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Nursing Home Staffing Ratios Finalized

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CMS finalized harsh nursing home staffing mandates, with few changes from the proposal. As a reminder, the Executive Order and Proposed rules drew in 46,000 comments. Dissenters, and bipartisan members of Congress, took issue with the lack of staff to fill the positions, and the overall inability to fulfill these requirements. Despite backlash from facilities, the finalized nursing rules are no less rigorous than the ones in the [proposed rule](#). See the 329-page [final rule here](#).

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Hospitals quickly excoriated the rules. AHA notes “This final rule could lead nursing homes to reduce...

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