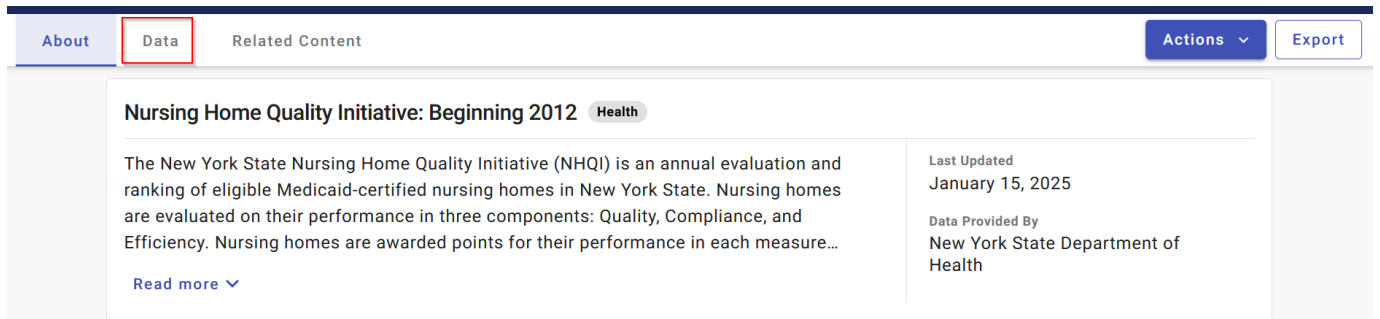


Dear Nursing Home Administrator:

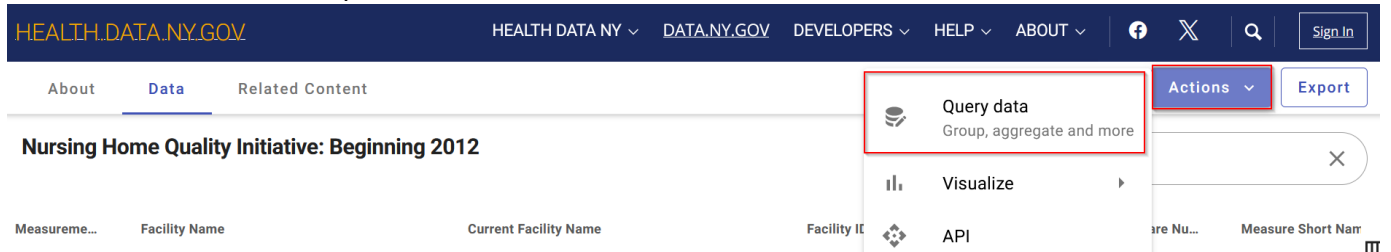
The 2023 Nursing Home Quality Initiative (NHQI) results which are based on the 2022 MDS data have been posted to the New York State’s Health Data NY website. Nursing homes can locate the quintile information of a specific measure as well as overall score using this website. This website hosts a variety of downloadable datasets regarding nursing homes. The dataset which provides detailed information on the quintile performance is ‘Nursing Home Quality Initiative: Beginning 2012’.

Instruction to access data:

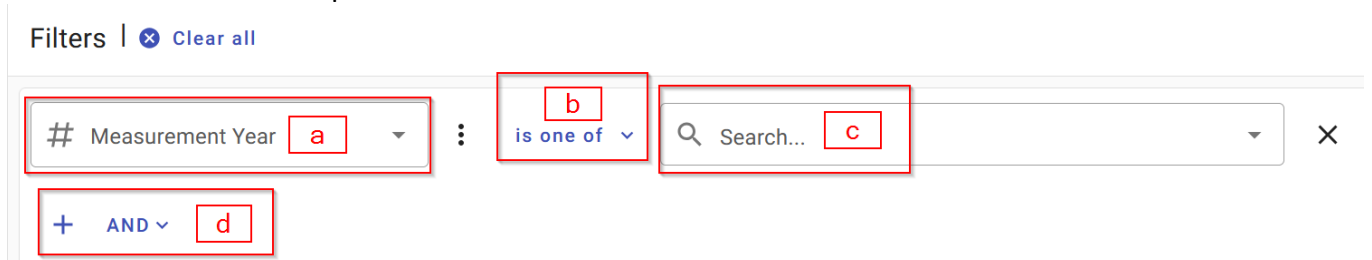
<https://health.data.ny.gov/Health/Nursing-Home-Quality-Initiative-Beginning-2012/aruj-fgbm>



1. Click on the Data, then click on the ‘Actions’ tab on the top right side and select ‘Query data’ from the drop-down list.



2. You will see the option for filters on the bottom left.



- a. To add filters, click on the ‘Select a column to filter’ menu then choose a column.
- b. To select a logical statement, click on “is one of” and choose a condition.

- c. To select a condition, click on the search bar (labeled c) and either select an option or type one in.
 - d. To add an additional filter in the bottom of the screenshot above, select either “and” or “or” depending on the type of logic and then click the plus button, and then repeat steps a to c.
 - e. Click “Apply”
3. As you move the horizontal scroll bar to the right, you will see additional columns (First quintile to Fifth quintile, numeric value etc.).
 4. The data you are viewing can be downloaded by clicking on the ‘Export’ tab on the right.
 5. When you are done, select “Back to overview” on the top left of the screen. The supporting documents for this dataset can be found by clicking on the ‘About’ tab and scrolling down to see the ‘Attachments’.

The 2023 Nursing Home Quality Initiative quintile rankings are also posted on the Department of Health website. This webpage has the list of nursing facilities in each of the five quintiles, J/K/L information, and facilities that are excluded from NHQI.

https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/nursing_home_quality_initiative.htm

At the above link, you will also find the top-performing nursing homes. These are the nursing homes that achieved the top quintile in each Nursing Home Quality Initiative over the last three years.

If you have any questions, please email nhqp@health.ny.gov.

Thank you,

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