



HEALTH QUALITY INNOVATORS

Adult Day Infection Control Model Policies

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Goals

1. Develop model policies in accordance with state regulations/requirements that reflect current best practices for infection control and prevention in adult day settings.
2. Provide model infection control policies that can be easily adapted throughout adult day centers (ADCs) in Virginia.
3. Support implementation of updated infection prevention policies.

What Does Success Look Like?

- Greater consistency in infection prevention and control policies of Virginia ADCs.
- Increased capacity to prevent and control infections.
- Preparedness to respond quickly and appropriately to future infectious disease threats.
- Decreased risk of participants, employees, family members and service providers getting an ADC-acquired infection and infecting others.

Steps to Success

1. Review and Synthesis of Existing Information

- Summarize current ADC infection prevention needs and policies
- Conduct environmental scan and literature review
- Review of Adult Day Care Infection Prevention Assessment Feedback

2. Policy Development

- Establish policy development workgroup
- Provide draft policies for review and create final policies

3. Implementation Support

- Provide resources for policy implementation and sustainment
- Provide opportunities for peer-to-peer learning

We Need You!

Join our ADC Infection Prevention Policy Workgroup

- Learn about infection prevention best practices of other ADCs
- Receive support for policy adoption and implementation
- 5-7 ADC representatives
 - ✓ For-profit and non-profit
 - ✓ Large and small centers
 - ✓ Multi-site and single site
 - ✓ Stand-alone and partnered
 - ✓ Medicaid and private-pay
 - ✓ Family member representative
 - ✓ Department of Social Services (DSS) representative

We Need You!

Join our ADC Infection Prevention Policy Workgroup and share your infection prevention assessment feedback:

Please complete this form, or use the QR code, to express your interest in joining the Workgroup:

- <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=D4150uKfrE698WbJiQNCyc5szk-Udv1Dq82brU6CT6BUNDIGQ0I1N05GMUJBSFISMTNCUFVYQ09IViQIQCN0PWcu>



Email your infection prevention assessment feedback to Felicity Wood at:

- fwood@hqi.solutions

Workgroup Duties and Responsibilities

Your time is valuable! What you can expect...

- Attend weekly meetings through July 2023
- Be available for approximately 1 hour each week for meetings via a virtual platform
- Be an advocate for all licensed VA centers to develop model and best practice infection prevention policies
- Review draft and final policies prior to the meetings & bring comments to the meetings for discussion
- Be an active participant in the workgroup

Current Workgroup Members

- Heather Pollard, Circle Center Adult Day
- Phonya Lewis, Ascend Health Adult Retreat
- Jessica Peters, Insight Memory Care Center
- Marjorie Burris, Fairfax County Department of Neighborhood and Community Services
- Carla Groff, Bedford Adult Day Center
- Michael DiGeronimo, Arlington Adult Day Program
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