

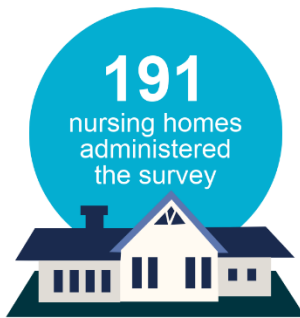


EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2019 NURSING HOME SURVEY DATABASE REPORT

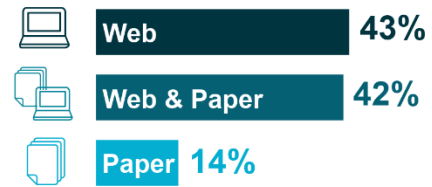
This overview of survey results summarizes how nursing home providers and staff perceive patient safety culture based on the 2019 Nursing Home Survey on Patient Safety Culture Database.

HIGHLIGHTS



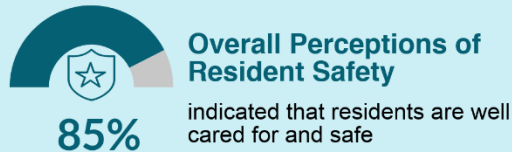
- **10,499** nursing home providers & staff responded
- **12** areas or composite measures of patient safety culture were assessed in the survey
- **67%** is the average percent positive score for all 12 composite measures of patient safety culture

How Nursing Homes Administered The Survey

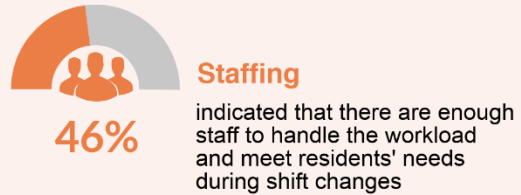


OVERALL RESULTS

AREAS OF STRENGTH



AREAS FOR POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENT



OTHER RESULTS by

Bed Size



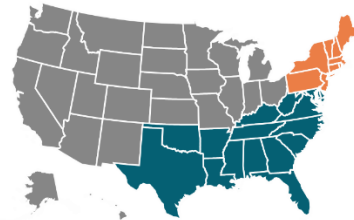
Smaller Nursing Homes

with 1-49 beds had the **highest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**71% positive**)

Larger Nursing Homes

with 200+ beds had the **lowest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**63% positive**)

Census Region



South

Nursing homes in the South had the **highest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**72% positive**)

Northeast

Nursing homes in the Northeast had the **lowest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**65% positive**)

Shifts Worked Most Often



Days

Day shift staff had the **highest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**70% positive**)

Nights

Night shift staff had the **lowest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**63% positive**)

Job Title



Administrators/Managers

had the **highest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**79% positive**)

Nursing Assistants/Aides

had the **lowest** scores when averaging all composite measures (**64% positive**)

What's Next? Action planning for patient safety improvement

- 1 Define your goals
- 2 Plan your initiatives
- 3 Communicate your action plan

The *Action Planning Tool for the AHRQ Surveys on Patient Safety Culture* provides step-by-step guidance on how to develop an action plan to improve patient safety culture, available at www.ahrq.gov/sops.

Full report: <https://www.ahrq.gov/sops/databases/nursing-home/index.html>

Data Submission Information: <https://www.ahrq.gov/sops/databases/nursing-home/databases/submission.html>



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