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*Please reach out to your VillageMD market leader with questions and concerns.*

- The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) [extended the deadline for healthcare providers to attest](#) to receipt of payments from the Provider Relief Fund and accept the Terms and Conditions. Providers will now have 45 days, increased from 30 days, from the date they receive a payment to attest and accept the Terms and Conditions or return the funds. With the extension, not returning the payment within 45 days of receipt of payment will be viewed as acceptance of the Terms and Conditions.
- The COVID-19 Uninsured Program Portal is [open](#) and accepting claims from providers for testing and treating the uninsured.
- New CMS Telehealth [payment codes](#), announced this week, will offer reimbursement for phone calls.
- The U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO) released a report on combating Opioid addiction, finds more access to treatment is needed.
- Senators Young and Bennett [introduced](#) legislation to allow companies with greatest COVID impact to access the Paycheck Protection Program and emergency loans.
- Nancy Pelosi, speaker of the United State House of Representatives, is set to [unveil](#) a Democratic COVID relief package, focused on funding to states and first responders.
- Finance Committee Chairman Grassley clarified that employers who continue providing health insurance to furloughed workers are able to file for the employee retention tax credit.
- CDC updated their [FAQ document for businesses](#). The FAQs cover topics including suspected or confirmed cases in the workplace, reducing the spread in workplaces, healthy business operations, cleaning and disinfecting, critical infrastructure and additional resources.
- The U.S. Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions (HELP) will hold hearing on policies and procedures to get the country back to work and students back to school.