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Inland Empire Health Plan



To: Skilled Nursing Facilities
From: IEHP – Provider Relations
Date: July 10, 2017
Subject: Antibiotic Stewardship Program (ASP) Survey

IMPORTANT – RESPONSE REQUIRED

New legislation from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) requires that each Long Term Care (LTC) and Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) adopts and implements an antimicrobial stewardship policy (ASP) by January 1, 2017. The policy must align with the antimicrobial stewardship guidelines developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Inland Empire Health Plan (IEHP) is requesting that network LTC and SNF Providers complete the “Checklist for Core Element of Antibiotic Stewardship in Nursing Homes” questionnaire. The IEHP Antibiotic Stewardship Program (ASP) Workgroup will review the questionnaire responses.

Your feedback is extremely important, and we ask that you please complete the ASP survey by going to the link below so that IEHP can better serve your organization.

ASP Survey (Checklist for Core Elements of Antibiotic Stewardship in Nursing Homes):

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/6TDXX2Z>

DEADLINE TO COMPLETE ASP SURVEY:
THURSDAY, JULY 27, 2017

A link to the ASP Survey can also be accessed by opening this correspondence via the IEHP Provider correspondence page at: <https://ww3.iehp.org/en/providers/correspondence/>.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the IEHP Provider Relations Team at (909) 890-2054.