Alliant Quality HQIC Weekly COVID Office Hours – Infection Prevention Chats

Welcome!
- Please ask any questions in the chat
- Please actively participate in discussions
- Lines will be muted upon entry

We will get started shortly!
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WELCOME!

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Format for IP Chats

• Sessions are not recorded and minutes are not taken
  – If you prefer to remain anonymous, please use the call in option
• Review of updates surrounding COVID-19 regulations and guidelines
• Open forum discussion
  – Survey findings discussion (corrective action/standards referenced, etc.)
  – Current COVID-19 Response challenges or barriers to IP practice
  – IP mentoring or support needed
Feedback on IP Chats

CMS is interested in understanding if these sessions are beneficial to you

Please enter to Chat
1 = Very Beneficial
2 = Somewhat Beneficial
3 = Neutral
4 = Unbeneficial
5 = Very unbeneficial
CMS Final Rule Update

• FY 2023 IPPS Final Rule  CMS-1752-F
• Report COVID-19 Vaccination Data Among Health Care Personnel to NHSN Beginning Q4 2021
• Excluded facility types
  – Psychiatric hospitals (as defined in section 1861(f) of the Social Security Act)
  – Rehabilitation hospitals (as defined by the Secretary)
  – Hospitals with inpatients who are predominately individuals under 18 years of age (e.g., children’s hospitals)
  – Hospitals designated as long-term acute care
  – Hospitals recognized as a comprehensive cancer center or clinical cancer research center
  – Hospitals designated as critical access hospitals (reporting is encouraged)
Please enter to chat

Have you completed data entry for COVID-19 Vaccination of HCW to NHSN?
• Yes or NO

If yes, did it go as expected or were there issues?
NHSN Data Submission Requirements and Best Practices

• Hospitals must collect the numerator and denominator for at least one self-selected week during the month of the reporting quarter and submit data to NHSN at least quarterly prior to each quarterly submission deadline.

• It is highly recommended that hospitals have at least two active NHSN users who have the ability to enter HCP data in order to meet data submission deadlines in the event one of the NHSN users becomes unavailable.
NHSN COVID-19 Vaccination Data Reporting

Healthcare Personnel Safety Module

Welcome to the NHSN Landing Page

Select component:
Healthcare Personnel Safety

Select facility/group:
Fac: Riverside Memorial (ID 27186)

Submit
Reporting Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Data

1. Select Vaccination Summary
2. Select COVID-19 Vaccination Summary
Weekly COVID-19 Data Reporting

- Reporting periods are Monday – Sunday
- Report for the week prior, ending Sunday
- Click Week to enter data for HCW
- Green Ribbon = Data complete
- Beige Ribbon = Data Incomplete for the week
**Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Reporting for HCP**

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**Healthcare Personnel COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary for Non-Long-Term Care Facilities**

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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

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2. Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 who have received COVID-19 vaccines at this facility or elsewhere since December 2020:

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Cumulative Number of HCP Eligible to Have Worked

Totals for ‘All Core HCP’ and ‘All HCP’ will be auto-calculated by NHSN
– All Core HCP = The sum of employees, licensed independent practitioners, and adult students/trainees & volunteers
– All HCP = The sum of employees, licensed independent practitioners, adult students/trainees & volunteers, and other contract personnel

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2. Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 who have received COVID-19 vaccine(s) at this facility or elsewhere since December 2020:

2.1. "Only dose 1 of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine"

2.2. "Dose 1 and dose 2 of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine"

2.3. "Only dose 1 of Moderna primary COVID-19 vaccine"

2.4. "Dose 1 and dose 2 of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine"
Five Key Questions for Vaccination Module

1. Number of current HCP eligible to have worked at facility?
2. Number of these HCP who have ever been vaccinated (cumulative number vaccinated) with a COVID-19 vaccine?
3. Number of these HCP with other conditions?

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4. Number of HCP who have received a complete COVID-19 vaccine series and who are eligible to receive an additional dose or booster?

