



San Francisco Health Network
Laguna Honda Hospital
and Rehabilitation Center

Laguna Honda Hospital Recertification Progress Update

February 20, 2024



Recertification Status Update



Submitted Plans of Correction

- Completed the reasonable assurance period and the second Medicare Recertification Survey.
- Survey results showed improvement from prior CMS monitoring surveys with overall less findings and findings of lower scope and severity.
- Developed robust Plans of Correction (POC) with the Quality Improvement Expert (QIE) in response to the survey results.
 - Fire Life Safety portion - submitted Saturday, January 13th
 - Health Monitoring portion - submitted Wednesday, January 17th



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Medicare recertification next steps

- Not yet recertified in the federal Medicare program.
- Next step is for CMS and CDPH to *approve* the Plans of Correction.
- CMS and CDPH will then *validate* successful completion of the Plans of Correction.
- CMS will then make a determination of Laguna Honda recertification into the Medicare program.
- Laguna Honda is focused on Medicare recertification and long-term sustainability of corrective actions.



Discharge Update



Update on process to discharge residents with non-SNF level of care needs

- Actively working to discharge residents who no longer require skilled nursing facility-level (SNF) care.
- The discharge process is often challenging with extended timelines.
- Since facility-initiated discharges resumed in April 2023, Laguna Honda has discharged 21 non-SNF level of care residents.
- There are currently 45 residents identified as no longer needing SNF level of care.





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