



Training / Education Resources for COVID-19

Residential Care Facilities

General Guidance

Education of staff is a key part of infection control in residential care facilities. The following resources are available to assist in training staff on hand hygiene, personal protective equipment, general infection control practices, and monitoring residents. Facility specific protocols should also be a part of training.

COVID-19 Prevention and Control

[COVID-19 Infection Prevention and Control](#), includes video, posters, and tool kits specific to nursing homes and long-term care facilities. Videos include infection prevention and control guidance, how to protect residents from COVID-19, recognizing new or worsening infections in residents, when and how to use PPE correctly, know how and when to clean/disinfect, and how and when to perform hand hygiene. Project First Line/CDC

Additional Videos on Hand Hygiene

- [Hand Hygiene in Healthcare Settings](#) includes *Guidance, Education Courses, Show me the Science*, CDC
- **Video** [Handwashing – What You Need to Know](#), CDC

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

- [Using PPE](#) provides *information and posters* on how to put on (don) and take off (doff) PPE, CDC
- [PPE Q&A](#), CDC
- **Video** [Use PPE Correctly for COVID-19 for Long-Term Care Staff](#), CDC
- **Video** [How to Don \(Put On\) PPE](#), CDC
- **Video** [How to Doff \(Take Off\) PPE](#), CDC

Print Resources

[Print Resources](#) provides print-only materials developed to support COVID-19 recommendations. Sample posters/letters that can be used for staff/resident education (can be filtered by audience and topics). CDC

Documentation

It's important to document staff education/training. For competency training it is typical to provide a test and/or a list of steps that signifies the trainee is proficient. Minimally document the subject of the training, method used, and source of information (attach applicable training materials used). In addition, the name/signature/title/date of the individual receiving the training, and the name/signature/title/date of the individual facilitating or providing the training.

Sample Documentation of Training

- **Form** [Documentation of Training](#), ICHD

Sample Competency Validation Forms (permission to use granted by SPICE 3/21)

- **Form** [PPE Competency Validation](#), SPICE, University of North Carolina
- **Form** [Hand Hygiene Competency Validation](#), SPICE, University of North Carolina