

# National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN)

## Support from the HAI/AR Program

### How can we help you?



#### Data Reporting Questions (Requirements vary by Facility Type)

- Annual Facility Survey
- Staff Vaccination Data
- Respiratory Pathogens Vaccination (RPV) Data
- Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Data
- Optional SNF COVID-19 Point of Care (POC) Testing
- Antimicrobial Use and Resistance Module



#### Data Quality Concerns

- Quality Control Review and Outreach
- Data Analysis and Interpretation
- Tips for Surveillance and Reporting
- New Staff Education on NHSN Reporting
- NHSN User Group Calls



#### Technical Assistance

- Planning for Staff Turnover
- Adding or Removing NHSN Users and Back-Ups
- Reassigning NHSN Facility Administrators
- Group User Account Support
- Creating Custom Reports

### NHSN User Group Calls

- Long-Term Care (LTC) Monthly User Group Calls are scheduled 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month from 11:00am-12:00pm. Please [register](#) in advance.
- Hospital User Group Calls are scheduled every other month (odd months) on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday from 10:30-11:30am. Please [register](#) in advance.
- Antimicrobial Use (AU) User Group Calls are scheduled quarterly on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday from 12:00-12:50pm. Please [register](#) in advance.



### NHSN Resources

[LTCF Respiratory Pathogens Module](#)

[Healthcare Personnel Safety Component](#)

[Patient Safety Component for HAIs](#)

[Antimicrobial Use and Resistance \(AUR\) Options](#)

[NHSN Training Page](#)

### Get in touch with us!

The Healthcare Associated Infection and Antibiotic Resistance (HAI/AR) Program includes two teams who regularly work with NHSN data.

#### NHSN Epi Team

Our NHSN Epi Team includes a consultant, epidemiologists, and an NHSN Administrator.

Contact our team at [NHSNEpi@doh.wa.gov](mailto:NHSNEpi@doh.wa.gov)

#### AMS Team

Our AMS team consists of an epidemiologist, pharmacist, and physician.

Contact our team at [AMS@doh.wa.gov](mailto:AMS@doh.wa.gov)



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