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Health Standards Section

TO: Nursing Home Administrators

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SUBJECT: Effective Immediately
Nursing Home Care Blue Book Available Online

The "Nursing Home Care in Louisiana" Blue Book published by DHH Health Standards Section is now posted as an online version. The Blue Book will no longer be distributed to Nursing Facilities in a hard copy format.

Please note that the Standards for Payment for Nursing Facilities requirement regarding Blue Book distribution has not changed.

To locate the online version, please click on the following link:
<http://www.dhh.la.gov/BlueBook> .

Thank you for your attention to this matter.