaccination	3.1 * Medical contraindication to RSV vaccine	
	3.2 * Offered but declined RSV vaccine	
	3.3 * Other/unknown RSV vaccination status	

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Benefits of Optional Reporting-Flu/RSV

- ❖ Visibility of respiratory illness cases within the facility
- ❖ Analytic tools within the NHSN portal to track cases and vaccination over time and share with C-Suite
- ❖ Infection Prevention and outbreak management support from MDHHS
- ❖ Clarity for CDC on resource and funding allocation for future respiratory seasons



Optional Reporting

PART 3: HEALTHCARE ASSOCIATED INFECTION (HAI) REPORTING

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NEW Initiative:

Improve NHSN for HAI Reporting

- Recent CDC funding: Enhancing NHSN's use by increasing the enrollment of HAI reporting into NHSN for the LTCF component.
- Only have a handful of facilities that have ever reported their HAI data into NHSN's LTCF component and looking to change that
- **Primary Objectives of Initiative:**
 - Bolster the use of NHSN for HAI reporting in LTCFs
 - Identify areas of HAI prevention/control improvement in LTCFs
 - Increase adherence to prevention measures
 - Improve and standardize HAI surveillance
 - Increase understanding of how HAIs are transmitted in your facility and community
 - Reduce HAI Prevalence/Incidence

Initiative Benefits:

