



Resources from National Long-Term Care Family Webinar: Safe Visitation Through Boosters

Resources appear in the order that they were mentioned in the webinar.

Health Affairs abstract for 'AGE-FRIENDLY HEALTH: Informal Caregivers Provide Considerable Front-Line Support In Residential Care Facilities And Nursing Homes,' published Jan 4, 2022
<https://www.healthaffairs.org/doi/abs/10.1377/hlthaff.2021.01239>

The Booster Toolkit developed by HHS's We Can Do This campaign is now available in Spanish, Vietnamese, Chinese (Traditional and Simplified), Korean, and Tagalog
<https://wecandothis.hhs.gov/>

ACL COVID-19 website
<https://acl.gov/COVID-19>

Find the latest vaccine-related information, guidance, and resources from ACL and our partners.
<https://acl.gov/node/7053>

View the latest CMS visitation guidance and the revised FAQs
<https://www.cms.gov/files/document/qso-20-39-nh-revised.pdf>

CMS's 'How to Safely Visit Nursing Homes' infographic
<https://www.cms.gov/files/document/how-safely-visit-nursing-homes.pdf>

FAQs for Healthcare Providers during the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency: Federal Civil Rights Protections for Individuals with Disabilities under Section 504 and Section 1557
<https://www.hhs.gov/civil-rights/for-providers/civil-rights-covid19/disability-faqs/index.html>

In the FAQs, OCR clarified that federal civil rights laws apply to:

- Health care providers, including those administering COVID-19 testing, medical supplies, and medication.
- Entities providing hospitalization, long-term care, intensive treatments, and

critical care, such as oxygen therapy and mechanical ventilators.

- State Crisis Standard of Care plans, procedures, and related standards for triaging scarce resources that hospitals are required to follow.

CMS Care Compare website

<https://www.medicare.gov/care-compare/>

List of CMS regional offices

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coding/ICD10/CMS-Regional-Offices>

Find your local Ombudsman program

https://theconsumervoice.org/get_help

ACL Updates newsletter sign-up

<https://cloud.connect.hhs.gov/acl-subscriptions>

New York Times story on boosters.

<https://www.nytimes.com/2022/01/21/health/cdc-covid-booster-omicron.html>

CMS testing requirements and guidance for staff and residents

<https://www.cms.gov/files/document/qso-20-38-nh-revised.pdf>

For people who need help finding a booster dose:

The Disability Information and Assistance Line (DIAL) can be reached by calling 888-677-1199 or email DIAL@usaginganddisability.org.

Call the Eldercare Locator at 800-677-1116 or visit the website to chat live or browse resources.