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NHSN Long-term Care Facility Component: Respiratory Pathogens & Vaccination Module Updates

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Objectives

1. Review new **optional** therapeutics questions for residents
2. Review the revised **optional** person-level vaccination form for residents
3. General reporting reminders

Reminder: CMS Reporting Requirements for LTCF Residents

- LTCFs are **required** to report COVID-19, influenza, and respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) data weekly for residents, including:
 - Vaccination status
 - Confirmed resident cases (overall and by vaccination status)
 - Hospitalized residents with confirmed cases (overall and by vaccination status)
- New COVID-19, influenza, and RSV Therapeutics questions are **optional**.

*More information about the new [CMS rule, the 2025 Home Health Prospective Payment System \(HHPPS\)](#), can be found on the CMS website.

Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination (RPV) Form: Optional Therapeutics Data

Overview of Reporting Therapeutics Data for Residents

- Reporting Therapeutics data is **optional**.
- Therapeutics data is **not** cumulative.
- Therapeutics data is collected for COVID-19, influenza, and RSV.
- If you report therapeutics data for one question, then you must report data for all therapeutics questions.
 - Example: If you report therapeutics administered for COVID-19, then you must also report data on therapeutics administered to residents for influenza and RSV.

Reminder: How to Access the Resident RPV Summary Form

The RPV form can be accessed in two ways:

1. Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination tab
 - RPV – Residents
2. RPV Summary tab

The screenshot displays the NHSN Long Term Care Facility interface. On the left is a navigation menu with the following items: Alerts, Dashboard, Reporting Plan, Resident, Staff, Summary Data, Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination (highlighted with a red box and a red circle containing the number 1), RPV Summary (highlighted with a purple box and a purple circle containing the number 2), Import/Export, Surveys, Analysis, Users, Facility, and Group. On the right, the main content area shows the 'NHSN Long Term Care Facility' header, a 'Long Term Care Dashboard' button, an 'Action Items' section, and a 'COMPLETE THESE ITEMS' section. A dropdown menu is open from the 'Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination' menu item, listing: Dashboard, RPV - Residents (highlighted with a red box), COVID-19 Vaccination - HCP, POC Test Result Reporting, Pathway Data Reporting (Archive), Person-Level Vaccination Form - Residents, Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - HCP, and Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - Residents.

Reminder: Report Data Corresponding to the Selected Week



23 February 2026 - 05 April 2026

Record Complete

Record Incomplete

Record Partially Complete

Weekly RPV Calendar

02/23/2026 (Monday) - 03/01/2026 (Sunday)

- COVID-19: HCP
- RPV: Residents

03/02/2026 (Monday) - 03/08/2026 (Sunday)

- COVID-19: HCP
- RPV: Residents

03/09/2026 (Monday) - 03/15/2026 (Sunday)

- COVID-19: HCP
- RPV: Residents

Select the week from the calendar that corresponds to the data you are reporting.

For example: To report data that occurred for the week 03/02/2026 - 03/08/2026, **select the week labeled 03/02/2026-03/08/2026** on the calendar view. These data are due to be reported by Sunday 3/15/2026.

Therapeutics Administered to Residents During the Week of Data Collection (Optional Reporting: These data are NOT required.)

For each therapeutic listed, enter number of residents who received the therapeutic(s) at this facility during the reporting week

5. Residents who Received Therapeutics:

5a. Did not administer any therapeutics	<input type="checkbox"/>
5b. COVID-19: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	<input type="text"/>
5bi. Nirmatrelvir (Paxlovid)	<input type="text"/>
5bii. Remdesivir (Veklury)	<input type="text"/>
5biii. Molnupiravir (Lagevrio)	<input type="text"/>
5c. Influenza: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	<input type="text"/>
5ci. Oseltamivir (Tamiflu)	<input type="text"/>
5cii. Zanamivir	<input type="text"/>
5ciii. Peramivir (Rapivab)	<input type="text"/>
5civ. Baloxavir Marboxil (Xofluza)	<input type="text"/>
5d. RSV: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	<input type="text"/>
5di. Ribavirin	<input type="text"/>
5dii. Palivizumab (Synagis)	<input type="text"/>
5diii. Nirsevimab (Beyfortus)	<input type="text"/>
5div. Clesrovimab (Enflonsia)	<input type="text"/>

Therapeutics Administered to Residents: Question 5a

Therapeutics Administered to Residents During the Week of Data Collection (Optional Reporting: These data are NOT required.)

