

# HHS HAI Programs & Resources to Support States

Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion (CDC)

<http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp>

Healthcare Infection Control Practices Advisory Committee Guidelines  
(CDC)

[http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/hicpac\\_pubs.html](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/hicpac_pubs.html)

National Healthcare Safety Network (CDC)

<http://www.cdc.gov/NHSN> and [nhsn@cdc.gov](mailto:nhsn@cdc.gov)

Prevention of Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections: Audio  
Feature (AHRQ)

<http://www.healthcare411.ahrq.gov/featureAudio.aspx?id=939>

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Quality Improvement Organizations (CMS)

Background

Medicare Quality Improvement Community (MedQIC)

<http://www.qualitynet.org/medqic>

How to Partner with QIOs

QIO Synergy

<http://www.qiosynergy.org>

All Medicare Quality Improvement Work

CMS Quality of Care Center

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/center/quality.asp>

# Points of Contact & Important Links

Questions?

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HHS Action Plan to Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections

<http://www.hhs.gov/ophs/initiatives/hai>

State HAI Plan Template

<http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/stateHAIplan.html>

- CDC's Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion  
<http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/>
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# Resources for Review



- **Recovery.gov**
  - <http://www.recovery.gov/?q=content/recipient-reporting>
- **Whitehouse.gov**
  - Webinars – <http://www.whitehouse.gov/recovery/webinartrainingmaterials/>
  - FAQs – [http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/recovery\\_faqs/](http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/recovery_faqs/)
- **Federalreporting.gov**
  - FAQs – <https://www.federalreporting.gov/federalreporting/faq.do>
- **CDC Recovery Act Resources**
  - [http://www.cdc.gov/fmo/topic/Recovery\\_Act/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/fmo/topic/Recovery_Act/index.html)
- **Recipient Reporting Readiness Tool**
  - <http://taggs.hhs.gov/ReadinessTool/index.cfm>



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# QUESTIONS?

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<http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/library.html>

<http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/training.html>