

January 15, 2021







We care about YOU,
Our Loved Ones, Neighborhood,
Community, Country,
and the World!

This is why we wear our mask, keep a social distance, practice hand hygiene, and avoid large crowds.

We also anxiously await the time when we can receive the COVID-19 vaccine!!

"Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that."

"Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere."

"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

Martin Luther King, Jr.

Dear Colleagues,

We enter 2021 with many old and new issues that we must confront - COVID-19 pandemic; racism; social justice; and hatred and insurrections aimed at our democracy. We look forward with hope and a strong belief that positive changes will occur starting January 20, 2021.

We know that as a united community working togegther we can overcome all of these issues and build a better America. It is with this in mind, that we worked with patients, residents, families, caregivers, and healthcare providers to identify healthcare issues to be addressed by the Biden-Harris administration.

Some of the issues are a result of the pandemic; lack of focus on important health trends; and the need to have a patient/resident/staff centered focus.

The issues addressed in the **2021 and Beyond: Opportunities to Make a Difference** document at Project Patient Care website Resource page include:

- COVID-19 Pandemic
- Prioritization of Nursing Home Resident and Staff Needs
- Mental Health
- Racism and Ethnicism
- Opioid Deaths the Highest Ever
- · Childhood Immunizations Dramatically Decreased
- Telehealth
- Cost, Transparency, and Surprise Billing

- · Access to Affordable Care
- Quality and Patient Safety
- · Public Reporting
- World Stage
- COVID-19 Pandemic Relief and Recovery

https://www.projectpatientcare.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/Oppstomakeadiffierence-January-14.pdf

We welcome your feedback and look forward to working with you on these issues of importance to patients, residents, families, caregivers, healthcare providers, and our communities and country!



We Enjoy Hearing from YOU!

Please feel free to contact us at any time as most of the time we are still all working remotely from our homes.

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Thank you!