

NHSN Website Refresh Quick Reference Guide (QRG)

Why We Refreshed

- The NHSN website is a vital resource for healthcare facilities and supports use of the NHSN Application
- Needs assessment data and user interviews identified several barriers to using key sections of the site

What We Aimed to Achieve

- Make key content easier to find
- Reduce website clutter
- Improve content readability
- Reorganize and streamline webpage layout

Most Notable Changes

- Easier access to frequently used NHSN resources
- Reporting and Surveillance Resources (such as Modules/Events) organized by Facility Type or NHSN Component

Navigating Redesigned Sections of the NHSN Website

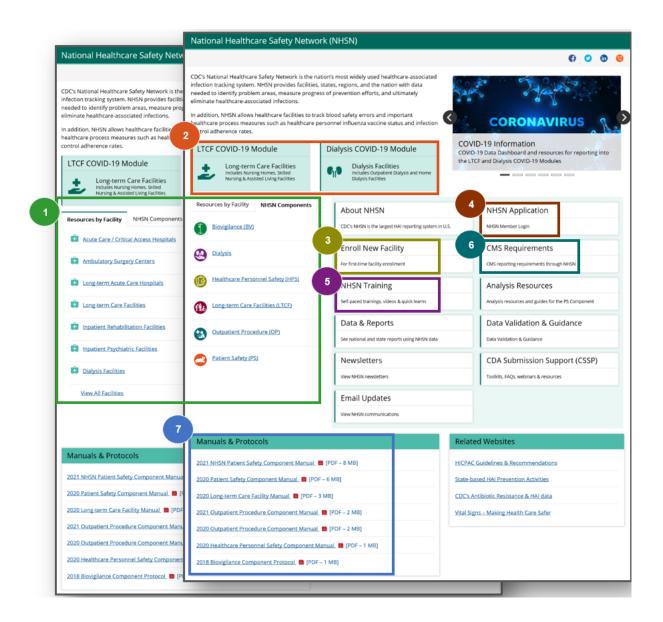
- This QRG will help you navigate newly redesigned key sections of the NHSN website:
 - Page 2 NHSN Home Webpage
 - Page 3 Long-term Care Facilities Component Landing Webpage Layout
 - Page 4 Long-term Care Facilities Component Module/Event Webpage Layout



NHSN Home Webpage

Numbered Guide to Select Webpage Resources

- 1. Reporting and Surveillance resources (accessible by Facility Type or NHSN Component)
- 2. COVID-19 Modules
- 3. New Facility Enrollment
- 4. NHSN Application
- 5. NHSN Training Resources
- 6. CMS Requirements
- 7. Manuals & Protocols



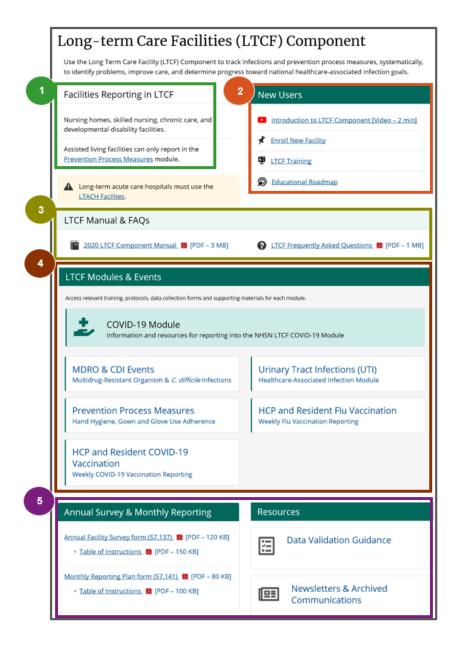


Long-term Care Facilities Component Landing Webpage

Take Note- All redesigned Facility Landing webpages and NHSN Component Landing webpages have a similar layout and access to resources, pertinent to that specific facility or NHSN Component. The screen shots (below) illustrate typical resources and layout for the Long-term Care Facilities (LTCF) Component.

Numbered Guide to Select Webpage Resources

- 1. Facilities Reporting in the LTCF Component
- 2. New User Resources such as Enroll New Facility and Training and Educational Resources
- 3. LTCF Component Manual and FAQs
- 4. LTCF Modules & Events, including COVID-19 Module
- 5. Annual Survey & Monthly Reporting and Additional Resources





Long-term Care Facilities Component Module/Event Webpage

Take Note- All Module/Event webpages have a similar layout and access to resources, pertinent to that specific module/event. The screen shot (below) illustrates typical resources (*not all resources*) and layout for the LTCF Component's modules/events, specifically MDRO & CDI, Urinary Tract Infections, and Prevention Process Measures.

Numbered Guide to Select Webpage Resources

- 1. Protocols
- 2. Training and Educational Resources
- 3. Supporting Chapters
- 4. FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions)
- 5. Data Collection Forms and Instructions
- 6. Supporting Materials and Analysis Resources
- 7. Monthly Reporting Plan and Annual Facility Survey

