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Dear Care Home Manager

## **SCOTTISH CARE HOMES CENSUS 2019**

This letter informs you of the arrangements for completing and submitting the 2019 Scottish Care Homes Census eform.

### **Background:**

The Scottish Care Homes Census has been running since 2003. The statistics produced provide a rich source of information on Care Home provision in Scotland which is of use to policy makers and Care Home providers. The latest Care Homes publications can be found on the ISD Scotland website at: <http://www.isdscotland.org/Health-Topics/Health-and-Social-Community-Care/Care-Homes/Previous-Publications/index.asp>

### **Thank you for completing the census return:**

The 2018-19 census form is now open and can be completed through the Care Inspectorate eForms system throughout the year. You can log-in to the eForms system at <https://eforms.careinspectorate.com> and forms must be submitted by 30<sup>th</sup> of August. We sincerely apologise for the delay in opening the collection this year.

### **Changes to Resident Information:**

No changes to the information being asked for since last year.

### **Help and Guidance:**

Guidance on completing the forms is enclosed with this letter and can also be found on our website at:  
<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Health/ScottishCareHomeCensusB>

If the guidance doesn't answer your questions then you can contact the Care Inspectorate Contact Centre helpline on

**0345 600 9527.**

Yours sincerely,

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