For each therapeutic listed, enter number of residents who received the therapeutic(s) at this facility during the reporting week

5. Residents who Received Therapeutics:

5a. Did not administer any therapeutics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5b. COVID-19: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	0
5bi. Nirmatrelvir (Paxlovid)	0
5bii. Remdesivir (Veklury)	0
5biii. Molnupiravir (Lagevrio)	0
5c. Influenza: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	0
5ci. Oseltamivir (Tamiflu)	0
5cii. Zanamivir	0
5ciii. Peramivir (Rapivab)	0
5civ. Baloxavir Marboxil (Xofluza)	0
5d. RSV: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	0
5di. Ribavirin	0

- Click on the check box if no therapeutics were administered to residents during the reporting week.
 - This will auto-populate zeros for **all** questions.

Therapeutics Administered to Residents: Question 5b

5b. * COVID-19: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	<input type="text" value="15"/>
5bi. ** Nirmatrelvir (Paxlovid)	<input type="text" value="5"/>
5bii. ** Remdesivir (Veklury)	<input type="text" value="5"/>
5biii. ** Molnupiravir (Lagevrio)	<input type="text" value="5"/>

- 5b. COVID-19: Enter the total number of residents who received therapeutic medications during the reporting week.
 - Enter the number of residents who received each type of COVID-19 therapeutic medication.
 - The sum of 5bi, 5bii, and 5biii must equal 5b.

Therapeutics Administered to Residents: Question 5c

5c. * Influenza: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	<input type="text" value="20"/>
5ci. ** Oseltamivir (Tamiflu)	<input type="text" value="5"/>
5cii. ** Zanamivir	<input type="text" value="5"/>
5ciii. ** Peramivir (Rapivab)	<input type="text" value="10"/>
5civ. ** Baloxavir Marboxil (Xofluza)	<input type="text" value="0"/>

- 5c. Influenza: Enter the total number of residents who received therapeutic medications during the reporting week.
 - Enter the number of residents who received each type of Influenza therapeutic medication.
 - The sum of 5ci, 5cii, 5ciii, and 5civ must equal 5c.

Therapeutics Administered to Residents: Question (5d)

5d. * RSV: Number of residents who have received treatment during the week of data collection	20
5di. ** Ribavirin	5
5dii. ** Palivizumab (Synagis)	5
5diii. ** Nirsevimab (Beyfortus)	5
5div. ** Clesrovimab (Enflonsia)	5

- 5d. RSV: Enter the total number of residents who received therapeutic medications during the reporting week.
 - Enter the number of residents who received each type of RSV therapeutic medication.
 - The sum of 5di, 5dii, 5diii, and 5div must equal 5d.

Note: Refer to clinical administration guidelines for questions about prescribing or administering therapeutic drugs.

Optional Person-level Form for Residents

What Data Can Be Reported Using the Person-Level Form for Residents?

- The Person-Level Vaccination Form for Residents has been updated to include reporting for all 3 respiratory pathogens.
- The form will now auto-calculate:
 - 1. Total Residents
 - 2a. Number of residents who are up to date with **COVID-19** vaccines
 - 2b. Number of residents who have received this season's annual **influenza** vaccine (2025-2026)
 - 2c. Number of residents who have received **RSV** vaccine

How to Access the New Person-Level Vaccination Form

- Navigate to the Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination tab and select **Person-Level Vaccination Form - Residents**.
- The archived form is labeled “Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form- Residents.”

The screenshot displays the NHSN Long Term Care Facility dashboard. On the left is a vertical navigation menu with the following items: NHSN Home, Alerts, Dashboard, Reporting Plan, Resident, Staff, Event, Summary Data, Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination (highlighted), RPV Summary, Import/Export, Surveys, Analysis, Users, Facility, and Group. On the right, the main content area shows the 'Long Term Care Dashboard' and an 'Action Items' section titled 'COMPLETE THESE ITEMS'. A dropdown menu is open from the 'Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination' menu item, listing several options: Dashboard, RPV - Residents, COVID-19 Vaccination - HCP, POC Test Result Reporting, Pathway Data Reporting (Archive), Person-Level Vaccination Form - Residents (highlighted), Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - HCP, and Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form - Residents.

