



MassMAP Statewide Advisory Group Report February 11, 2021

Membership as of February 2021 includes: 365 nursing homes, 222 assisted living residences, and 34 residential care facilities for a total of 621 members. This total includes 6 members with a nursing home and an assisted living residence; 13 members with a nursing home and residential care facility; and 1 member with an assisted living residence and a residential care facility. There are 9 nursing homes, 45 ALRS of the 267 and 28 rest homes of the 62 that are not MassMAP members.

Health and Medical Coordinating Coalitions (HMCC)

MassMAP continues to work diligently to promote and support participation by long-term care providers (specifically long-term care facilities) in the development and enhancement of regional HMCCs.

Orientation and Training Sessions

Orientation and training sessions were held in February 2020 and virtually in December 2020 with a total 137 participants. Orientation session also took place on February 10, 2021 with 133 attendees registered.

Health and Homeland Alert Network

Through Mass Senior Care, MassMAP continues to provide the Department of Public Health Office of Preparedness and Emergency Management weekly updated contact information for MassMAP members for inclusion in the Health and Homeland Alert Network.

Funding

MassMAP continues to receive some funding from the Department of Public Health Office of Preparedness and Emergency Management. The contract is renewable annually through June 30, 2022.

MassMAP is also funded through annual membership fees to participating providers.

Boston Public Health Commission's Office of Public Health Preparedness through Homeland Security Grant funds provided by the Boston Office of Emergency Management grant partially covers the MassMAP membership fees for all nursing homes, assisted living residences and rest homes in the Metro Boston Homeland Security Region.

MOU Revisions

The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between MassMAP participants is currently under review and revision. Last year I reported our goal to complete this revision for the spring the public health emergency sidelined the work on these revisions.

2020 Activations

- 1/9/2020 – Emergency reporting activated due to a water main break in front of a facility.
- 1/28/2020 – On stand-by as facility had a scheduled water shut-off
- 1/29/2020 – Emergency reporting activated due to loss of gas at a facility
- 2/7/2020 – Emergency reporting activated due to no heat or hot water at a facility due to a tree falling on power lines
- 3/27/2020 – Emergency reported activated for COVID-19 response. Reporting included suspected COVID-19 positive residents; confirmed covid-19 positive residents; open beds; current census; and PPE supplies. Emergency reporting was not de-activated until 7/21/2020.
- 8/5/2020 – Emergency reporting activated post tropical storm to identify facilities with power loss
- 12/7/2020 – On stand-by for facility with power loss