



California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Infection Prevention Webinar

Wednesday, February 10, 2021

Upcoming Calls



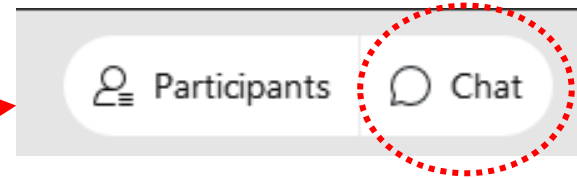
- CDPH Tuesday, 8 a.m., All-Facilities Calls:
 - Call in: **1.844.721.7239**
 - Access code: **799 3227**
- CDPH Wednesday, 3 p.m., SNF Infection Prevention (IP) Webinars:
 - Register at: hsag.com/cdph-ip-webinars
 - Recordings and slides are posted at registration site.
- CDPH Thursday, 12 noon, SNF IP Phone Calls:
 - Dial-in: **1.877.226.8163**
 - Access Code: **513 711**

Call notes for 2021 will be posted soon at the CDPH skilled nursing facility (SNF) infection prevention (IP) education website:

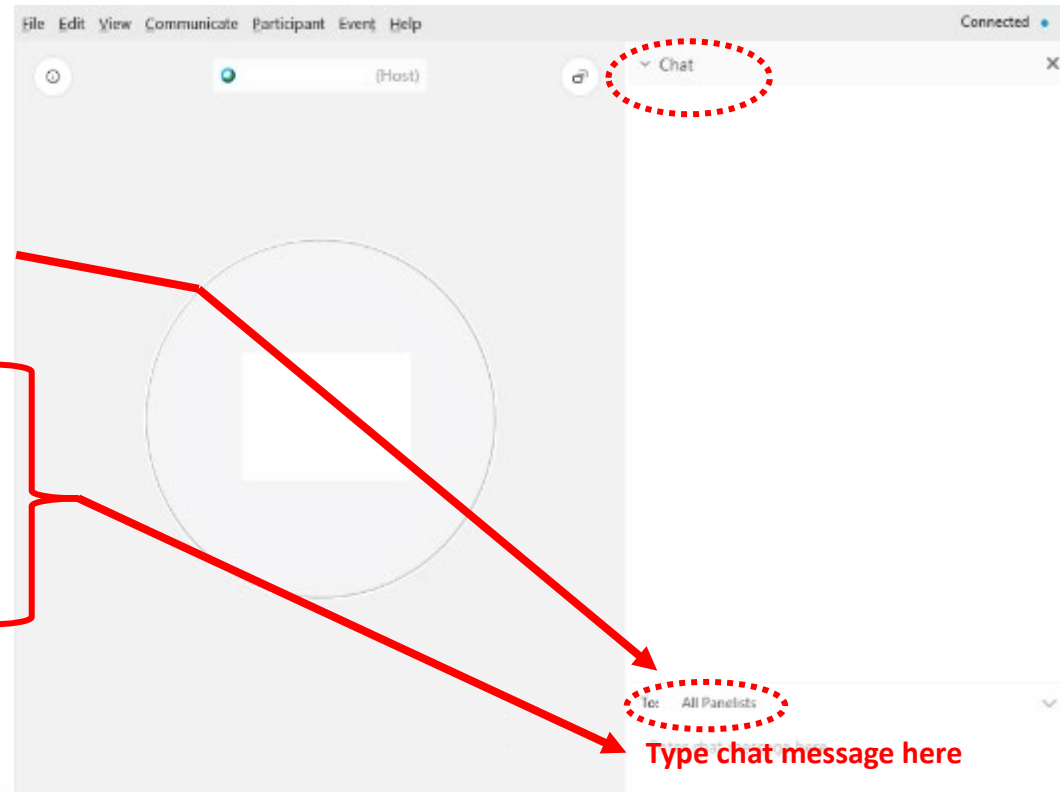
cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHCQ/Pages/SNFeducation.aspx

How to Find the Chat Button and Submit a Question

1. To submit a question, click on the **Chat Button** located in the bottom right corner of your Webex window.



2. The **Chat** panel will open on your right.



3. Indicate that you want to send a question to **All Panelists**.

4. Type your question in the box at the bottom of the panel.

5. Press **Enter** on your keyboard to submit your question.

To connect to the audio portion of the webinar, please have Webex call you.

Please Take 5 Seconds and Let Us Know



We want this call to be meaningful to you, so we need your input.

At the end of the webinar, you will be asked **one question** to determine if this call equipped your organization to manage COVID-19 and/or your infection prevention practices.

