

The next CMS Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNF)/Long Term Care (LTC) Open Door Forum scheduled for:

Date: Thursday, October 17, 2024

Start Time: 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM Eastern Time (ET);

**Please dial-in at least 15 minutes before call start time.**

Conference Leaders: Todd Smith & Jill Darling

**\*\*This Agenda is Subject to Change\*\***

#### I. Opening Remarks

Chair – Todd Smith (Center for Medicare)

Moderator – Jill Darling (Office of Communications)

#### II. Announcements & Updates

- SNF Expanded Ownership, Management, & Related Party Reporting
- MDS Updates
  - <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/quality/nursing-home-improvement/resident-assessment-instrument-manual>
- iQIES updates effective 10/1/2025

#### III. Open Q&A

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