

Gurwin Jewish Nursing & Rehabilitation Center

Required Disclosures NURSING HOME QUALITY AND ASSESSMENTS

Both the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) maintain information on nursing homes that includes performance on quality measures, complaints, citations, inspections, enforcement actions, and penalties imposed on the nursing home. This document will assist you in accessing this information.

CMS has created a tool called "<u>Care Compare</u>" to help consumers search for and select nursing homes and other health care providers. According to CMS, the information it maintains on nursing homes should be used with other information you gather about providers and facilities in your area.

In addition to reviewing the Care Compare information, you should talk to your doctor, social worker, or other health care providers when choosing a provider. Additional tips for selecting a nursing home can be found in CMS's Guide to Choosing a Nursing Home:

The following is the web address to the Medicare Care Compare website:

https://www.medicare.gov/care-compare/

The following is the web address for New York State Nursing Home Profiles maintained by the Department of Health:

https://profiles.health.ny.gov/nursing home/index

On the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) site, select the nursing home by name
after selecting the appropriate Region/County from the dropdown menu, and open the
inspections tab to view any Complaints, Inspection results including any Citations, and any
Enforcement actions against the nursing home.

The following is the web address for the Nursing Home Compare website maintained by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS):

https://www.medicare.gov/care-compare/?providerType=NursingHome&redirect=true

 On the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Care Compare site, enter the name of the nursing home in the search box. Click on the name of the nursing home to view inspection results as well as any penalties that have been imposed.