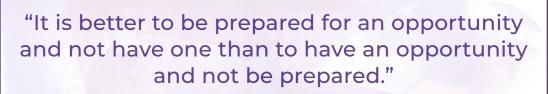
## WELCOME TO LONG-TERM CARE

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## As flu season approaches, here are a few tips take to achieve the best outcome!!!

- Does your Medical Director plan to administer Tamiflu?
- Don't forget to assess kidney function.
  Do this sooner rather than later!!!
- $\Box$  Place your signs up.
- Educate and provide information sheet to resident/resident representative.
- Obtain a verbal/ or signed consents.
  Document who you spoke to, when you and what you spoke about.
- Have your line listing ready and educate off shift staff on how to complete it.
- If you are in Pennsylvania, remember to report to PA-PSRS (Patient Safety Authority)
- If resident/ resident representative declines flu vaccine, educate on the risk -vs-benefits. Identify why they decline, document in nurses notes and update care plan!!!
- Will you have vaccine clinic for your staff?
- Keep a line listing of your staff if they accept or decline as well.

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- Work with billing office for residents who receive the Influenza vaccine.
- This is a good time to do hand hygiene competencies.

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 $\Box$  Have private rooms readily available.

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