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TO: Nursing Facility & Community Based Care Providers

FROM: Safety, Oversight, and Quality

SUBJECT: Phishing Attempts and Scam Emails – Pandemic Plan

It has come to our attention that an email has been circulating to providers concerning a “pandemic plan.” This email provides an unofficial due date and offers providers a template to create this plan for a fee. Please be aware that **this is not an APD requirement and there is no due date for a pandemic plan.** If requirements change, the Department will provide any and all directives through official channels. If you receive any such communication from vendors, including offers for service or request for information, please contact your local licensing agency or policy analyst to confirm their validity. Bad actors take these moments of uncertainty as an opportunity to overwhelm people with emails, text messages or even phone calls in order to extort others financially.

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