How to Enter Data into the Person-Level Vaccination Form

- There are 2 methods to enter data into the person-level vaccination form:
 - Direct entry into the NHSN application
 - .CSV file upload

Optional Person-level Form for Residents: Direct Entry

Step 1: Enter Resident Demographics

Person-Level Vaccination - Residents

Import ▾ Export View Reporting Summary **Add Vaccination**

① Person Level Resources: Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

Resident ID	Last Name	First Name	Age	Sex	Date of Birth	Vaccination status 01/26/2026-02/01/2026
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	

- Click the blue **Add Vaccination** button in the top right corner of the form.

How to Enter Data for a New Resident

Add Vaccination

Back Save

Person Level Resources: Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

Mandatory fields marked with*
Fields required for record completion marked with* *

Resident

Lookup Resident

Resident Information

Resident ID*	First Name*
<input type="text" value="9C"/>	<input type="text" value="Mina"/>
Middle Name	Last Name*
<input type="text" value="Marie"/>	<input type="text" value="Baxter"/>
Date of Birth*	Sex*
<input type="text" value="12/16/1964"/>	<input type="text" value="Female"/>
Race*	Ethnicity*
<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Middle Eastern or North African <input type="checkbox"/> Declined to respond <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="text" value="Not Hispanic or Not Latino"/>
Admit Date*	Discharge Date
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Add Admit/Discharge History

How to Search for an Existing Resident: Method 1

The screenshot shows a software interface for managing residents. A modal window titled "Residents" is open, displaying a table of residents. The table has columns for Resident ID, Last Name, First Name, Sex, and Date of Birth. The resident with ID 5, JANE DOE, is selected. The interface includes a "Lookup Resident" button (1), search input fields (2), and a "Select" button (3).

1 Lookup Resident

2

3 Select

Resident ID	Last Name	First Name	Sex	Date of Birth
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Kent	Clark	M	02/03/1980
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Parker	Peter	M	05/03/1971
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	DUCK	DAFFY	M	01/01/1981
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	Lane	Lois	F	07/04/1956
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 5	DOE	JANE	F	06/02/1957
<input type="checkbox"/> 6	DOE	JOHN	M	01/07/1970
<input type="checkbox"/> 7	Neutron	Jimmy	M	07/04/1956
<input type="checkbox"/> 8	Morales	Miles	M	07/09/1970
<input type="checkbox"/> 9	BLAKE	DAPHNE	F	10/13/1958
<input type="checkbox"/> 9A	WATTERSON	ANAIS	F	09/01/2005

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Cancel Select

How to Search for an Existing Resident: Method 2

Person-Level Vaccination - Residents Import Export View Reporting Summary Add Vaccination

[Person Level Resources](#): Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

Resident ID	Last Name	First Name	Age	Sex	Date of Birth	Vaccination status 02/02/2026-02/08/2026
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="blake"/>	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
<input type="text" value="9"/>	BLAKE	DAPHNE	67	F	10/13/1958	<input type="checkbox"/> FLU Not Available <input type="checkbox"/> COVID19 Not Available <input type="checkbox"/> RSV Not Available

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- Enter identifying information into the white search boxes to search for a resident.
- Click their resident ID, update their vaccination data, and click **Save Row**.

Step 2: Enter Admit/Discharge History

- Click the **Add Admit/Discharge History** button to enter a date then select **OK** and **Save** the form.
- A green notification will appear at the top of the form once the resident's demographics and admit history are saved.

The screenshot shows a web application interface for 'Add Vaccination'. A modal window titled 'Admit/Discharge Dates' is open, displaying a calendar for December 2020. The date 12/5/2020 is selected in the 'Admit Date' field, and the 'Discharge Date' field is empty. The modal has buttons for '+ Add Row', 'Delete', and 'Edit'. Below the calendar, there are 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons. The background form is partially visible, showing fields for 'First Name' (Mina), 'Last Name' (Baxter), 'Sex' (Female), and 'Ethnicity' (Not Hispanic or Not Latino). A red box highlights the 'Add Admit/Discharge History' button at the bottom right of the form.

Step 3: Enter Vaccination History

The screenshot displays a software interface for entering vaccination history. A modal dialog box titled "Add Vaccination" is open, featuring a blue header and a close button. The dialog contains the following fields and options:

- Vaccination Type:** A dropdown menu.
- Not Vaccinated**
- Vaccine Date:** A date input field with a calendar icon, showing "month/day/year".
- Dose Type:** A dropdown menu.
- More Details** button.
- Cancel** and **OK** buttons at the bottom.