Enrolling in the LTCF Component



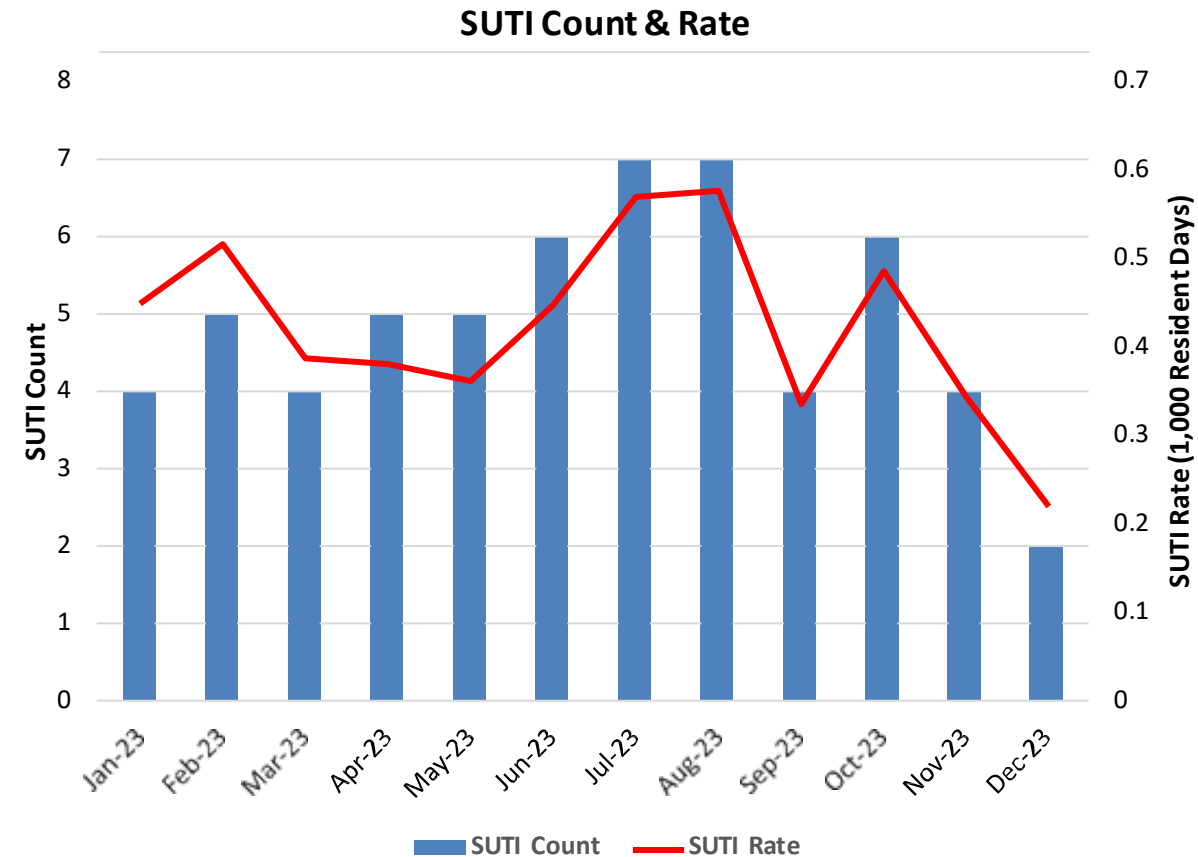
The power of data

Benefits of visibility of HAI data in the LTC space

- Awareness of HAI infections in the facility and identifying areas of improvement
- Ability to inform action for infection prevention purposes and track progress
- MDHHS also generates monthly reports for participating facilities
- Additional support from the MDHHS SHARP Unit and Infection Prevention Unit and the ability to collaborate to help reduce the burden of HAIs.
- Improve Patient Safety

Real-Time Data Tools and Analysis

- NHSN gives healthcare facilities to review their data in real-time using embedded analysis tools, which can be shared with clinicians and facility leadership to help inform infection prevention strategies.

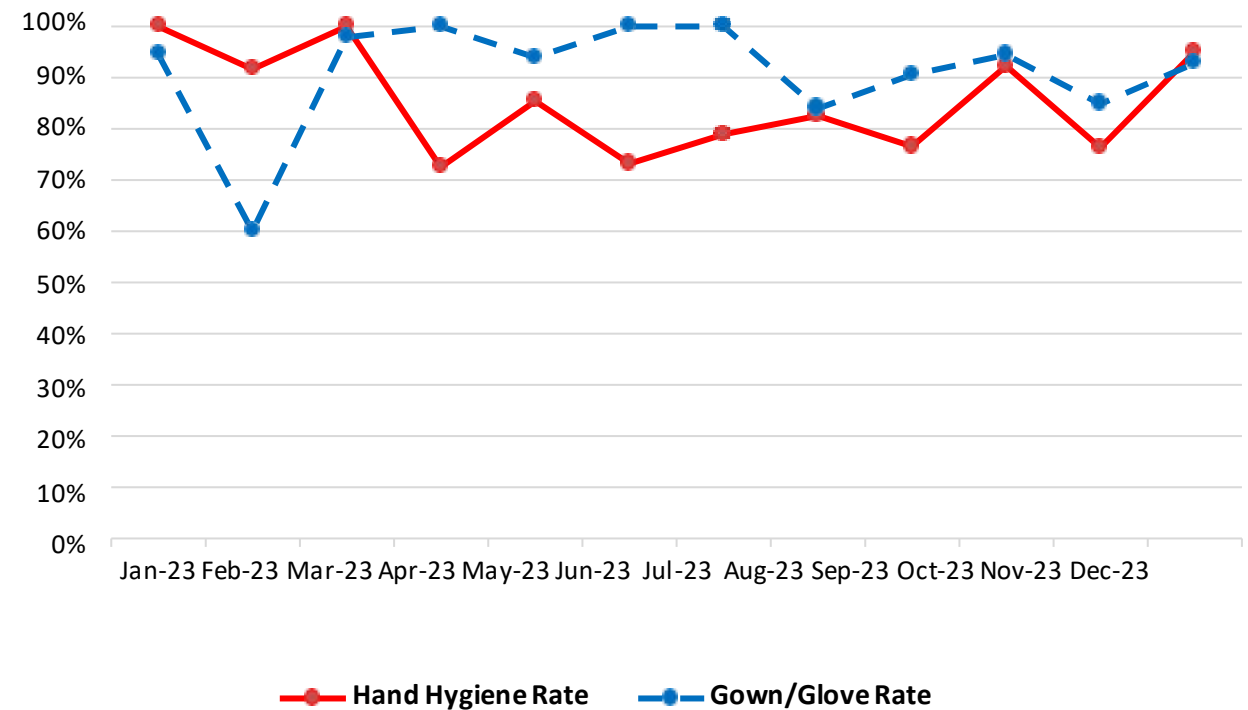


Facility-specific Technical Assistance and Collaborative Opportunities

Workgroup/Group Calls

- Similar to NHSN Workgroup for Hospital Component
- Monthly meetings to discuss recent NHSN changes, share best practices, review HAI data, training/learning opportunities, other topics, and updates of interest
- Smaller group of engaged facilities to discuss HAI topics
- Access to Subject Matter Experts
- Review of MDHHS-generated reports covering participating facilities

Hand Hygiene & Gown/Glove Rates



Educational Resources/Professional Development

A portion of CDC's SHARP Project IV funding can go to facilities for participation in NHSN Reporting.

