



URGENT ALERT

Members of APG,

Today, the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) [announced](#) that certain Medicare providers would have an additional opportunity to apply for provider relief funds. Providers who may now be eligible to apply for Phase 2 General Distribution funding include:

- Providers who were ineligible for the Phase 1 General Distribution due to:
 - A change in ownership in calendar year 2019 or 2020 under Medicare Part A
 - Lack of Medicare Fee-For-Service revenue in 2019
- Providers who received a payment under Phase 1 General Distribution but:
 - Missed the June 3 deadline to submit revenue information
 - Did not receive Phase 1 General Distribution payments totaling approximately two percent of their annual patient revenue
- Providers who previously received General Distribution payment(s), but rejected and returned the funds and are now interested in reapplying

Eligible providers will only receive funding of up to two percent of their reported total revenue from patient care and may now submit their applications funds by **August 28, 2020**. All payment recipients must accept HHS's terms and conditions and may be subject to auditing to ensure the data provided to HHS for payment calculation are accurate. Detailed reporting requirements for these terms and conditions are expected to be released one week from today.

APG will be conducting a **Special Webinar on Tuesday, September 15 at 2:00 pm ET** to help our members and partners understand the reporting and compliance requirements for

providers who accepted more than \$10,000 in COVID-19 Relief Funds that is currently scheduled to be released in detail on August 17. You may [register here](#).

Sincerely,
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