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Webinar Invite: Partnering to Prepare Long-term Care Facilities for COVID-19

Please join the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) Bureau of Infectious Diseases for a webinar about prevention and control of COVID-19 in long-term care settings. Long-term care facilities (LTCFs) are at high risk of severe COVID-19 outbreaks due to their congregate nature and vulnerable populations. In this webinar, you will hear from fellow nursing facilities, representatives of ODH and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention on strategies to prevent and limit the spread of COVID-19. Topics will include:

- Welcome by ODH Director Dr. Amy Acton
- Communication
- Early and aggressive intervention when identifying suspected cases
- Cohorting residents and staff
- Personal protective equipment: appropriate use and reuse
- Hand and environmental hygiene

Intended audience:

- LTCF administrators, directors of nursing, infection prevention staff
- Local health district staff

Date: Friday, May 8

Time: 2 pm

Webinar Connection:

- URL: http://progressive.powerstream.net/008/00153/CovidLTC.mp4
- Link will be accessible Friday, May 8, at 2 pm