Make sure you share your comments with the Commission on Safety and Quality in Nursing Homes before time runs out. The deadline is 5 PM ET tomorrow (July 17).

Yesterday's Headlines:

New/Updated Guidance
- The Other Side of the Stop Sign: How We’re Working to Keep Residents Safe and Healthy During COVID-19
- How to obtain a CLIA Certificate of Waiver
- QIOs uncertain how newly announced CMS plans will help many nursing homes

News Reports
- Care home refused free tests. Now, nearly everyone has virus
- Federal Government Will Send Point-of-Care COVID-19 Testing Units, Kits to All Nursing Homes in U.S.
- The Flu May Linger in the Air, Just Like the Coronavirus
- Universal testing may help reduce COVID-19 infections, deaths in long-term care facilities
- Without a Waiver, Nursing Homes Won’t Receive Point-of-Care Testing Units Under New Federal Push
- Assisted living communities tapped for potential COVID-19 hospital transfers in Arizona
• Mentorship model guides long-term care facilities through COVID-19 crisis

• Nursing facilities in ‘hot spots’ to receive first batch of COVID-19 test equipment

• Time to Leverage Health System Collaborations: Supporting Nursing Facilities Through the COVID-19 Pandemic

• CMS to expedite review of CLIA waivers for COVID-19 point-of-care tests

• AHCA/NCAL: Urgent Attention Needed to Prevent COVID Outbreaks in Long Term Care Facilities With Major Spike in New Cases; Urge Caution and Thoughtful Approach In Reopening Facilities

Journal Articles

• Factors Associated With Death in Critically Ill Patients With Coronavirus Disease 2019 in the US

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