

COVID-19 QUICK TIPS #1

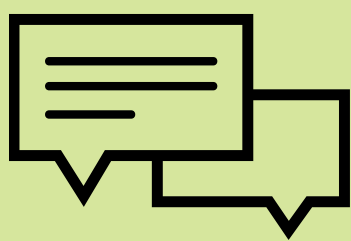
ENSURING FAIRNESS

Organizational COVID-19 planning should support all transfers LTC residents need for treatment anywhere in the system.



LIMITS OF ADVANCE CARE PLANNING

ACP cannot...



- Be a substitution for consent
- Be used to prevent future treatment from being proposed to long-term care residents
- Substitute the physician's proposal

THE PHYSICIAN'S ROLE



Goals of Care inform the physician's proposal for treatment. Without a proposal, goals of care are ineffective.

Only physicians can propose an appropriate treatment plan based on the resident's current condition.



No resident is required to do advance care planning.

Every resident has the right to a treatment plan that is based on their current condition and respects their known wishes, values, or beliefs.



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