

Care Home – Removal of Questions on Provider Update Page

The following questions will be removed – these apply to Residents, Directly Employed Staff, Agency/Bank Staff:

- Number known to have had the FIRST DOSE of the COVID Vaccination in the UK
- Number known to have had the SECOND DOSE of the COVID Vaccination in the UK
- Number known to have had the COVID vaccination BOOSTER in the UK
- Number known to have had the second BOOSTER in the UK
- Number of staff self-certifying as being fully VACCINATED ABROAD

COVID Vaccinations			
Number known to have had the FIRST DOSE of the COVID Vaccination in the UK	30 Residents	10 Directly Employed Staff	2 Agency/Bank
Number known to have had the SECOND DOSE of the COVID Vaccination in the UK	30 Residents	10 Directly Employed Staff	2 Agency/Bank
Number of staff self-certifying as being fully VACCINATED ABROAD. (Those who are partially vaccinated must not be recorded and guidance must be sought by emailing capacitytracker-guidance@dhs.gov.uk)		10 Directly Employed Staff	2 Agency/Bank
Number known to have had the COVID vaccination BOOSTER in the UK	30 Residents	10 Directly Employed Staff	2 Agency/Bank
Number known to have had the second BOOSTER in the UK	30 Residents		

These questions will be replaced with:

- Number known to have received a full primary course of COVID vaccination. (Two COVID-19 vaccine doses given in the United Kingdom or abroad - except in a small number of cases i.e. for those who have received a single-dose vaccination such as Janssen, or who are severely immunosuppressed.)

Number known to have received a full primary course of COVID vaccination	19 Residents	69 Directly Employed Staff	23 Agency/Bank
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- Number known to have had an **Autumn booster**. (The Autumn Booster will refer ONLY to those delivered on or after 5th September 2022.)

Number known to have had the Autumn 22 COVID vaccination booster	0 Residents	0 Directly Employed Staff	0 Agency/Bank
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- Number known to have had this season's flu vaccination. (Please restrict flu vaccine responses to those that are delivered between September 2022 and March 2023, inclusive).

Number known to have had this season's flu vaccination	0 Residents	0 Directly Employed Staff	0 Agency/Bank
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What's New | 1st September 2022

Home Care – Changes to staff vaccination questions on ASC Home Care Collection

Workforce / Vaccinations

These questions form part of the mandatory Adult Social Care submission for DHSC

How many staff in your organisation have face-to-face contact with the people you support?

Include managers and supervisors who also meet this criteria. Also include staff who may currently be on sick leave, who are self-isolating, or absent for any other reason. Do not include staff who do not have face-to-face contact with the people you support.

How many staff who deliver care to people are not working because of coronavirus? Includes staff who are self-isolating or have care commitments

COVID Vaccinations

~~Number known to have had the first dose of the COVID vaccination~~

~~Number known to have had the second dose of the COVID vaccination~~

~~Number known to have had the COVID vaccination booster~~

Providers will now be asked to provide the same information as Care Homes (above) about staff only on the ASC Home Care Collection page.

New questions

New questions will be added to this section – after the 3 month introductory period, these will be added to the Mandated collection above

Vaccinations

Number of staff known to have received a full primary course of COVID vaccination

Number of staff known to have had the Autumn 22 COVID vaccination booster Boosters delivered on or after 5th September 2022

Number of staff known to have received this season's flu vaccination

Vaccinations delivered between September 2022 and March 2023 (inclusive)

A full primary course does not include COVID boosters. For most people, a full primary course is defined as 2 doses of COVID vaccination. For a small number of people, however, including people who were vaccinated abroad, people who have received a single-dose vaccination such as Janssen, or people who are severely immunosuppressed, a full primary course may mean a different number of doses.