- Funding designed to be used for the professional development of IP staff and to enhance IP staff to offset this additional reporting.

Professional Development Incentive-\$2,500

- Eligible for enrollees prior to September 30th, 2024
- To be used for Guidelines, Conferences, Textbooks & Memberships to IP Organizations
- CDI/MDRO and UTI reporting required to be eligible for funding, Prevention Process Measures Optional

Who should Participate

Engaged facilities interested in and with the capacity to conduct HAI reporting

Facility staff knowledgeable in HAIs in the facility

Facilities with buy-in from leadership

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Resources/Process

- NHSN INFRASTRUCTURE, NAVIGATING TO REPORTS, AND ADDITIONAL NHSN RESOURCES

Standardized Surveillance Criteria and Analysis for the Following Modules



Healthcare-associated Infections (HAI)

- Urinary tract infections (UTI)
- Catheter and non-catheter associated
- **Planned**
 - Respiratory Tract infection
 - Skin and Soft Tissue Infection



Laboratory-identified (LabID) Event

- *C. difficile* Infection (CDI)
- Multi-drug Resistant Organisms (MDRO)



Prevention Process Measures

- Adherence to Gown and Glove Use
- Adherence to Hand Hygiene

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**Analysis Reports**

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- MDRO/CDI Module - LABID Event Reporting
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 - All LabID Events
 - All MRSA LabID Events
 - All MSSA LabID Events
 - All C. difficile LabID Events
 - All VRE LabID Events
 - All CephR-Klebsiella LabID Events
 - All CRE LabID Events
 - All CRE-Klebsiella LabID Events
 - All CRE-Ecoli LabID Events
 - All CRE-Enterobacter LabID Events
 - All Acinetobacter LabID Events
- HAI Module
 - All UTI Events
- Process Measures
 - Specific Process Measures
 - Line Listing - All Process Measures
 - Rate Table - Hand Hygiene Adherence
 - Rate Table - Gown/Glove Adherence
- CMS Reports
 - Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF QRP)
 - Rate Table - HCP COVID-19 Vaccination Data for CMS SNF QRP
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Long-term Care Facilities (LTCF) Component

Use the Long Term Care Facility (LTCF) Component to track infections and prevention process measures, systematically, to identify problems, improve care, and determine progress toward national healthcare-associated infection goals.

Facilities Reporting in LTCF

Nursing homes, skilled nursing, chronic care, and Intermediate Care Facilities for individuals with Intellectual disability (ICF/ID).

Assisted living facilities can only report in the [Prevention Process Measures](#) module.

⚠ Long-term acute care hospitals must use the [LTACH Facilities](#).

LTCF Manual & FAQs

[2020 LTCF Component Manual](#) [PDF – 3 MB]

[LTCF Frequently Asked Questions](#) [PDF – 1 MB]

LTCF Modules & Events

Access relevant training, protocols, data collection forms and supporting materials for each module.

New Users

[Introduction to LTCF Component \[Video – 2 min\]](#)

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MDRO & CDI

Multidrug-Resistant Organism & *Clostridioides difficile* (MDRO/CDI) Infection Event Reporting Module Using Laboratory-identified Event Methodology

Protocols

[LabID Event Protocol for LTCF – January 2021](#) [PDF – 500 KB]

[Component Protocol Changes for LTCF – January 2021](#) [PDF – 200 KB]

Supporting Chapters

[LTCF – Key Terms and Acronyms](#) [PDF – 200 KB]

[CDC Location Labels and Location Descriptions – January 2021](#) [PDF – 1 MB]

Note: This document includes CDC locations and labels for all NHSN facility types. For Long-term Care Facility locations and labels, see pages 27-28.

