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Q: Our Social Services Consultant stated that Equip for Equality (which serves as the federally mandated Protection and Advocacy System for the State of Illinois) is now stating that their Equip for Equality Poster (click here) is now required to be posted in a long term care facility. Is this true?

A: After contacting Equip for Equality, the form in question is NOT mandated by statute to be posted in a long term care facility. A long term care facility may post the poster in their facility if they so desire; but again, it is not mandated to do so.