The background interface shows a "Vaccination History" table and an "Add Vaccination" button highlighted with a red box. Other visible elements include "Race", "Ethnicity", and "Add Admit/Discharge History" buttons.

- Click **Add Vaccination** to enter the individual's vaccination history.
- Select the vaccination type (COVID-19, influenza, RSV), vaccine date, and dose type.
- If the resident is not vaccinated, check **Not Vaccinated** and select reason.
 - Medical contraindication, declination, or unknown

Vaccination History

Vaccination History

Add Vaccination

Vaccination Type	Vaccination Date	Dose Type	Actions
Influenza	10/17/2024	Influenza Season 2024-2025	<button>Edit</button> <button>Delete</button>
RSV	Not Vaccinated	RSV Vaccine	<button>Edit</button> <button>Delete</button>
COVID-19	07/24/2025	2024-2025 Updated COVID-19 vaccine	<button>Edit</button> <button>Delete</button>

Save

- Click the blue **Save** button once all required fields for COVID-19, influenza, and RSV vaccination have been entered.

Optional Person-level Form for Residents: .CSV File Upload

Optional .CSV File Upload

- 3 separate .CSV files are required to submit person-level data via .CSV upload:
 1. Resident Demographics
 2. Admit/Discharge History
 3. Vaccination History
- How to access .CSV templates:
 - Download an example file from the LTCF website: [LTCF | Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination Module | NHSN | CDC](#)
 - Export data and use as template by clicking the **Export** button on the Person-Level Vaccination Form.

Enter Data into .CSV Files and Select Import

Person-Level Vaccination - Residents

Import ▾ Export View Reporting Summary Add Vaccination

ⓘ Person Level Resources: Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

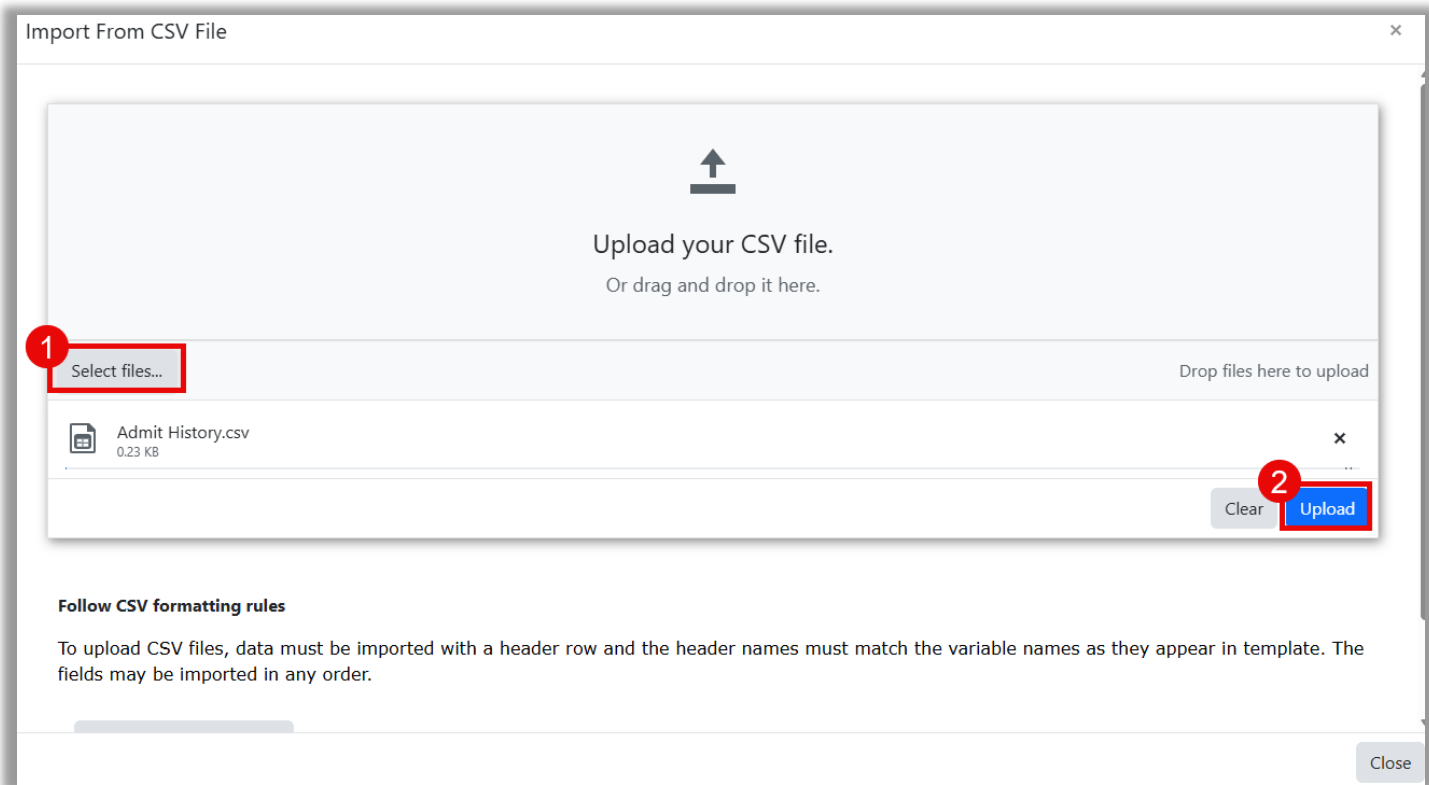
Resident ID	Last Name	First Name	Age	Sex	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

