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Subject: CheckPoint Alert: 2021Q1 Preview Reports for NHSN Infections through 10/1/2021

A CheckPoint Preview Report is now available for the following NHSN infection measures for the 2020Q2 – 2021Q1 period and will be released to the public reports on **10/1/2021**:

- CAUTI
- 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, signing-in, then clicking **Preview Report** and selecting a hospital. You can either click [See All Measures](#) and scroll to the Infections measure family, or open just the Infections section by clicking its name. The report provides lower and upper confidence limits to validate the star ratings. These are awarded using the method described under **Resources > For Hospitals > CheckPoint Star Rating**.

Instructions are provided 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.

Please contact me if you identify an error, see unexpected results, or are unsure why a special case code (e.g. "DNR" or "IP") are reported.

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