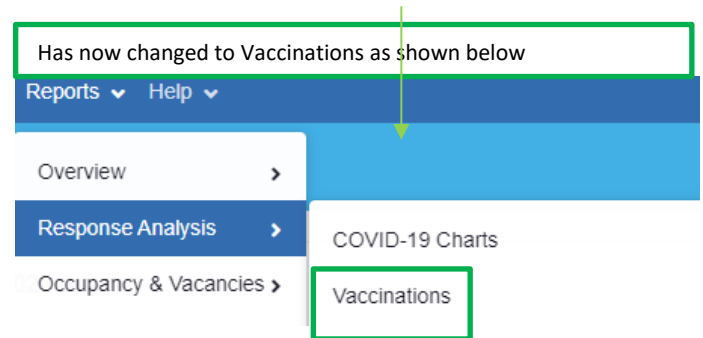
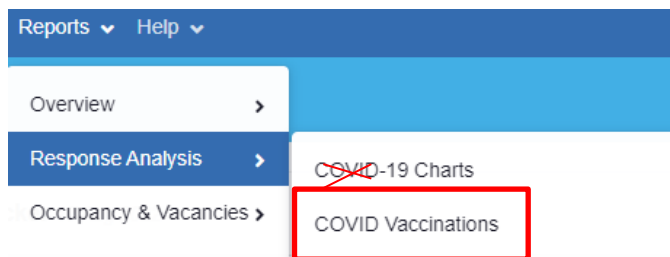
An Autumn booster is defined as any booster delivered under the Autumn booster campaign, expected to begin in September 2022, [as announced in May 2022](#).

Please contact capacitytracker-guidance@dhsc.gov.uk if you have any queries.

Reports - How will the question changes affect reports and bulk updates?

The following reports and their respective csv downloads will reflect the new set of questions:

- Covid Vaccinations (this will now be called 'Vaccinations')
- ASC Home Care Collection

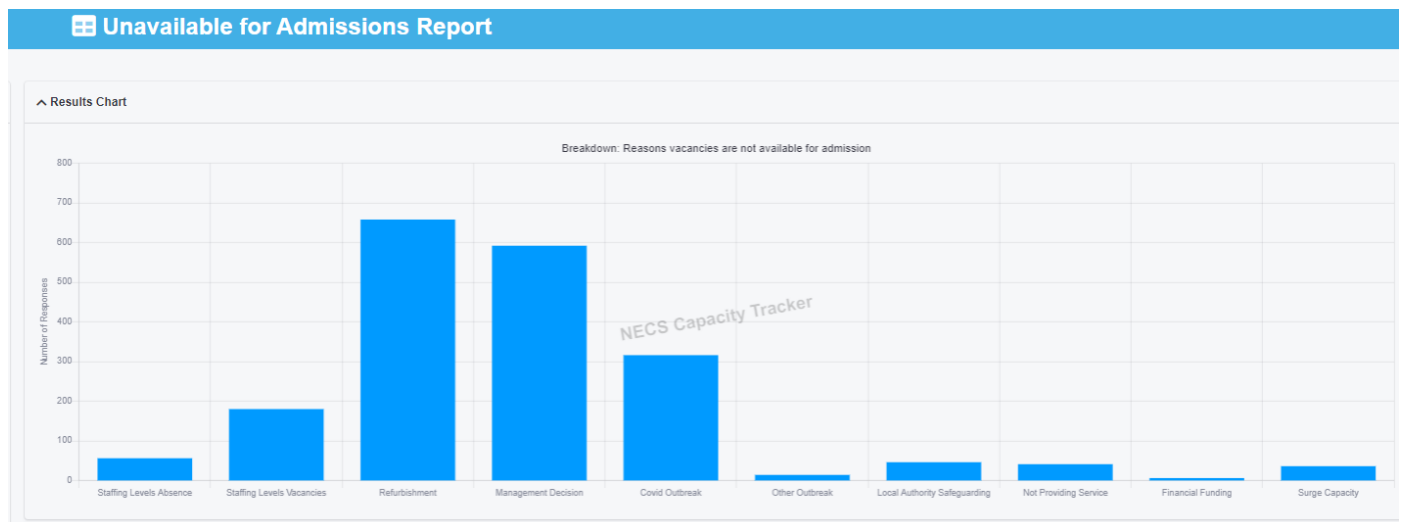


An overview of the proposed changes can be found [here](#).

More information on the planned changes to the bulk upload can be found [here](#).

Unavailable for Admissions Report

Changes were recently made to enable care homes to share information about their vacant beds and why these might not be available to take new admissions. This new report will show a breakdown of the different reasons for being unable to take new admissions.



Help and Guidance

The Support Centre can be reached either by email; necsu.capacitytracker@nhs.net or by calling 0191 6913729