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Memo 25-08

**To: Administrator, DNS, Medical Director, Social Services, Admissions Team,
Infection Preventionists and QA Committee**

From: Mary Gracey-White RN, Director of Regulatory Compliance

Date: March 31, 2025

Re: NYSDOH DAL - HERDS Reporting Reduction

Please be advised that the NYSDOH has released a DAL confirming the decrease in Herds reporting effective April 1, 2025. [HERDS Reduction DAL \(NHs and ACFs\).pdf](#).

The HERDS reporting requirement will be once weekly on Tuesdays. This weekly reporting will go into effect April 1st and the next reporting date will be **April 8th** and then each Tuesday.

The Department will conduct a 30-minute webinar on **Wednesday, April 2, 2025, at 2:00 p.m.** to review the change in reporting frequency and outline changes to the survey that streamlines data collection. To register for the webinar, please click on the following link: <https://meetny.gov.webex.com/weblink/register/r1d11aec429e79cc24c859fd455029705>