



DISCLOSURE FORM: HOW TO LOOK UP COMPLAINTS, CITATIONS, INSPECTIONS, ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS, AND PENALTIES TAKEN AGAINST A FACILITY.

The below websites and instructions are informative sources to help increase awareness among both residents and families as to the availability of compliance information maintained by the Department of Health with regards to residential health care facilities.

FEDERAL CARE COMPARE - MEDICARE.gov: <https://www.medicare.gov/care-compare/>

1. Plug in the name and address of the facility or your location
2. Under “ratings” you will see results of the “star rating”. This is a multifactorial system that compares the care amongst all nursing homes.
3. Under “Health inspections” you can source the citation history of the facility.
4. Navigate through the “Details” tab to find the Penalties, safety inspections, and ownership details of the facility.

New York State care compare facility profiles: https://profiles.health.ny.gov/nursing_home/

Nursing Home Profiles provides useful information about every nursing home in New York State.

Search the region and facility location using the map and examine nursing performance through a set of metrics:

- Quality of care received
- Quality of life achieved
- Safety of residents
- Preventive care practices
- Inspections and complaint information
- The Nursing Home Profiles quality data for all the nursing homes can be downloaded from the [Health Data NY website](#)

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