

#### LONG TERM CARE | RISE

## The Cycle of Infection and Hand Hygiene

**Facilitator Guide** 





#### For Facilitator Use Only

### How to Use This Facilitator's Guide

#### Printing out copies is not required.

- If you can, print out:
  - Slide 4 (session sign)
  - Slide 8 (Infection cycle)
- You may want to print out the presentation for your own use. We recommend using Notes View (see picture 1)
- If you can't print anything out no worries! You can view the notes on your phone or laptop.
- Each slide has a guide in the notes section.
  - You can see guide at the bottom of slides (see picture 2) or note view
  - Each slide has an "Objective". This is the main point you want to make sure participants understand.
  - There are "Facilitator Notes" throughout the Suggested Scripts. These are tips, or question answers for you as facilitator to use.



- Our services and education span many topics including resident-centered care, emergency preparedness and antibiotic stewardship, to name a few. :
- Today we are here to talk a little about infection prevention education.



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### **Before Your Meeting**

#### Schedule Presentation

- > Confirm:
  - Date and time
  - Presentation is for all staff and residents
  - The session will be 30 minutes
  - A separate room or space is preferred

#### Prepare for Presentation

- Gather Materials
  - Pens
  - □ Sign in sheet
  - Ball
  - Glo germ solution
  - Hand sanitizer
  - Optional: Printed Session Sign
  - □ Optional: Paint-safe tape
  - Optional: Print out of notes pages of presentation
  - □ Optional: Slide 6 Print Out

#### Set up Presentation

- > Set up space:
  - Clean workspace
  - □ Space chairs appropriately
  - Optional: Display session sign
- Set up ball activity
  - Apply glo germ on ball
  - □ Allow to dry





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**Session on** 

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### Let's Play a Game!



### **Activity Instructions**



Facilitator tosses ball to a participant



Participant says their name and a fun fact about themselves.



Participant throws the ball to another participant.



Process repeats until all participants have had a turn.





### **Cycle of Infection**

Person "B" has a vulnerable immune system and develops the infection.

Germs spread from person "A" to person "B"



Germ is leaving one person, waiting to infect another person.







# **Breaking the Cycle of Infection** We CAN help our immune system stay strong! Germs exist. BUT.... Self-care, preventative care, immunizations! We cannot change that. We CAN stop the germs from reaching us.... We can not stop the germs **BUT**.... Wash your hands! Use your PPE! from leaving that person.



### **Stay Healthy – Wash your Hands!**

### HOW TO WASH YOUR HANDS



WET YOUR HANDS



**APPLY THE SOAP** 



SCRUB YOUR HANDS



**CLEAN YOUR THUMBS** 



**RINSE YOUR HANDS** 



DRY WITH SINGLE USE TOWEL





#### Help Stop the Spread (pa.gov)

### **No Water? No Problem!**

















