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  - Subject: Termination of Non-Emergency Follow-up Services Per Bulletin MSA 20-40 - COVID-19 Response: Emergency Services Only Beneficiaries and Coverage of Testing and Treatment of COVID-19

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**Effective:** May 12, 2023

**Programs Affected:** Emergency Services Only (ESO)

Bulletin <u>MSA 20-40</u>, issued on May 11, 2020, states that in addition to currently covered ESO services, medically necessary COVID-19 testing, treatment, and follow-up services provided to ESO beneficiaries are covered until the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) notifies providers of its termination. This policy notifies providers that non-emergency COVID-19 follow-up services described in bulletin MSA 20-40 are no longer covered beginning for dates of service on May 12, 2023, the day following the end of the federal COVID-19 Public Health Emergency (PHE). COVID-19 testing and treatment services will continue to be covered. In addition, COVID-19 vaccine services will continue to be covered without co-payment as indicated by <u>bulletin MSA 20-75</u>. Refer to the Emergency Services Only Medicaid chapter of the <u>MDHHS Medicaid Provider Manual</u> for additional information regarding specific coverage under the ESO program.

## **Manual Maintenance**

Information is time-limited and will not be incorporated into any policy or procedure manuals.

## Questions

Any questions regarding this bulletin should be directed to Provider Inquiry, Department of Health and Human Services, P.O. Box 30731, Lansing, Michigan 48909-8231, or e-mailed to <u>ProviderSupport@michigan.gov</u>. When you submit an e-mail, be sure to include your name, affiliation, NPI number, and phone number so you may be contacted if necessary. Typical Providers may phone toll-free 1-800-292-2550. Atypical Providers may phone toll-free 1-800-979-4662.

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