



## CMS MEGA RULE UPCOMING Phase 3 November 2019

- Require facilities to have a trained infection preventionist on staff
- Integrate abuse, neglect and exploitation into QAPI program
- Include responsibility and accountability for the QAPI program to the obligations of the governing body
- Provide training to staff related to trauma informed care
- Develop and implement a process to assess staff competencies and skills sets as related to caring for residents with a history of trauma and/or post-traumatic stress disorder
- Confirm that each resident's bedside has a call system that will allow the resident to request staff assistance and the call goes directly to a staff member or centralized staff work area

### **Eight required training topics to be implemented for new and existing staff, contractors and volunteers.**

1. Communications
2. Resident Rights and Facility Responsibility
3. Abuse
4. Neglect and Exploitation
5. Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement
6. Infection Control
7. Compliance and Ethics
8. Behavioral Health

### **CMS Phase III 2019**

