



# Provider Bulletin

## New Hampshire Medicaid

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### Provider Relief Fund: Medicaid & CHIP Provider Distribution

#### DEADLINE TO APPLY EXTENDED AGAIN TO AUGUST 28<sup>th</sup>

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), through the Provider Relief Fund, is distributing \$15 billion to eligible Medicaid, Medicaid managed care, and dental providers that have been impacted by the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). Eligible providers may receive up to 2 percent of reported revenue from patient care. The application deadline has been further extended to offer providers additional opportunity to apply for funding. **You must act by Friday, Aug. 28, 2020 at 11:59 p.m. ET** to be considered for payment from this distribution. Read more about the extension here.

#### **Application Instructions**

The application instructions and application form are available at [hhs.gov/providerrelief](https://hhs.gov/providerrelief) and choose "For Providers." Click on the "Enhanced Provider Relief Fund Payment Portal" within the Medicaid/CHIP Provider Relief. The site also includes a webcast recording, Fact Sheet, and FAQs.

#### **Action Required**

In order to apply, you must submit your Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) for validation through the Enhanced Provider Relief Fund Payment Portal by Aug. 28, 2020. If you receive the results of that validation after Aug. 28, you will still be able to complete and submit your application.

#### **Additional Information**

For additional information, please call the provider support line at (866) 569-3522; for TTY, dial 711. Hours of operation are 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Central Time, Monday through Friday. Service staff members are available to provide real-time technical assistance, as well as service and payment support.

#### **More information on the Provider Relief Fund is also available at the following links:**

For further information about eligibility and attestation requirements, please see the Health Resources & Services Administration (HRSA) fact sheet:

<https://www.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/provider-relief-fund-medicaid-chip-factsheet.pdf>

#### **For Program Overview:**

<https://www.hhs.gov/coronavirus/cares-act-provider-relief-fund/for-providers/index.html>,

#### **FAQs:**

<https://www.hhs.gov/coronavirus/cares-act-provider-relief-fund/faqs/index.html#medicaid-targeted>

Thank you,  
NH Medicaid Provider Relations