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FAQs on COVID-19: What We Know as of March 20, 2020

LINKS TO RESOURCES

NOTE: The regulatory environment surrounding COVID-19 is constantly changing; these resources are current as of March 20, 2020. Be advised that guidance and regulations are subject to further change.

March 13, 2020 Waiver or Modification of Requirements Under Section 1135 of the Social Security Act https://www.phe.gov/emergency/news/healthactions/section1135/Pages/covid19-13March20.aspx

CMS COVID-19 Emergency Declaration Health Care Providers Fact Sheet https://www.cms.gov/files/document/covid19-emergency-declaration-health-care-providers-fact-sheet.pdf

Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2020 https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6074/text

Main CMS Emergency Page

https://www.cms.gov/About-CMS/Agency-Information/Emergency/EPRO/Current-Emergencies/Current-Emergencies-page

Medicaid COVID-19 FAQs

index.html

https://www.medicaid.gov/state-resource-center/downloads/covid-19-fags.pdf

DEA Permission to Prescribe Controlled Substances via Telemedicine https://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/coronavirus.html

CMS FAQs on Survey Suspension

https://www.cms.gov/files/document/covid19survey-activity-suspension-faqs.pdf

CMS Guidance for Infection Control and Prevention of COVID-19 in Nursing Homes https://www.cms.gov/files/document/3-13-2020-nursing-home-guidance-covid-19.pdf

Medicare Telehealth Frequently Asked Questions, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, March 17, 2020 https://edit.cms.gov/files/document/medicare-telehealth-frequently-asked-questions-fags-31720.pdf

Medicare Telemedicine Health Care Provider Fact Sheet, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, March 17, 2020 https://www.cms.gov/newsroom/fact-sheets/medicare-telemedicine-health-care-provider-fact-sheet

OIG Policy Statement Regarding Physicians and Other Practitioners That Reduce or Waive Amounts Owed by Federal Health Care Program Beneficiaries for Telehealth Services During the 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak, March 17, 2020 https://oig.hhs.gov/fraud/docs/alertsandbulletins/2020/policy-telehealth-2020.pdf

Notification of Enforcement Discretion For Telehealth Remote Communications During The COVID-19 Nationwide Public Health Emergency, U.S. Department Of Health & Human Services, March 17, 2020 https://www.hhs.gov/hipaa/for-professionals/special-topics/emergency-preparedness/notification-enforcement-discretion-telehealth/

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