

Nursing Home Testing Grid	
Topic	Key Statements, Web Links, Suggested Keywords
<p>Federal and State Regulatory Requirements, QSO Memos and CDC as a Resource for COVID-19 Standard of Care</p>	<p>Facilities must comply with federal regulations and requirements, as well as state statutes and regulations.</p> <p>Federal Regulations and QSO Guidance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appendix PP • QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23 2022 <p>State Statutes and Regulations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NF/SNF: 310:675-7-17.1 (Infection Control) <p style="text-align: center;">CDC provides guidance on the Standard of Care for COVID-19.</p>
<p>Definitions</p>	<p>Facility Staff - employees, consultants, contractors, volunteers, and caregivers who provide care and services to residents on behalf of the facility, and students in the facility's nurse aide training programs or from affiliated academic institutions</p> <p style="text-align: center;">QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p> <p>Healthcare settings - refers to places where healthcare is delivered and includes, but is not limited to, acute care facilities, long term acute care facilities, inpatient rehabilitation facilities, nursing homes and assisted living facilities, home healthcare, vehicles where healthcare is delivered (e.g., mobile clinics), and outpatient facilities, such as dialysis centers, physician offices, and others. (Reference: CDC)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Terminology HCP Infection Control Guidelines Library CDC</p> <p>Standard of Care - the degree of care or competence that one is expected to exercise in a particular circumstance or role. (Merriam Webster)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Standard of care Definition & Meaning Merriam-Webster Legal</p>
<p>Transmission Levels (also known as Community Transmission Levels) - for healthcare setting use</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>COVID-19</i> Transmission Levels by County (Blue, Yellow, Orange, Red)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Click on the link below, select Oklahoma and a specific county to see county Transmission Levels</p> <p style="text-align: center;">CDC COVID Data Tracker: County View – Transmission Levels</p>
<p>Routine Interval Testing for Staff and Residents (not generally recommended)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23/2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Key Words: Routine Testing)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDC links below provided guidance related to routine testing <p style="text-align: center;">(Keywords: Testing, Screening [Testing])</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Healthcare Personnel During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic CDC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Interim Guidance for Managing Healthcare Personnel with SARS-CoV-2 Infection or Exposure to SARS-CoV-2 CDC</p>

Symptomatic Staff and Residents	<p>QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23/2022 (Key Words: Symptomatic) QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDC links below provided guidance related to symptomatic staff and residents <p>(Keywords: Testing, Symptomatic) Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Healthcare Personnel During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic CDC</p>
Newly Admitted Residents or Left Facility > 24 Hours	<p>QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23/2022 (Key Words: New Admissions, Leave) QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDC links below provided guidance related to new admissions <p>(Keywords: Admission, Leave, Testing) Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Healthcare Personnel During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic CDC</p>
Asymptomatic Residents/Staff with Close Contact to Someone with COVID	<p>QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23/2022 (Key Words: Close Contact) QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDC links below provided guidance related to asymptomatic residents and staff with close contact to someone with COVID-19 <p>(Keywords: Asymptomatic, Close Contact, Testing) Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Healthcare Personnel During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic CDC Interim Guidance for Managing Healthcare Personnel with SARS-CoV-2 Infection or Exposure to SARS-CoV-2 CDC</p>
Outbreak	<p>QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23/2022 (Key Words: Outbreak) QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDC links below provided guidance related to testing during an outbreak <p>(Keywords: Outbreak, Series) Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Healthcare Personnel During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic CDC Interim Guidance for Managing Healthcare Personnel with SARS-CoV-2 Infection or Exposure to SARS-CoV-2 CDC</p>
Refusal of Testing	<p>QSO 20-38-NH Revised 09/23/2022 (Key Words: Refusal) QSO-20-38-NH REVISED 09/23/2022 (cms.gov)</p>