Module 1: Oral Health Care for Residents in Long Term Care Facilities

Course Objectives:

- 1. Increase direct care providers' awareness of the importance of providing/supervising daily oral care for the long term care resident.
- 2. Implement effective oral care measures for the long term care residents and their direct care providers.
- 3. Direct care providers will be able to recognize and report oral pain and abnormal conditions in residents' mouths to charge nurse or dentist.
- 4. Direct care providers will utilize correct behavior management and communication strategies when providing oral health care for long term care residents.

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Improving the Oral Health of Long Term Care Residents





