

**INSURANCE CRISIS?
Tell BQA About Your Insurance Issues!**

BQA has asked WALA and the other associations to gather information on how your insurance costs are rising. This survey is an important one and we ask that you fill it out as **soon as you receive it** and return it to WALA – **no later than January 6**. If you have already received this survey, please return only one per company. While you may respond to a similar survey from other associations, please also reply to this one for your AL beds so we have statewide responses.

Since BQA asked, now is your chance to let them know! Don't pass up this opportunity to give your opinion to BQA.

1. Is your facility or company experiencing unavailability of liability or homeowners insurance?

Yes No – Comments _____

2. If yes to #1, is this new? Have insurers pulled out of this market? Is this industry being "coded" by the insurance companies differently now than they use to be? _____

3. If insurance is available, have the costs increased? _____

4. If yes to #3, approximately by what % has the insurance increased? _____

Comments: _____

5. For small providers, is there a different problem between obtaining liability insurance and homeowners insurance? If so please explain the issues. _____

6. Have you seen an increased number of claims against your policy in the last 2 years? ?

Yes No – Comments _____

7. Please indicate the provider type (CBRF, AFH, RCAC and if the issue is unique to a certain provider type. _____

Total licensed or certified beds each category:

CBRF number of facilities _____; total corporate beds _____

RCAC number of facilities _____; total corporate apartments _____

AFH number of facilities _____; total corporate beds _____

8. Can WALA provide your name to BQA or do you wish it to be anonymous? If yes, your company's name: _____

9. Anything else BQA needs to know to help solve this issue? _____

All responses must be received by WALA (and the other Associations) by **January 6**. Best for WALA is to email your responses to info@ewala.org or send your opinions via fax or mail (address and fax number on reverse). Results will be posted on the WALA website in January.

For more information, log on to www.ewala.org - lots of good information for you there!