

## APG COVID-19 Urgent Alert May 28, 2020

## Wednesday Deadline for Providers to Receive Additional Provider Relief Fund Payment

Providers have until this coming Wednesday, June 3 to submit their revenue information and accept the terms and conditions of payment through the <u>General Distribution Portal</u> in order to receive an additional payment from the Provider Relief Fund's \$50 billion General Distribution.

Providers who received an automatic payment prior to Friday, April 24th, must provide the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) with an accounting of their annual revenues by submitting tax forms or financial statements, in addition to accepting terms and conditions, if they wish to keep their funds. The submission of tax forms or financial statements to the portal will serve as an application for additional funding for providers who have not already received a payment.

The general allocation funding is part of the Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund (PHSSEF) for healthcare providers to provide reimbursement for COVID-19 related expenses and lost revenue from the pandemic.

For additional information, recipients should visit <a href="http://hhs.gov/providerrelief">http://hhs.gov/providerrelief</a> or call the CARES Provider Relief line at (866) 569-3522.

We are here to serve as a resource for you. Please don't hesitate to contact me <a href="here">here</a> with any questions you may have or any situations within your practice that you want me to be aware of.

You can find more resources on our <u>COVID-19 web page</u>. As always, please know that we are in constant contact with federal and agency officials and will share any additional news

with you as soon as possible.

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