Agenda



- CDPH Update
- Testing Task Force Update
- National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Update
- COVID-19 Vaccine: Getting the Second Dose
- Updates on COVID-19 Variants
- Q&A



CDPH Update



Testing Task Force Update



NHSN Update

Long-Term Care Facility COVID-19 Module Updates

- Effective **February 5, 2021**
- Email notification sent on January 30, 2021
- Next NHSN update scheduled for March 2021
- Upcoming training opportunities
- Revised forms, form instructions, and CSV templates are posted to the [LTCF COVID-19 Module website](#).

Summary of Modifications

- COVID-19 Point of Care (POC) Test Reporting Tool
 - POC Testing Reporting Tool FAQ:
<https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/covid19/ltcf/ltcf-poc-faq-508.pdf>
- COVID-19 Resident Impact and Facility Capacity Pathway
- New COVID-19 Therapeutics Module
- Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Data Modules

Immediate Action Requested

- Two updates require **retrospective data** to be entered back to Monday, **February 1, 2021**.
 - Vaccination status for residents newly positive for SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) through viral testing (specifically included in the Positive Tests count from Monday forward). This new question is in the Resident Impact and Facility Capacity pathway.
 - Enter data for the new pathway, Therapeutics, starting with therapeutics administered Monday **February 1, 2021**, and forward.

Vaccination Status

Add COVID-19 Data

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

ADMISSIONS: Number of residents admitted or readmitted from another facility who were previously diagnosed with COVID-19 and continue to require transmission-based precautions. *Exclude recovered residents.*

POSITIVE TESTS (previously called "Confirmed"): Number of residents newly positive for COVID-19 based on a viral test result.

****TEST TYPE:** Based on the number of reported Positive Tests, indicate how many were tested using each of the following:

****Positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test only** [no other testing performed]

****Positive SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR)** [no other testing performed]

****Positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test and negative SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR)**

****Any other combination of SARS-CoV-2 NAAT (PCR) and/or antigen test(s) with at least one positive test**

*Only include if the two tests were performed **within 2 days of each other**. Otherwise, count first test only.

Important: The total for Test Type should equal the total for Positive Tests.

CALCULATED TOTAL CONFIRMED (not editable by user):

****VACCINATION STATUS:** For positives in each test type category, indicate how many residents received COVID-19 vaccination before the positive test:

Positive SARS-CoV-2 antigen test only [no other testing performed]:

<input type="text" value="0"/>	NOVACC - Not vaccinated with COVID-19 vaccine
<input type="text" value="0"/>	MODERNA1 - Only dose 1 of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine
<input type="text" value="0"/>	MODERNA - Dose 1 and dose 2 of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine
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Therapeutics Pathway

Resident Impact and Facility Capacity

Staff and Personnel Impact

Supplies and Personal Protective Equipment

Ventilator Capacity and Supplies

Therapeutics

Report total counts for the below questions only one calendar day during the reporting week and include only new counts since the previously reported counts. If the count is zero, a "0" must be entered as the response. A blank response is equivalent to missing data.

For each therapeutic listed, enter number of residents who received the therapeutic at this facility or elsewhere during the reporting week.

Therapeutic	How many residents were treated from stock stored at this facility?	How many residents were treated from stock that was stored at another facility, such as an infusion center?
Bamlanivimab (Lilly)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Casirivimab/imdevimab (Regeneron)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Mandatory fields marked with *

Contact Info and Upcoming Webinars

- Email NHSN Helpdesk (NHSN@cdc.gov) with the subject line identifying the topic
 - “POC Testing”
 - “LTCF COVID-19”
 - “Long-Term Care COVID Vaccination.”
- Webinars
 - Thursday, February 11, 11 a.m.–12 noon
 - Friday, February 12, 10–11 a.m.
 - Registration:
https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_dp03SRQnSYeOfcBFy2CAmQ



COVID-19 Vaccine: Getting the Second Dose

Poll Question #1

Now that staff and residents are getting vaccinated, have you noticed any changes in adherence to your infection prevention practices (hand washing, distancing, mask, face shield, gloves, gowns) at work?

- a. Yes
- b. Maybe
- c. No
- d. I do not know

Poll Question #2

Now that staff are getting vaccinated, how likely are you or your staff to attend gatherings outside of work?

- a. Very likely
- b. Somewhat likely
- c. Unsure
- d. Somewhat unlikely
- e. Very unlikely



Updates on COVID-19 Variants

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/transmission/variant.html>

Questions?





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