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 Biovigilance Component Landing Webpage Layout
  Page 4 Blood Safety/Hemovigilance Module Webpage Layout

⚠️ Review & Update Your Bookmarks as Needed ⚠️

Contact us for questions or comments at NHSNTrain@cdc.gov
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
Biovigilance 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 Biovigilance Component (BV).

Numbered Guide to Select Webpage Resources

1. Facilities Reporting in BV Component
2. New User Resources such as Enroll New Facility and Training and Educational Resources
3. Hemovigilance (HV) Module Protocol
4. Hemovigilance Modules & Events
5. BV Resources such as Frequently Asked Questions
Blood Safety/Hemovigilance Module 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 layout and select resources (**not all resources**) for the Biovigilance Component’s Blood Safety/Hemovigilance module.

**Numbered Guide to Select Webpage Resources**

1. Protocols
2. Training and Educational Resources
3. Supporting Chapters
4. FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions)
5. Quick Reference Guides
6. Data Collection Forms and Instructions
7. Supporting Materials and Analysis Resources