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Updated Pharmacy Provider Guidance On COVID-19 Vaccines Administration

The Office of Pharmacy Services (OPS) has made modifications to the previously provided guidance, <u>Advisory 219</u>, issued on December 11, 2020, on COVID-19 Vaccines Administration.

The following modifications have been made to the Maryland Medicaid COVID-19 Vaccines Administration payer sheet:

- Modified field description to Pharmacy Provider Segment for Segment Identification (111-AM) = "02"
- Modified the valid value for field 465-EY to be 05

An <u>updated</u> COVID-19 vaccine payer sheet is available under Payer Specific Information at: http://www.mdrxprograms.com/ooep.html#Pl

In an effort to give timely notice to the pharmacy community concerning important pharmacy topics, the Maryland Department of Health (MDH) Office of Pharmacy Services (OPS) has developed the Maryland Medicaid Pharmacy Program Advisory.

To expedite information timely to the pharmacy and prescriber communities, an email network has been established which incorporates the email lists of the Maryland Pharmacists Association, EPIC, CARE, Long Term Care Consultants, headquarters of all chain drugstores and prescriber associations and organizations.

It is our hope that the information is disseminated to all interested parties. If you have not received this email through any of the previously noted parties or via MDH, please contact the OPS representative at 410-767-1455.