

## CDC/NHSN Long-Term Care Facility (LTCF) Component

### Summary of Modifications, January 2024

This document summarizes the significant modifications and clarifications made to NHSN Long-Term Care Facility Component. Modifications will apply to events identified on or after January 1, 2024.

Impacted Infection Event/Module	Summary of Modifications
LTCF Component	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guidance documents have been added to the <a href="#">NHSN Long-term Care Facility Component</a> website to assist with required and optional reporting for Long-term care facilities.</li> </ul>
Urinary Tract Infection (UTI) Event Module	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acute Dysuria added to CA-SUTI criteria</li> </ul>
Laboratory-identified (LabID) Multidrug-Resistant Organism (MDRO) & <i>Clostridium difficile</i> Infection (CDI) Event Module	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No change</li> </ul>
Prevention Process Measures Module	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No change</li> </ul>
Monthly Reporting Plan for LTCF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No change</li> </ul>
Annual Facility Survey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Questions (2; 6-9) were modified to (1) include pathogens that affect nursing home populations and (2) align with CDC considerations for use of enhanced barrier precautions (EBP) in skilled nursing facilities for MDRO's: <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/hicpac/workgroup/EnhancedBarrierPrecautions.html">https://www.cdc.gov/hicpac/workgroup/EnhancedBarrierPrecautions.html</a>.</li> </ul>