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To:	Assisted Living Facilities Participating in the Nebraska Medicaid Program
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Re:	Provider Relief Funds for Assisted Living Facilities

This bulletin is being issued in follow up to <u>Provider Bulletin 20-25</u> and <u>20-27</u> and in response to the announcement from the federal Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) on September 2, 2020, announcing that Assisted Living Facilities (ALFs) can now qualify for the Medicaid & CHIP Provider Relief Fund distribution as part of HHS's Phase 2 of funds distribution.

ALFs interested in applying must begin their application by September 13, 2020. Eligible ALFs will receive 2 percent of their annual revenue from patient care.

More details on this update are available on HHS's website, including previously recorded Phase 2 application webinars, frequently asked questions (FAQs) and other information on how to apply through the recently simplified application process:

HHS Website

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