On June 15th, the Bureau of Health Care Safety and Quality, the Drug Control Program and Board of Registration in Pharmacy, through the Bureau of Health Professions Licensure released a revised list of controlled substances in Schedules II-V that Long-Term Care Facilities (LTCFs) are permitted to store on their premises in a locked Emergency Kit. To review the Circular Letter, please click <a href="here">here</a>. Mass Senior Care worked with provider members and pharmacy associate members and the Department of Public Health, Bureau of Professional Licensure to revise the contents of the E-Kit to meet the needs of the changing resident population of member facilities.

If you have questions regarding this Circular Letter, please contact the Drug Control Program at <a href="mailto:dcp.dph@state.ma.us">dcp.dph@state.ma.us</a> or the Division of Health Care Facility Licensure and Certification at <a href="mailto:dph.bhcsq@state.ma.us">dcp.dph@state.ma.us</a>.