ation status 02/02/2026-02/08/2026

A Residents
B Vaccinations
C Admit/Discharge Dates

- Enter data into each .CSV file template.
- Click **Import** and select which file you wish to upload (Residents, Vaccinations, or Admit/Discharge Dates).

How to Upload .CSV Files



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Import From CSV File" with a close button (x) in the top right corner. The main area contains an upload icon (an upward arrow on a base) and the text "Upload your CSV file. Or drag and drop it here." Below this is a horizontal bar with a "Select files..." button on the left and "Drop files here to upload" on the right. A red circle with the number "1" is next to the "Select files..." button. Below the bar, a file named "Admit History.csv" (0.23 KB) is listed with a file icon and a close button (x). A red circle with the number "2" is next to the "Upload" button, which is highlighted in blue. To the left of the "Upload" button is a "Clear" button. At the bottom of the dialog, there is a section titled "Follow CSV formatting rules" with the text: "To upload CSV files, data must be imported with a header row and the header names must match the variable names as they appear in template. The fields may be imported in any order." A "Close" button is located in the bottom right corner.

Import From CSV File

Upload your CSV file.
Or drag and drop it here.

1 Select files... Drop files here to upload

Admit History.csv
0.23 KB

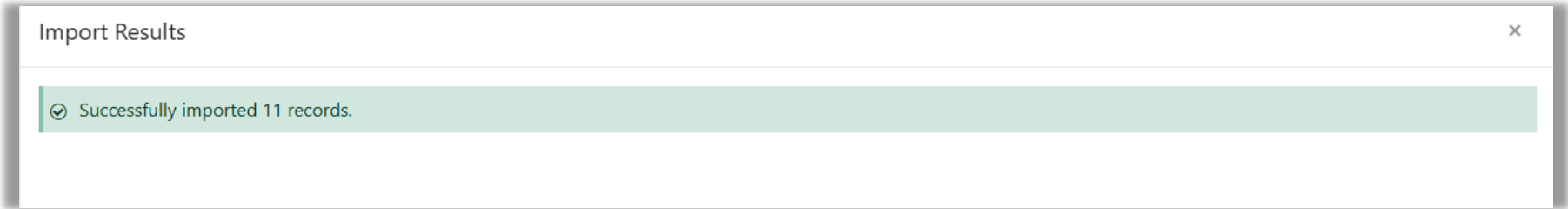
2 Upload Clear

Follow CSV formatting rules

To upload CSV files, data must be imported with a header row and the header names must match the variable names as they appear in template. The fields may be imported in any order.

Close

How to Confirm .CSV Upload is Successful



- A message will appear describing the number of records that were successfully uploaded.
- Errors found during upload will be described in a pop-up window.
 - Correct any rows with errors and re-submit.

