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DATE: January 26, 2024

TO: Assisted Living Facilities & Adult Day Care Centers

FROM: Tara Ragland, Director, Division of Licensing Programs

SUBJECT: New Webinar Series Offers Collaborative Support to Improve Infection Prevention Practices

Health Quality Innovators (HQI), in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS), is hosting a series of Affinity Group webinars designed to engage assisted living facilities and adult day care centers. These interactive monthly group calls will foster improved infection prevention practices through shared ideas, resources, and conversation.

Affinity Group Webinar Schedule:

- Auditing is Awesome for Keeping an Eye on the Big Picture (Tuesday, February 13 at 10:00 a.m.)
- Cleaning and Disinfection Do's, Don'ts, and Dangers (Tuesday, March 12 at 10:00 a.m.)
- Practical Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) solutions (Tuesday, April 9 at 10:00 a.m.)
- Education is Extremely Important, and Visual Reminders Can Help (Tuesday, May 14 at 10:00 a.m.)
- That's a Wrap: Recap of Earlier Sessions (Tuesday, June 11 at 10:00 a.m.)

Register for this **free** opportunity to learn from your peers and discover new strategies and tools by visiting [this link](#), or by scanning the QR Code below:



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