

Skilled Nursing Facility Honors Program



The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health SNF Honors Program is designed to provide special recognition to facilities for outstanding performance in public health engagement, vaccination coverage, infection prevention and control (IPC) program structure, and preventive action. The SNF Honors Program cycles annually with criteria for completion available from August through May of the Program season.

Public Health Engagement

**SNFs must
complete the
Contacts Form
AND
one other Criteria**

- Update facility information with the [SNF Contacts Form](#) at least once
- Attend at least **6 Ask an IP sessions**
- Sign up for **PSIE** (the [Patient Safety and Information Exchange](#))
 - Email PSIE@ph.lacounty.gov to get started
 - If you are already registered, please complete one of the other Criteria
- Attend 2 [Regional Healthcare Network](#) (RHN) sessions
 - Email RHN@ph.lacounty.gov with questions or submit [the RHN Contact Form](#) to make sure you get meeting invitations

Vaccination Coverage

**SNFs must meet
at least ONE**

- For the 2025-2026 winter respiratory season the facility must report coverage into NHSN:
- **HCP Influenza** vaccine coverage of **90% or higher** for the season
 - **Resident COVID-19** vaccine coverage of **80% or higher** for any single reporting week

Infection Prevention & Control Program Structure

**SNFs must meet
BOTH**

- Email a screenshot of the facility IP's [CBIC](#) Certification to LACSNF@ph.lacounty.gov that includes name, certification type, and CBIC ID number
- [Submit a form](#) indicating the facility has employed the same individual in the IP role for at least 1 year

Preventive Action

**SNFs must meet
at least ONE**

- Conduct 1 **ICAR** – [learn more and request a visit](#)
- Complete 1 **prospective MDRO PPS**
 - Email HAI@ph.lacounty.gov to get started

