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Good Morning,

A CheckPoint Preview Report is now available for the following NHSN infection measures for the 2022Q4 – 2023Q3 period and will be released to the public reports on **3/7/2024**

- CAUTI-this report is now pulled from the CMS folder within NHSN. Instructions attached.
- CLABSI
- *Clostridioides difficile* Infections
- MRSA Infections
- SSI-Colon Surgery
- SSI-Abdominal Hysterectomy

You may view the Preview Report by clicking on the **Hospital Login** option on the orange menu bar, **Preview Report**, selecting a hospital. You can either click [See All Measures](#) and scroll to the appropriate measure family or open a single family by clicking its name.

Instructions are attached and can also be found on CheckPoint under **Resources > For Hospitals > Infection Measure Reporting Guide** if you wish to validate the NHSN data reported for your hospital(s) or notice a discrepancy from your expected results.

**Now Available:**

**Patient Experience (HCAHPS)** for report period 4/1/2022-3/31/2023

Please contact me if you identify an error or see unexpected results.

Thank you,

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**Reminder: Advocacy Day:**



## Four Weeks Away: Advocacy Day 2024

Advocacy Day is right around the corner with only four weeks until nearly 1,000 grassroots advocates gather in Madison for a day of learning and advocating on important health care issues facing our state.

This year's event will be held at the Monona Terrace in Madison on **Wednesday, March 20, 2024**, and will feature keynote speaker Rick Pollack, President and CEO of the American Hospital Association. Additionally, WHA will have an outstanding bipartisan legislative panel with lawmakers who will share their insights on health care issues and the policymaking process.

There is no cost to attend Advocacy Day, but pre-registration is required. [Register here.](#)



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**See what past attendees have to say about Advocacy Day...**

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Advocacy Day is a great way to **empower individuals at all levels** to speak with one voice on the issues affecting themselves, their health system, and most importantly, their patients.

**WHA** demystifies the process of lobbying and **makes the issues and the legislators accessible, which is of tremendous value.** ”

ADVOCACY DAY 2023 ATTENDEE

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WHA Advocacy Day brings together passionate health care advocates from throughout Wisconsin, and the brilliantly orchestrated program and event energizes individuals and groups to come together under the guidance of extraordinary leadership to

**share a strong voice with incredible impact.** ”

ADVOCACY DAY 2023 ATTENDEE



Legislative visits are an opportunity to directly connect with your state lawmakers on health care issues and share your experiences in your hospital or health system.

### Meeting Logistics

- All visits will be in person. WHA staff will schedule your legislative visit jointly with your State Senator and State Representative, based on your home address. You will attend with other constituents of your home district.
- Meetings will last approximately 30 minutes and are scheduled at 2:15-2:45 p.m. and 3:00-3:30 p.m. on March 20.

To prepare advocates for Advocacy Day, WHA staff will hold a **Pre-Advocacy Day Webinar** on **Wednesday, March 13**. This webinar will provide an overview of how

legislative visits work, logistics of visiting the State Capitol, why these visits are important, and the topics WHA will ask you to discuss during your legislative appointments. This webinar will be recorded and emailed to all registered attendees. Attend this live webinar to ask your questions. To register for this webinar, please click [here](#).

If you have any questions related to the visits, please contact WHA's Maria Stuessy at [mstuessy@wha.org](mailto:mstuessy@wha.org).

# KEYNOTE ANNOUNCED



**Rick Pollack**  
President & CEO, American Hospital Association

**ADVOCACY DAY 2024**



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