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[LTCF FAQs](#) [PDF – 150 KB]

[HIPAA Privacy Rule](#)

Supporting Materials

[NHSN Organism List \(All Organisms, Common Commensals, MBI Organisms, and UTI Bacteria\) January 2021](#) [XLSX – 300 KB]

[Guidance Documents](#)

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Urinary Tract Infections (UTI)

Protocols

- [UTI Event Protocol for LTCF – January 2021](#)  [PDF – 500 KB]
- [Component Protocol Changes for LTCF – January 2021](#)  [PDF – 200 KB]

Supporting Chapters

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UTI Events

- [UTI Event for LTCF – September 2022 \(57,140\)](#)  [PDF – 285 KB]
- [Customizable form](#)  [DOC – 95 KB]

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Educational Roadmap

FAQs

- [LTCF FAQs](#)  [PDF – 150 KB]
- [HIPAA Privacy Rule](#)

Supporting Materials

- [NHSN Organism List \(All Organisms, Common Commensals, MBI Organisms, and UTI Bacteria\) June 2021](#)  [XLS – 560 KB]

Guidance Documents

- [How to Add and Edit Facility CMS Certification Number](#)

Next Steps

Agreement to participate & Letter of Intent

Sign Up for NHSN's Module, MRP, UTI and CDI/MDRO monthly reporting (optional prevention process measures)

Added to participating facility list for additional info, addition to workgroup, and further instructions

To Sum Up:

Benefits of using NHSN for HAI Reporting:

- Educational Resources/Professional Development
- Module Expertise and Familiarity
- Access to User Group
- Real-Time Data analysis and visualizations
- Ability to share data with clinicians and facility leadership to leverage resources
- HAI Section's assistance to help lower the HAI burden

If you're already using NSHN-Share data with MDHHS NHSN Group

- Additional resources to help you understand your data
- Local prompt response to question

The Future of NHSN

UPCOMING REQUIREMENTS-2025 AND BEYOND

Upcoming NHSN Training

❖ July 23rd-July 25th

❖ 2024 Virtual
Post-Acute
Care Training

❖ Intended
Audience: Long
Term Care and
Dialysis
facilities

❖ [Registration Link](#)

The screenshot shows the landing page for the 2024 Virtual Post-Acute Care Training. At the top left is the CDC logo (U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention). To the right of the CDC logo are navigation links: Home, Agenda, CE Instructions, FAQ, a purple Register button, and a green Login button. The main heading reads "Welcome to the 2024 Virtual Post-Acute Care Training" in blue, followed by the dates "Tuesday, July 23 – Thursday, July 25". Below this, there are three circular icons: a maroon circle with white silhouettes of people for "Long-term Care", a purple circle with white silhouettes of people for "Dialysis", and a green circle with a white clipboard and checkmark for "Vaccination". To the left of these icons is the NHSN logo (National Healthcare Safety Network). At the bottom of the page are two buttons: a purple Register button and a green Login button.

Known NHSN LTCF Module Updates

Next expected major LTCF Module Update- **January 1st, 2025**

Demographics Updates:

- Sex at birth-Required
- Gender Identity-Required
- Multiple Race Options
- Race & Ethnicity-Required

Longer Term Possibilities

RSV and Influenza-Upcoming NHSN Training

- Webinar Title-Respiratory Tract Infection (RTI) Pilot Project: The Importance of Respiratory Pathogen Reporting
- Still optional in 2025?

HAI Reporting?

Thank You!

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All webinars are from 1-2 PM EST

August 20th – Member Presentations

October 10th – APIC-GL Fall Conference!

November 19th - TBD

Please note this schedule is subject to change. All changes and additional event details will be communicated via email, once confirmed.

Please direct questions to **Kelsey Ostergren, Chau Nguyen, or Denise Parr**

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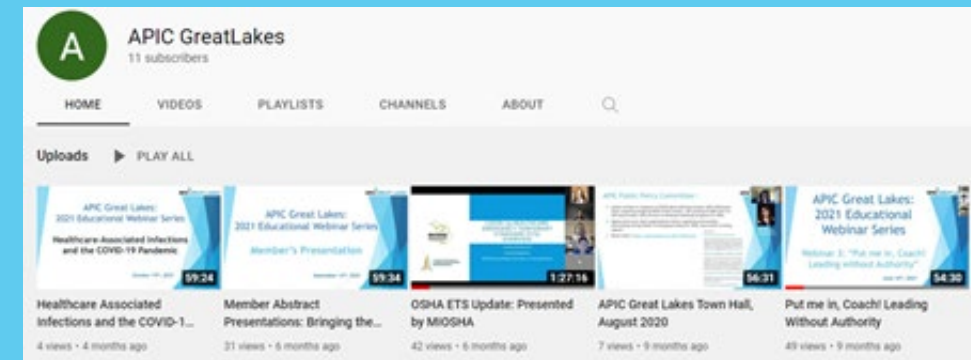
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