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MEMORANDUM

To: DMHAS Private Non-Profit Providers
From: Miriam E. Delphin-Rittmon, Ph.D.
Date: May 18, 2020
Subject: DMHAS COVID-19 Provider Update #17

Today's Provider Update is brief and contains information about expanded testing opportunities and a reminder about an extension of the due date for required reporting. It is clear that providers, like DMHAS, are managing multiple priorities in this environment. I cannot thank you and your staff enough for all you have done to work on behalf of our clients throughout the pandemic.

Extension of Budget Revision Due Date

PNP CEO's should have received a communication on Friday regarding the extension of the due date for Budget Revisions. The due date has been extended until May 31, 2020. Please consult that communication from DMHAS' Chief of Fiscal Administration if you have questions.

CVS Testing Sites

We have previously sent out information regarding the CVS Rapid Testing site in New Haven. As Connecticut moves to re-open sectors that have been closed, Governor Lamont is stressing the importance of testing. I wanted to make you aware that CVS has significantly enhanced their testing capacity in order to make testing more widely available at a local level. Last week they announced the opening of an additional twelve drive-up sites across the state. Please note that persons who request testing must meet certain criteria in order to be tested. The information regarding the test sites can be obtained at the following link:

<https://www.cvs.com/minuteclinic/covid-19-testing>

The new testing sites in Connecticut include:

CVS Pharmacy, 7 Durant Avenue, Bethel, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 905 South Main Street, Cheshire, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 3514 Main Street, Coventry, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 54 East High Street, East Hampton, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 875 Enfield Street, Enfield, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 2639 Main Street, Glastonbury, CT

(860) 418-7000

410 Capitol Avenue, P.O. Box 341431, Hartford, Connecticut 06134

<https://portal.ct.gov/dmhas>

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CVS Pharmacy, 1057 Boston Post Road, Guilford, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 479 Blue Hills Avenue, Hartford, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 150 Washington Street, Hartford, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 323 Cromwell Avenue, Rocky Hill, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 525 Buckland Street, South Windsor, CT
CVS Pharmacy, 1 Hawley Lane, Stratford, CT

I am also inserting a link to a story in the Hartford Courant today which focuses on testing sites that will open in Hartford. The link is below.

<https://www.courant.com/coronavirus/hc-news-coronavirus-hartford-testing-sites-20200515-v6phu2ubw5avbkuov7534kdmzm-story.html>

As a reminder, private providers can still access priority testing using the information we have previously sent out.

I am pleased to say that as a state we continue to see positive signs related to managing the virus. Testing is being greatly expanded, hospitalizations continue to decrease, and the number of new cases is slowing. Clearly work remains to be done but we are having a positive effect on containing the disease. Thank you for your efforts. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me at Miriam.Delphin-Rittmon@ct.gov or Deputy Commissioner Nancy Navarretta via email at Nancy.Navarretta@ct.gov.