## Attachment I-2 Follow-up Email or Mail

Follow-up #1 RCC/ADSC Email 1 of 2 (Group A)

Date

Name of Director Name of Community/Center

Email subject line: 2018 National Study of Long-Term Care Providers—Follow-up #1 (email 1 of 2)

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URL: User ID:

**Password:** (see second email for this)

Benefits to completing by web include getting only the questions that apply to your [residential care community/center] based on your responses—so it takes less time—and having the option to print a copy of your completed questionnaire for your records.

Please submit your provider web questionnaire by [insert date] so it is received before your scheduled appointment on [insert date] at [insert time] for the telephone interview to sample and collect information from you on two of your [residents/participants].

Completing the web questionnaire will take 30 minutes on average. You may need to refer to records to answer some questions. If you would like to see the questions before you complete the survey, visit [insert link]. If you need technical support to complete the provider web questionnaire, want to request a hard copy of the provider questionnaire that you can mail back, or have questions about this study please call (xxx) xxx-xxxx. More information about the study is available at [url to RCC or ADSC respondent portal]

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Please submit your questionnaire by web or hardcopy by [insert date] so it is received before your scheduled appointment on [insert date] at [insert time] for the telephone interview to sample and collect information from you on two of your [residents/participants].

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It is important that we obtain data from all scientifically sampled [residential care communities/centers], including yours, in order to provide accurate, complete, and nationally representative statistics on [residential care communities/adult day services centers] in the United States.

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Can I give you the information to complete the provider questionnaire by web instead of paper?

IF YES, PROVIDE INFORMATION OVER THE PHONE AND/OR BY EMAIL, WHICHEVER R PREFERS.

IF NO: Do you need another hardcopy provider questionnaire?
IF YES, VERIFY MAILING ADDRESS; SEND QUESTIONNAIRE.

Can you submit the completed provider questionnaire by [2 WEEKS FROM TODAY]?

IF YES: Thank you, we look forward to receiving it.

IF NO: By when can you submit the provider questionnaire?

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Thank you for your time today. We look forward to talking to you again on DATE/TIME OF APPOINTMENT. If you have any questions as you complete the provider web/mail questionnaire or before the appointment for the telephone interview or need to reschedule, please call [TOLL-FREE NUMBER].

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