Users who migrated from Level-1 to Level-3 SAMS security access and received a SAMS grid card, please follow the directions below to enter the NHSN application:


   ![Diagram showing login options]

   **Level 1 Access Only**
   *Users will not have access to SVH Event Form*

   **Level 3 Access**

2. Once you have entered SAMS Grid Card credentials, you will reach the SAMS Landing page to access NHSN.
   a. Underneath the National Healthcare Safety Network System header please select the “NHSN Reporting” link.

   *DO NOT access the “NHSN LTC Reporting” option, as this option will direct you to level one security.*
3. Once you select “NHSN Reporting” you will be directed to the NHSN Landing Page.

- Select Long-Term Care Facility Component in the drop down
- Select your Facility/Group
- Click “submit” to be directed to the facility homepage
4. On the left-hand navigation panel, select > **COVID-19** > **VA COVID-19 Event** to access the event form to report.