Headlines:

New/Updated Guidance

- Clinical Assessment Tracking Form
- Employee Assessment Tracking Form
- CMS’ New One-Stop Nursing Home Resource Center Assists Providers, Caregivers, Residents

News Reports

- States say they lack federal funds to distribute coronavirus vaccine as CDC tells them to be ready by Nov. 15
- About 17% of COVID-19 Survivors Retest Positive in Follow-Up Study
- Patients Testing Positive for Both COVID and Flu
- State Mask Stockpiling Orders Are Hurting Nursing Homes
- Scientists and public health officials need to address vaccine mistrust instead of dismissing it
- The Pandemic Is in Uncharted Territory

Journal Articles
- Nursing Homes’ Next Test—Vaccinating Workers Against COVID-19
- COVID-19 Test Result Turnaround Time for Residents and Staff in US Nursing Homes
- JAMDA: Building long-term care staff capacity during COVID-19 through just-in-time learning: Evaluation of a modified ECHO model
- SARS-CoV-2 Neutralizing Antibody LY-CoV555 in Outpatients with Covid-19
- Mild or Moderate Covid-19
- COVID-19, When fourteen days are not enough -- A case series of affected healthcare workers
- MMWR: Transmission of SARS-COV-2 Infections in Households — Tennessee and Wisconsin, April–September 2020

Podcasts/Webinars

- FMDA Journal Club: COVID-19 Impact: Navigating the Potholes, November 4, 12:00 PM ET
- CMS-CDC Fundamentals of COVID-19 Prevention for Nursing Home Management Live Q&A Sessions, November 5, 4:00 PM ET
- CMS COVID-19 Preparedness Training for Nursing Homes

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