

KMAP GENERAL BULLETIN 12122

Application Fee Update

Per CMS final rule 6028-F, state Medicaid programs must collect an application fee for new provider applications and reactivations due to being terminated for any reason. The following providers are exempt from the application fee:

- Individual providers or nonphysician practitioners
- Providers who are enrolled with Medicare
- Providers who paid the application fee to either Medicare or another state Medicaid plan after March 25, 2011

The application fee for 2013 will be \$532.00. Payment must be made in the form of a bank-certified check or money order made out to the State of Kansas – Medicaid. This amount will go into effect for any application received on and after January 1, 2013.

Note: In order to waive the application fee, proof of enrollment or revalidation in Medicare or another state Medicaid plan is required and must be dated after March 25, 2011. For Medicare providers, a copy of your most recent Medicare explanation of benefits (EOB) is also acceptable proof of active enrollment. Proof of payment is a receipt or formal notification from Medicare or the other state Medicaid plan specifically indicating payment of the application fee.

If an application is received and deemed to require an application fee and one is not attached or payment is not in an acceptable format, the entire application will be returned to the provider requesting proper payment.

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