

\$25.5 Billion in New Funding for Health Care Providers

Apply by October 26, 2021 8:59pm PT

L.A. Care Health Plan is aware that our physician provider community has seen many challenges this year. We are writing to inform you that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) is making \$25.5 billion in new provider relief funding available to healthcare providers. The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), an agency of HHS, is administering the provider relief programs. We encourage all eligible providers [apply](#) through the combined application for Provider Relief Fund (PRF) Phase 4 and American Rescue Plan (ARP) Rural funding. Provider Relief Fund (PRF) Phase 4 funds will be allocated as follows:

- (1) Base payments will account for 75% of the payment and be determined by changes to your operating revenues and expenses from Jul. 1, 2020 through Mar. 31, 2021. Note smaller providers will be reimbursed a higher percentage.
- (2) Bonus payments will account for 25% of the payment and be determined by the amount of services provided to Medicare, Medicaid (like your L.A. Care Medi-Cal patients), and Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) patients.

Eligible providers are those who bill Medicare fee-for-service (Parts A, B, and C), Medicaid (fee-for-service or managed care) and/or CHIP as well as dental service providers, state-licensed or certified assisted living facilities, behavioral health providers, and [others](#).

The application is due by **October 26, 2021 at 8:59 PM PT**. To learn more and access helpful resources from HHS and HRSA, follow the links below or go to <https://www.lacare.org/news/255-billion-new-funding-health-care-providers>:

- [HRSA Provider Relief Funding Homepage](#)
- [Application instructions](#)
- [Sample application form](#)
- [“How to Apply” flow chart](#)
- [Frequently asked questions \(FAQs\)](#)
- Provider Support Line: (866) 569-3522
- [Phase 4 Terms and Conditions](#)
- [ARP Rural Terms and Conditions](#)

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