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<b><u>2020-33</u></b>	09/30/20	<b>QSO-20-41-ALL</b> – GUIDANCE RELATED TO THE EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS TESTING EXERCISE REQUIREMENTS- CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)
<b><u>2020-29</u></b>	08/18/20	<b>QSO 20-35-ALL</b> : ENFORCEMENT CASES HELD DURING THE PRIORITIZATION PERIOD AND REVISED SURVEY PRIORITIZATION
<b><u>2020-14</u></b>	03/25/20	<b>QSO 20-20-ALL: PRIORITIZATION OF SURVEY ACTIVITIES</b>
<b><u>2020-04</u></b>	02/07/20	<b>QSO 20-09-ALL: INFORMATION FOR HEALTHCARE FACILITIES CONCERNING 2019 NOVEL CORONAVIRUS ILLNESS (2019-nCoV)</b>
<b><u>2017-06</u></b>	07/06/17	<b>CMS S&amp;C 17-29-ALL</b> : Advanced Copy – Appendix Z, Emergency Preparedness Final Rule, Interpretive Guidelines, and Survey Procedures
<b><u>2016-07</u></b>	05/11/16	<b>CMS S&amp;C 16-22-LSC</b> : Notification of Final Rule Published: Adoption of 2012 Life Safety and Health Care Facilities Code ALL IDAHO Ambulatory Surgical Centers, Hospitals, ICFs/ID and Long Term Care Facilities
<b><u>2016-06</u></b>	05/05/16	<b>New FFS&amp;C Supervisor</b>
<b><u>2016-05</u></b>	05/05/16	<b>CMS S&amp;C 16-21-All Providers</b> : Guidance to Surveyors on Federal Requirements for Providing Services to Justice Involved Individuals
<b><u>2016-02</u></b>	03/18/16	<b>CMS S&amp;C-16-11 ~ ALL PROVIDERS</b> : SHARING TAGS AT EXIT CONFERENCES
<b><u>2015-07</u></b>	02/23/15	<b>CMS S&amp;C-15-27 ~ HOSPITALS, CAH, &amp; ASCs</b> : POTENTIAL ADVERSE IMPACT OF LOWER RELATIVE HUMIDITY (RH) IN OPERATING ROOMS (ORs)
<b><u>2011-02</u></b>	06/29/11	<b>Updated NFPA Alert Regarding Antifreeze – Important Safety Information Regarding Antifreeze in New and Existing Sprinkler Systems</b> ALL NURSING FACILITIES ALL HOSPITALS ALL AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTERS ALL END STAGE RENAL DISEASE FACILITIES ALL INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR PERSONS

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<a href="#"><b><u>2010-06</u></b></a>	07/22/10	<b>SPRINKLER SYSTEM ALERT</b> All ICFs/MR
<a href="#"><b><u>2010-05</u></b></a>	10/01/07	<b>CMS S&amp;C-10-20 DATED MAY 21, 2010</b> <b>ASC WAITING AREA SEPARATION</b> ALL IDAHO Ambulatory Surgical Centers PROVIDERS
		<a href="#"><b><u>2010-05</u></b></a> ATTACHMENT
<a href="#"><b><u>2010-03</u></b></a>	05/25/10	<b>S&amp;C-10-18-LSC</b> <b>Revision of S&amp;C-04-41 dated August 12, 2004,</b> <b>Corridor Width &amp; Corridor Mounted Computer</b> <b>Touch Screens in Health Care Facilities –</b> <b>Clarification Effective Immediately</b> SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES/NURSING FACILITIES (SNF/NF's), HOSPITALS
		<a href="#"><b><u>2010-03</u></b></a> ATTACHMENT
<a href="#"><b><u>2007-04</u></b></a>	04/23/07	<b>ICF/MR Life Safety Code Surveys and On-Site</b> <b>Retention</b>
<a href="#"><b><u>2005-08</u></b></a>	08/17/05	<b>SURVEY AND CERTIFICATION LETTER #05-38</b> <b>CLARIFICATION OF LIFE SAFETY CODE SURVEY ISSUES IN</b> <b>NURSING HOMES</b>
<a href="#"><b><u>2004-07</u></b></a>	06/22/04	<b>Tentative Interim Amendment (TIA) Alcohol-based</b> <b>Hand Sanitizers; Chapters 18 and 19, <u>Life Safety</u></b> <b>Code, 2000 and 2003 Editions</b> All Hospitals and Nursing Facilities
<a href="#"><b><u>2004-06</u></b></a>	03/30/04	<b>Procedures in the Event of a Fire in a Medicare- or</b> <b>Medicaid-Certified Health Care Facility</b> All Nursing Facilities, RHCs, ICF/MRs, ESRDs, CAHs, Hospitals, ASCs, & OPT/SPs
<a href="#"><b><u>2004-01</u></b></a>	02/02/04	<b>Survey and Certification Branch, State Agency</b> <b>Letter No. 759 dated December 17, 2003</b> All Hospitals, ASCs, & Nursing Facilities
<a href="#"><b><u>2003-01</u></b></a>	01/13/03	<b>POSTING THE LIFE SAFETY CODE SURVEY</b>

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<b><u>2001-11</u></b>	10/31/01	<b>TRANSFILLING OF SMALL PORTABLE LIQUID OXYGEN UNITS ALL NFs, HOSPITALS, RALFs, ASCs, ICFs/MR</b>
<b><u>2000-10</u></b>	06/30/00	<b>NEW CONSTRUCTION, ADDITIONS/ALTERATIONS REPLACES INFORMATIONAL LETTERS #92-6 AND #99-10</b>