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## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

DATE: September 7, 2021

**TO:** Licensed Assisted Living Facilities

FROM: Tara Ragland, Director, Division of Licensing Programs

**RE:** REMINDER - COVID-19 Vaccine and Booster Survey

In preparation for long-term care facilities (LTCFs) booster and 3rd dose COVID-19 vaccine support once the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) and CDC guidance is released, the Virginia Department of Health (VDH) requests your urgent assistance in completing an important survey linked below.

VDH is trying to better understand how much additional COVID-19 vaccine will be needed to ensure ample access in LTCFs. Collecting this data is crucial and will help VDH plan accordingly to successfully support LTCFs.

Thank you to those of you who have already participated in the survey. If you have not had to the opportunity to do so, please visit <a href="https://redcap.link/LTCF-PHARMACY">https://redcap.link/LTCF-PHARMACY</a> to complete the survey. We are strongly encouraging all assisted living facilities to submit the survey <a href="https://pedcap.link/LTCF-PHARMACY">by Friday</a>, <a href="https://pedcap.link/LTCF-PHARMACY">September 10, 2021</a>.

If you need assistance or have any questions regarding the survey, please email mounika.bazar@vdh.virginia.gov or sumaia.kamal@vdh.virginia.gov