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### COVID-19: Nursing Home Testing, SNF Benefit Period Waiver

MLN Matters Special Edition Article SE20011 [Medicare Fee-for-Service \(FFS\) Response to the Public Health Emergency on the Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#) is updated. Learn about:

- Updated Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidelines for testing nursing home residents and patients
- Update on applying the Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) benefit period waiver

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