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### **HHS Announces Additional Relief Fund Payments for Medicaid and CHIP Providers**

Earlier this week, the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) announced that it would be making additional Provider Relief Payments to Medicaid and CHIP providers who have not yet received a payment from the Provider Relief Fund. HHS expects to distribute 15 billion in funds to eligible providers. For full instructions on reporting revenue and accessing the Provider Relief Portal, click [here](#).

The Provider Relief Fund Portal will allow eligible Medicaid and CHIP providers to report their annual patient revenue, which will be used as a factor in determining their Provider Relief Payment. To be eligible, physicians and other health care professionals must not have received earlier payments from the Provider Relief Fund General Distribution. Other requirements include having billed Medicaid between January 1, 2018, and December 31, 2019, in addition to providing patient care after January 31, 2020. Payments will be at least two percent of reported gross revenue from patient care, but other factors will be considered.