

R432-150-11 Quality Assurance

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The administrator must implement a well-defined quality assurance plan designed to improve resident care. The plan must: (a) include a system for the collection of data indicators; (b) include an incident reporting system to identify problems, concerns, and opportunities for improvement of resident care; (c) implement a system to assess identified problems, concerns and opportunities for improvement; and (d) implement actions that are designed to eliminate identified problems and improve resident care.

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The plan must include a quality assurance committee that functions as follows: (a) documents committee meeting minutes including all corrective actions and results; (b) conducts quarterly meetings and reports findings, concerns and actions to the administrator and governing body; and (c) coordinates input of data indicators from all provided services and other departments as determined by the resident plan of care and facility scope of services.

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Infection reporting must be integrated into the quality assurance plan and must be

reported to the Department in accordance with R386-702, Communicable Disease Rule.