5. Number of HCP in question 4 who have received an additional vaccine dose or booster since August 2021?
Data Tracking Worksheet

- Update of worksheet in process from NHSN
- VERY helpful to auto-sum data for reporting
### Reporting Summary

**COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary for Healthcare Personnel in Non-Long-Term Care Facilities**

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<td>Week of data collection first day (Monday):</td>
<td>9/17/2021</td>
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<td>Week of data collection last day (Sunday):</td>
<td>10/3/2021</td>
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<td>Date Last Modified:</td>
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#### Cumulative Vaccination Coverage

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<th><em>All HCP (Total)</em></th>
<th>Environmental Services</th>
<th>Nurse</th>
<th>Medical Assistant</th>
<th>Certified Nursing Assistant</th>
<th>Respiratory Therapist</th>
<th>Pharmacists</th>
<th>Pharmacy Technician</th>
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1. Number of HCPs working in this facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection: 0

2. Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 who have received COVID-19 vaccine(s) at this facility or elsewhere since December 2020:

   - 2.1. Only dose 1 of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 2.2. Only dose 2 of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 2.3. Only dose 1 of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 2.4. Only dose 2 of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 2.5. One dose of Janssen COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 2.6. Complete COVID-19 vaccination series: Unspecified Manufacturer: 0

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

   - 3.1. Medical contraindications or exclusions to COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 3.2. Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine: 0
   - 3.3. Unknown COVID-19 vaccination status: 0

#### COVID-19 Vaccine(s) Supply

*4. For the current reporting week, please describe the availability of COVID-19 vaccine(s) for your facility’s HCP:

4.1. Is your facility enrolled as a COVID-19 vaccination provider? [Select Yes or No]?

4.2. Did your facility have a sufficient supply of COVID-19 vaccine(s) to offer all HCP the opportunity to receive COVID-19 vaccine(s) from your facility in the current reporting week? [Select Yes or No]?

4.3. Did your facility have other arrangements sufficient to offer all HCP the opportunity to receive COVID-19 vaccine(s) in the current reporting week (examples of other arrangements include referring to the health department or pharmacies for vaccination)? [Select Yes or No]?

4.4. Please describe any other COVID-19 vaccination supply-related issue(s) at your facility. [Optional]
Helpful NHSN Resources

• NHSN Data tracking worksheet
  – https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/hps/covidvax/track-hcp-covidvax.xlsx

• NHSN Weekly HCP COVID-19 Vaccination Webpage
  – Weekly HCP COVID-19 Vaccination | HPS | NHSN | CDC

• NHSN Training Slides

• NHSN Quick Learn Demonstration
  – https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NKQIhs_pWkM
Post Acute Quality Reporting Webinar

Registration Link: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1724865880977037071

Post-Acute Care Quality Reporting Programs

Register for the October 19 Hospice Quality Reporting Program Forum

On Tuesday, October 19th, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) will host a webinar to share updates on the new claims based measures for the Hospice Quality Reporting Program.

During this webinar, CMS subject matter experts will provide information on the following topics:

- Quality Measures (QM) Specifications User’s Manual v1.00
- QM Report Reviewal

CMS will also answer questions at the end of the webinar.

Webinar Details

Title: CMS October Hospice Quality Reporting Program Forum

Date: Tuesday, October 19, 2021
Resources

• Alliant Quality HQIC Website
• Infection Prevention (HQIC) Archives - NQIIC (alliantquality.org)
• For a copy of the slides please email your request to Amy.Ward@AlliantHealth.org
HQIC Goals

Behavioral Health Outcomes & Opioid Misuse
- Promote opioid best practices
- Decrease high dose opioid prescribing and opioid adverse events in all settings
- Increase access to behavioral health services

Patient Safety
- Reduce risky medication combinations
- Reduce adverse drug events
- Reduce *C. diff* in all settings

Quality of Care Transitions
- Convene community coalitions
- Identify and promote optical care for super utilizers
- Reduce community-based adverse drug events
Thank you for joining us! How did we do today?
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