

Quality Assurance Updates and Training Opportunities *A message brought to you by ACBH Quality Assurance Office*

CARES Act Provider Relief Fund

Beginning in April, 2020, the U.S Department of Health and Human Services began administering the CARES Act Provider Relief fund: <u>https://www.hhs.gov/coronavirus/cares-act-provider-relief-fund/for-providers/index.html</u>

More recently, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) has announced <u>additional funding</u> is available through the provider relief fund and payment portal. Providers eligible for additional allocations **must** provide HHS with information, and these providers **must** also agree to the program Terms and Conditions. This portal is currently open to Medicaid/CHIP Providers. Before applying through the <u>enhanced provider relief portal</u>, applicants should:

Read the Medicaid Provider Distribution Instructions - PDF*

Download the Medicaid Provider Distribution Application Form - PDF*

Additionally, here is a <u>Summary of COVID-19 Federal Relief Packages and</u> <u>Funding Opportunities</u> compiled by the <u>County Behavioral Health Directors</u> <u>Association of California.</u>

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