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MEMORANDUM

Date: April 16, 2024

To: Hospital Chief Executive Officers, Quality Liaisons/Managers, Infection Preventionists and NHSN Administrators

Cc: IDPH Office of Health Care Regulation, Illinois Health and Hospital Association

From: Chinyere Alu, MPH, CPHQ
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Re: Preview period for Illinois Hospital Report Card

The 30-day preview for the [Illinois Hospital Report Card and Consumer Guide to Healthcare](#) (Hospital Report Card) is scheduled for early May 2024. As required by law ([PA 93-0563](#)), prior to publishing new facility-specific data online, the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) provides facilities with 30 days to review their data and submit any necessary corrections or clarifications. IDPH plans to publish the next Hospital Report Card update in summer 2024.

IDPH will host a webinar to provide updates, general hospital reporting information, live demo facility preview process, and answer questions on the Illinois Hospital Report Card. Registration to the webinar is required.

Webinar Date: April 29th, 2024 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am (CST)

To register, click on the WebEx link below. Please ensure when registering that your name and email are correctly spelled.

Link:

<https://illinois.webex.com/weblink/register/rde2e5e6f49649ca637d98663cbf0a81c>

Following the webinar, a notice of the 30-day preview will be sent to hospitals and ASTCs to review their data. It will contain instructions for login access. Facilities should follow the instructions noted in the emails to log into the system and either acknowledge approval of their data or request corrections. A facility's failure to respond before the deadline will be assumed to imply approval of its data.

Please contact IDPH's Division of Patient Safety and Quality at dph.hrcpreview@illinois.gov for any questions you may have regarding this preview, including login access for additional users. Thank you for your cooperation.