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COVID-19 Claims Reimbursement for Testing and Treatment to Health Care Providers and Facilities Serving the Uninsured

As part of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) and <u>CARES Act</u>, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), will provide claims reimbursement to health care providers generally at Medicare rates for testing uninsured patients for COVID-19 and treating uninsured patients with a COVID-19 diagnosis.

Effective Monday, April 27, 2020, providers may begin the enrollment process with the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) to receive reimbursement for the uninsured population. This includes the spenddown population that has not reached their spenddown to become Medicaid eligible.

Health care providers who have conducted COVID-19 testing or provided treatment for uninsured COVID-19 patients on or after February 4, 2020, can request claims reimbursement through the HRSA program electronically and will be reimbursed generally at Medicare rates, subject to available funding.

To receive the most current information regarding reimbursement and treatment for providers serving the uninsured, please check the HRSA website at https://www.hrsa.gov/coviduninsureclaim

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- 1-800-933-6593
- 7:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. Monday - Friday