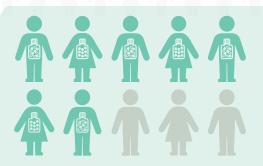


Antibiotic Stewardship in Nursing Homes

Americans are admitted to or reside in nursing homes during a year



UP TO 70%

of nursing home residents received antibiotics during a year^{2,3}



UP TO **75%** of antibiotics are prescribed incorrectly*2,3



















CDC recommends

7 CORE ELEMENT

for antibiotic stewardship in nursing homes

Leadership Commitment Accountability **Drug Expertise** Action Tracking

Reporting

Education



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