Optional Person-level Form for Residents: View Reporting Summary and Submit Data

Complete the Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination Form Using the Person-Level 'View Reporting Summary' Screen

Person-Level Vaccination - Residents Import Export **1** View Reporting Summary Add Vaccination

Person Level Resources: Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

Resident ID	Last Name	First Name	Age	Sex	Date of Birth	Vaccination status 02/02/2026-02/08/2026
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
1	Kent	Clark	46	M	02/03/1980	Discharged 03/05/2022
2	Parker	Peter	54	M	05/03/1971	✓ FLU 01/01/2026 ✓ COVID19 12/01/2025 ✓ RSV 11/01/2025
3	DUCK	DAFFY	45	M	01/01/1981	✓ FLU 11/02/2025 ✓ COVID19 05/05/2025 ⚠ RSV Declined
4	Lane	Lois	69	F	07/04/1956	✓ FLU 10/01/2025 ⚠ COVID19 Declined ✓ RSV 03/02/2025

Select the Week You Are Interested in Submitting Data for by Clicking Add or Edit

Reporting Summary

Back

Re-submit all changed weeks

🔔 Person Level Resources: Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

< Year 2026

✔ Reported

⚠ Changed

✖ Not eligible

❗ Not Reported

January

- ✔ 01/05/2026 [Edit](#)
- ❗ 01/12/2026 Not Reported [Add](#)
- ❗ 01/19/2026 Not Reported [Add](#)
- ❗ 01/26/2026 Not Reported [Add](#)

February

- ❗ 02/02/2026 Not Reported [Add](#)

The Person-Level Form Will Auto-Calculate Questions 1-2c

Weekly Summary Form - Residents

Back Save

① **Person Level Resources:** Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

1 Mandatory fields marked with*
Fields required for record completion marked with* *

Person-Level Form

Facility ID* Heather SNF (ID 17018) Flu/Respiratory Virus Season* 2025-2026

Week of data collection first day(Monday)* 01/05/2026 Week of data collection last day(Sunday)* 01/11/2026

Person-Level Form

1. Number of residents staying in this facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection* 4

Cumulative Vaccination Coverage

2. Resident Vaccination: Among residents in Question #1:

2a. Number of residents who are [up to date](#) with COVID-19 vaccines* 2

2b. Number of residents who have received this season's [annual influenza vaccine](#) (2025-2026)* 3

2c. Number of residents who have received [RSV vaccine](#)* 2

Manually Enter the Rest of the Required Data (Questions 3a-4ci) to Complete the Form

New Resident Cases (Positive Tests) and Hospitalizations During the Week of Data Collection

3. Resident Cases (Positive Tests):

3a.COVID-19:Resident with a Positive Test*

3ai. Number of residents in Question #3a who received the [up to date](#) COVID-19 vaccine 14 days or more before the positive te

3b.Influenza:Residents with a Positive Test*

3bi. Number of residents in Question #3b who received this season's [annual influenza vaccine](#) 14 days or more before the posit

3c.RSV:Residents with a Positive Test*

3ci. Number of residents in Question #3c who received [RSV vaccine](#) 14 days or more before the positive test**

4. Residents Hospitalized with a Positive Test:

4a.COVID-19:Residents hospitalized this week, and had a positive test in the last 10 days*

4ai. Number of residents in Question #4a who received [up to date](#) COVID-19 vaccine 14 days or more before the positive test

4b.Influenza:Residents hospitalized this week, and had a positive test in the last 10 days*

4bi. Number of residents in Question #4b who received this season's [annual influenza vaccine](#) 14 days or more before the posit

4c.RSV:Residents hospitalized this week, and had a positive test in the last 10 days*

4ci. Number of residents in Question #4c who received [RSV vaccine](#) 14 days or more before the positive test**

Return to the Reporting Summary Screen and Click Re-Submit All Changed Weeks to Submit Data

Reporting Summary Back Re-submit all changed weeks

🔔 **Person Level Resources:** Need Help? Please click [here](#) for resources on how to submit person-level data.

< **Year 2026** ✔ Reported ⚠ Changed ✖ Not eligible ❗ Not Reported

Month	Date	Status	Action
January	01/05/2026	Reported	Edit
	01/12/2026	Not Reported	Add
	01/19/2026	Not Reported	Add
	01/26/2026	Not Reported	Add
February	02/02/2026	Not Reported	Add

Record Complete on Weekly RPV Calendar View

NHSN Home

- Alerts
- Dashboard
- Reporting Plan
- Resident
- Staff
- Event
- Summary Data
- Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination
- RPV Summary**

Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination (RPV) Summary Data

Click a cell to begin entering data for the week which counts are reported.

Reporting of medical events or health problems that occur after vaccination (possible side effects) is encouraged, even if you are not sure they are the result of vaccination, at <https://vaers.hhs.gov/reportevent.html>.

