

# All Hands on Deck

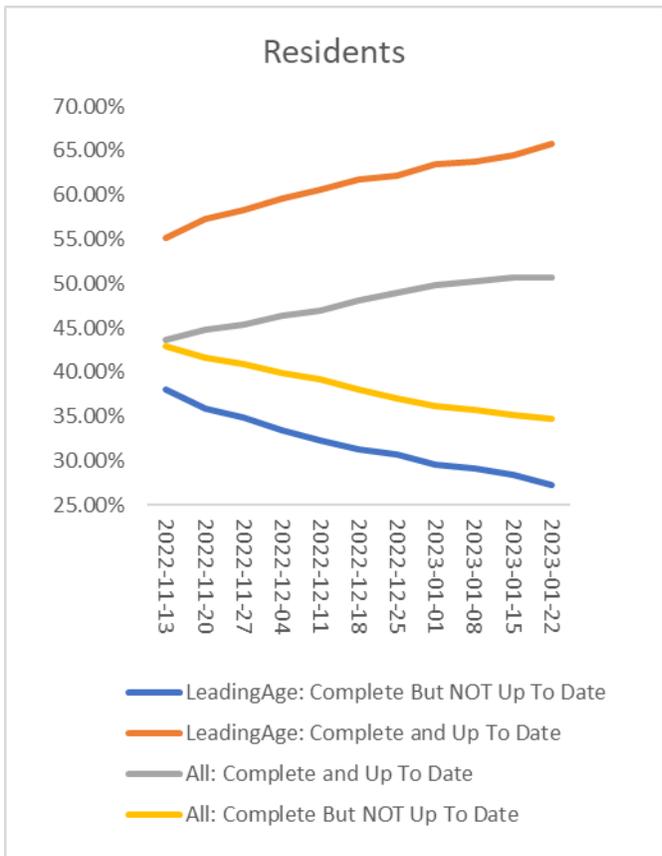
## IMPROVING RESIDENT BIVALENT BOOSTER UPTAKE

### SHOW ME THE DATA

Bivalent Tracker as of 2023-02-03

All Nursing Homes						
COVID-19 Vaccination Status for Residents in SNFs who Submitted Data and Passed the Quality Check						
Week Ending	Complete and Up To Date	Complete But NOT Up To Date	Declined	Partial	Unknown Status	Medical Contraindication
2022-11-13	43.64%	42.94%	9.99%	1.54%	1.62%	0.27%
2022-11-20	44.78%	41.68%	10.05%	1.55%	1.66%	0.28%
2022-11-27	45.44%	40.97%	10.05%	1.55%	1.70%	0.29%
2022-12-04	46.35%	39.93%	10.11%	1.53%	1.79%	0.28%
2022-12-11	46.99%	39.21%	10.20%	1.56%	1.75%	0.29%
2022-12-18	48.10%	38.04%	10.24%	1.58%	1.76%	0.28%
2022-12-25	49.02%	37.02%	10.28%	1.60%	1.79%	0.30%
2023-01-01	49.77%	36.24%	10.32%	1.57%	1.81%	0.30%
2023-01-08	50.21%	35.72%	10.36%	1.57%	1.84%	0.29%
2023-01-15	50.71%	35.11%	10.47%	1.59%	1.84%	0.29%
2023-01-22	50.64%	34.74%	10.97%	1.63%	1.76%	0.26%

LeadingAge Member Nursing Homes						
COVID-19 Vaccination Status for Residents in SNFs who Submitted Data and Passed the Quality Check						
Week Ending	Complete and Up To Date	Complete But NOT Up To Date	Declined	Partial	Unknown Status	Medical Contraindication
2022-11-13	55.15%	38.10%	5.35%	0.71%	0.50%	0.19%
2022-11-20	57.35%	35.87%	5.36%	0.72%	0.50%	0.19%
2022-11-27	58.28%	34.92%	5.38%	0.73%	0.51%	0.18%
2022-12-04	59.54%	33.49%	5.47%	0.72%	0.58%	0.19%
2022-12-11	60.65%	32.32%	5.50%	0.74%	0.59%	0.19%
2022-12-18	61.73%	31.24%	5.49%	0.77%	0.59%	0.19%
2022-12-25	62.18%	30.69%	5.53%	0.80%	0.60%	0.20%
2023-01-01	63.53%	29.54%	5.43%	0.76%	0.57%	0.17%
2023-01-08	63.73%	29.12%	5.61%	0.75%	0.60%	0.19%
2023-01-15	64.46%	28.40%	5.59%	0.76%	0.58%	0.20%
2023-01-22	65.82%	27.28%	5.40%	0.77%	0.55%	0.19%



Number of Nursing Homes Who Submitted Data and the Data Passed the Quality Check as of 2023-02-03		
Week Ending	All Nursing Homes	LeadingAge Member Nursing Homes
2022-11-13	14,855	1,689
2022-11-20	14,848	1,693
2022-11-27	14,812	1,686
2022-12-04	14,848	1,692
2022-12-11	14,842	1,692
2022-12-18	14,836	1,690
2022-12-25	14,805	1,685
2023-01-01	14,818	1,688
2023-01-08	14,798	1,685
2023-01-15	14,690	1,668
2023-01-22	10,451	1,144

## WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

The percentage of residents in the complete but up to date group has increased by 7 percentage points from 2022-11-13 to 2023-01-22 while the LeadingAge member nursing homes have seen an increase of 10.67 percentage points during this same period. In recent weeks, overall, the trend for up to date has continued to stall nationally. In contrast, LeadingAge members have continued to increase at a steady pace with this current week ending showing the second highest increase since the beginning of this initiative.

## ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

- LeadingAge staff participated in the "Our Best Shot" forum convened through Venable. We offered top strategies used by LeadingAge members with the highest rates of success in resident bivalent booster uptake.

## STATE PARTNER HIGHLIGHTS

- Four LeadingAge DC provider members received grants through LeadingAge to work on vaccine equity and increase vaccination rates. They are working with a contractor who is developing a tool kit based on their experiences. The contractor specializes in outreach and communications aimed at communities of color.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Nothing to report this week.

## LOOKING FORWARD

- We will convene nursing homes that have high rates of bivalent booster acceptance among residents and report key discussion points to HHS.

## DATA DICTIONARY

- Total
  - The total residents listed in the data published by CMS from the NHSN from nursing homes who submitted data and the data passed the quality check.
- Medical Contraindication
  - The number of residents from the total who cannot receive the COVID-19 vaccination due to a medical contraindication.
- Declined
  - The number of residents from the total who have declined the COVID-19 vaccination for a reason that is not a medical contraindication.
- Unknown Status
  - The number of residents from the total who have any of the following:
    - Unknown vaccination status

- Only one dose of an unknown/unspecified manufacturer. This individual is categorized as unknown vaccination status because it is unclear if this single unspecified dose represents a partial or complete primary series.
- A gap between their start date and the first status date that is entered, such as start date 1/1, declined on 2/3. The individual will be categorized as unknown vaccination status from 1/1 to 2/2
- Complete
  - The number of residents from the total who have completed the primary series of the COVID-19 vaccination.
- Up To Date (as of 9/26/2022 to 12/25/2022)
  - The number of residents from the total in which any of the following is true:
    - Received an updated bivalent booster dose
    - Received their last booster dose less than 2 months ago
    - Completed their primary series less than 2 months ago

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