

CDC/NHSN Long-Term Care Facility (LTCF) Component Summary of Modifications, January 2025

This document summarizes the significant modifications and clarifications made to NHSN Long-Term Care Facility Component. Modifications will apply to events identified on or after January 1, 2025.

Impacted Infection Event/Module	Summary of Modifications
LTCF Component	 All data fields labeled as "Gender" have been changed to "Sex". Options for reporting "Sex" include 'Female' or 'Male'. No other options will be available. Data fields for "Sex at Birth" and "Gender Identity" have been removed.
Urinary Tract Infection (UTI) Event Module	No change
Laboratory-identified (LabID) Multidrug- Resistant Organism (MDRO) & Clostridium difficile Infection (CDI) Event Module	No change
Prevention Process Measures Module	No change
Monthly Reporting Plan for LTCF	No change
Annual Facility Survey	 Questions 5-8 added to obtain additional information about the Infection Preventionist role at the facility