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# EARLY REGISTRATION ENDS MAY 6



### **REFLECTIONS ON NURSING CENTER QUALITY**

Kiran Sreenivas

Since 2011, the number of people returning to hospitals has declined by 11.6%. Reducing readmissions is not just about reducing health care costs -- it is what is best for the patient. This reduction in readmissions reflects the improvement made across 18 quality measures. READ MORE

# AHCA WEBINAR ON FIVE-STAR CHANGES IN APRIL

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AHCA will host a webinar on Monday, April 8 at 12:30 p.m. Eastern on the new CMS Five-Star Rating System changes that will be published on Nursing Home Compare in late April. READ MORE

#### **VIDEO: LTC TREND TRACKER**



LTC Trend Tracker is an exclusive AHCA/NCAL member benefit. Check out how this program can put information to work for you. WATCH

# QUALITY IMPROVEMENT FROM QUALITY AWARD RECIPIENTS, APPLICANTS & EXAMINERS

# Erin Prendergast

This year, we've heard more than ever across the U.S. how the AHCA/NCAL National Quality Award Program has made a true difference within not only organizations as whole, but also within

individuals themselves. READ MORE

# **CAREERS IN AGING WEEK**

Lindsay Schwartz

This year, AHCA/NCAL supported the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) Careers in Aging Week (CIAW), which took place March 3-9. The goal of CIAW is to bring awareness to the numerous career opportunities in the field of aging. READ MORE

### **WHY I CARE**

### Cristina Crawford

AHCA/NCAL is launching a new workforce campaign to attract and retain talented caregivers by showcasing the numerous career opportunities available in long term care. The campaign, Why I Care, will broadcast the stories of individuals in the profession. READ MORE



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