

## 1. Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) questions moved to a separate page

- Up until now, IPC questions were located on the 'Business Continuity' tab of a provider's profile. From 10<sup>th</sup> August these will move to a separate 'Infection Control' page.
- The 'Infection Control' page should be updated weekly. 'Business Continuity' and 'Vacancies' should continue to be updated every 24 hours.
- Larger chain providers who use the 'Bulk Update' feature must complete the IPC questions each time the page is saved.

## 2. Additional answer options added to some IPC questions

- In response to feedback from care homes, a 3<sup>rd</sup> answer option has been added to 6 of the IPC questions. This will allow providers to indicate that the question is currently not applicable.

## 3. 'Blue' option added to PPE RAG questions

- Definitions for 'Red', 'Amber' and 'Green' have been revised, and a new option has been added ('Blue' – indicating 1+ month of stock remaining).
- RAG definitions can be viewed by hovering your mouse over the rating in Capacity Tracker. They are now as follows:

RATING	Definition
Blue	At least 1 month supply of PPE available <u>and</u> are confident of ongoing supply
Green	Up to 1 month supply of PPE available <u>or</u> are confident of ongoing supply
Amber	Up to 7 days' supply of PPE available
Red	No PPE supplies or Less than 48hrs supply of PPE available