



COVID-19 Resources Support: Medical Office/Outpatient



Dear Dental Care Tenants,

Last week we sent you a communication regarding the HHS Medicaid targeted distribution as it relates to dentists. This follow on communication describes the recently announced HHS targeted distribution for dentists.

Last Friday, July 10, 2020, HHS announced a targeted distribution for dentists. The [enhanced provider relief fund payment portal](#) and application are now open to dentists who may not have previously been eligible for funding (e.g., via the general distribution or Medicaid distribution). Eligible dentists will receive a reimbursement of two percent of their annual reported patient revenue and will have until July 24, 2020 to apply. More information on the HHS provider relief fund can be found [here](#).

For clarification, dentists that also bill Medicaid were previously eligible to apply for the Medicaid distribution (open through July 20). Applicants may receive funds only from one distribution.

HHS also made several related updates to its FAQs, [here](#). Some noteworthy FAQ updates include:

Enhanced Provider Relief Fund

Will healthcare providers that have not had their TINs validated by the application deadline of July 20, 2020 be able to submit an application after that date? (Added 7/8/2020) Yes. A healthcare provider must submit their TIN for validation by end of day July 20, 2020. If they receive the results of that validation after July 20, they will still be able to complete and submit their application.

Terms and Conditions

Will healthcare providers that experienced a change in ownership that disqualified them from receiving a Provider Relief Fund payment be able to receive a payment that was returned by the previous owner? (Added 7/8/2020) In order to ensure program integrity and transparency, HHS made Provider Relief Fund payments to healthcare providers based on the latest data available for a TIN. As previous owners are not permitted to transfer funds to the new owner, they were instructed to return the funds to HHS. At this time, HHS will not reissue returned payments to the new owners. Providers that have not received payments under the Provider Relief Fund due to issues related to change of ownership will be eligible to apply for future allocations. Additional information will be posted as available at <https://www.hhs.gov/provider-relief/index.html>.

Dental Providers Distribution FAQs

How were dental providers determined to be eligible for this Distribution? (Added 7/10/2020) Many dental providers have already successfully applied for funding under the Medicaid-focused General Distribution. To support payments to dental providers who may not bill Medicare or Medicaid, HHS has developed a curated list of dental practice TINs from third party sources and HHS datasets. Providers with TINs on the curated list must meet other eligibility requirements including operating in good standing and not be excluded from receiving federal payments. As a next step, HHS will work with states and its vendors to authenticate dental providers not on the curated list.

How can a dental provider find out if they are on the curated list? (Added 7/10/2020) When a dental provider applies, the first step of the application process is to validate that their TIN is on a curated list of known dental providers. HHS will work to validate applicants that are not on that list. If you are concerned you were not on the curated provider list, please ensure you have an active, verifiable dental provider TIN



COVID-19 RESOURCES SUPPORT WEBSITE:
<https://www.lillibridge.com/covid-19>

Send your questions to CovidSupport@ventasreit.com



COVID-19 Resources Support: Medical Office/Outpatient



and submit your information to the Provider Relief Fund application portal. You will be notified if you are permitted to continue your application for PRF payment. Any eligible dental providers not on the curated list will undergo additional review and if validated will be permitted to apply for funding.

We will continue to update you with information as it is released via our [online portal](#). Please do not hesitate to reach out to your property or leasing manager or [email us](#) with any questions. Please note that this communication is intended to be an information resource. Should you need further assistance, please consult your advisors or legal counsel.

Page | 2



COVID-19 RESOURCES SUPPORT WEBSITE:
<https://www.lillibridge.com/covid-19>

Send your questions to CovidSupport@ventasreit.com