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Long-term Care NEWSLETTER

LTC Newsletter 2021-48

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LTC Update:

- **LTC – Standard of Practice (SOP) – Update 09/28/21**
- **Infection Preventionist Information – Update 09/28/21**
- **Save the Date – Leadership Conference – Nov. 2**

LTC – Standard of Practice (SOP) – Update 09/28/21

The LTC Standard of Practice (SOP) has been updated to include the recent changes from both the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). These updates should be implemented by Oct. 4.

SOP Guidance:

- [Long-term Care COVID-19 Clinical Guidance](#)
- [COVID-19 Infection Control Guidance in Long-term Care Facilities](#)
- [COVID-19 Regulatory Visitation & Activities Guidance for Long-term Care](#)
- [Summary of SOP Changes – 9/28/21](#)

References:

- [QSO-20-38-NH – REVISED 09/10/2021](#)
- [Interim Infection Prevention & Control Recommendations to Prevent SARS-CoV-2 Spread in Nursing Homes – Updated 09/10/2021](#)
- [Interim Infection Prevention & Control Recommendations for Healthcare Personnel During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\) Pandemic – Updated 09/10/2021](#)

- [Interim Guidance for Managing Healthcare Personnel with SARS-CoV-2 Infections or Exposure to SARS-CoV-2 – Updated 09/10/2021](#)

Infection Preventionist Information – Update 09/28/21

The following Infection Preventionist (IP) Information has been updated:

- [Infection Preventionist Facility Checklist for Outbreaks \(9/28/21\)](#)
- [IDOH COVID-19 IP Toolkit Update 09/28/21](#)

Additional information: [Infection Prevention Press – September 2021](#)

Save the Date – Leadership Conference – Nov. 2



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SAVE the DATE

Indiana Healthcare Leadership Conference

LONG TERM CARE

Moving Forward & Recognizing Concerns

Date: Tuesday, November 2, 2021

Time: 8:30 am

Location: Embassy Suites, Noblesville IN

Who Should Attend: Every licensed comprehensive care facility should send two persons. Representatives from long term care provider organizations and interest groups are also invited to attend. All IDOH long term care surveyors will attend.



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