15 December 2025 - 25 January 2026

Partially Complete

Record Complete Record Incomplete Record

Weekly RPV Calendar

01/05/2026 (Monday) - 01/11/2026 (Sunday)

- COVID-19: HCP
- RPV: Residents

- The record will turn green on the calendar view once all required data has been saved and submitted.

Additional Reminders

Reporting Vaccination Data on Healthcare Personnel

Reporting Annual Influenza Vaccination Data on Healthcare Personnel

- The reporting period for the 2025-2026 influenza season is from October 1, 2025, through March 31, 2026.
- Data is reported through the **Healthcare Personnel Safety Component**.
- Facilities are required to submit one report covering the entire influenza season.
- The deadline to report this data is May 18, 2026.
- Resources: [HCP Flu Vaccination | HPS | NHSN | CDC](#)

CMS reporting requirements for LTCF healthcare personnel (HCP)

- LTCFs are only required to report **HCP** COVID-19 vaccination data for one week per month, due on a **quarterly** basis (CMS Quality Reporting Program).
 - Users can select any week to report data.
 - The week-end date determines the month.
 - **Example:** Reporting data for the week of March 27, 2026, through April 3, 2026, counts as submitting data for a week in April.

Reminder: Facilities should contact CMS with questions about reporting requirements and quality reporting programs:

- Long-term care facilities weekly reporting: DNH_TriageTeam@cms.hhs.gov
- Skilled nursing facilities HCP quality reporting programs: SNFQualityQuestions@cms.hhs.gov

Up to Date COVID-19 Vaccination

Definition: Quarters 1 and 2 of 2026

Up to Date with COVID-19 Vaccines: Definition for Quarters 1 and 2 of 2026 (12/29/26 through 6/28/26)

- **Individuals aged 65 years and older and those who are moderately or severely immunocompromised are Up to Date when they have:**
 - Received 2 doses of the 2025-2026 COVID-19 vaccine or
 - Received 1 dose of the 2025-2026 COVID-19 vaccine within the past 6 months
- **Individuals younger than 65 years of age are Up to Date when they have:**
 - Received 1 dose of the 2025-2026 COVID-19 vaccine

Up to Date with COVID-19 Vaccines: Definition for Quarters 1 and 2 of 2026 (12/29/26 through 6/28/26) [cont.]

- **Example:** If an individual is *65 years old* and received their first dose of the 2025-2026 COVID-19 vaccine on December 15, 2025, then they would need to receive their second dose after June 15, 2026, to remain Up to Date with COVID-19 vaccines.

Note: Users should review the [COVID-19 Vaccination Modules: Understanding Key Terms and Up to Date Vaccination](#) document at least once per quarter to check for definition updates.

Contact Information in NHSN

Updated Facility Administrator

- Please ensure the facility administrator for your facility is updated with the most current information.
- Accurate facility administrator information is integral for the data quality outreach conducted by the NHSN team.
 - The individual listed as the NHSN facility administrator will receive email communication from NHSN regarding data quality as well as updates and announcements.
- For assistance on updating the facility administrator, please follow the steps outlined here: [Change NHSN Facility Administrator | NHSN | CDC](#)

How to Identify Current Facility Administrator

NHSN Home

NHSN Long Term Care

- Alerts
- Dashboard
- Reporting Plan
- Resident
- Staff
- Event
- Summary Data
- Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination
- RPV Summary
- Import/Export
- Surveys
- Analysis
- Users
- Facility**
 - Customize Forms
 - Facility Info**
 - Add/Edit Component
 - Locations
 - Direct Enroll
- Group
- Cheat Sheets
- Logout

- Navigate to “Facility” > “Facility Info” > “Contact Information.”
- Under contact information, you can see who the assigned facility administrator is along with their email address and phone number.
- For steps on updating the facility administrator, visit: [Change NHSN Facility Administrator | NHSN | CDC](#)

Contact Information

	Contact Type	Contact Name	Phone No.+ext	Email	Action
Edit	Facility Administrator				Reassign
Edit	Healthcare Personnel Primary Contact				Reassign
Edit	Microbiology Laboratory Director/Supervisor				Reassign
Edit	Long Term Care Facility Primary Contact				Reassign

Resource: Long-term Care Respiratory Pathogens

- [LTCF | Respiratory Pathogens and Vaccination | NHSN | CDC](#)
 - Data Collection Forms
 - Tables of Instructions
 - .CSV templates
 - .CSV file layout documents
 - Guidance documents

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