A Look at the Provider Relief Grants

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Overview of How Funds Have Been Distributed

General (2% patient revenue)

• Medicare providers

- Medicaid providers (in process)
- Dentists (in process)

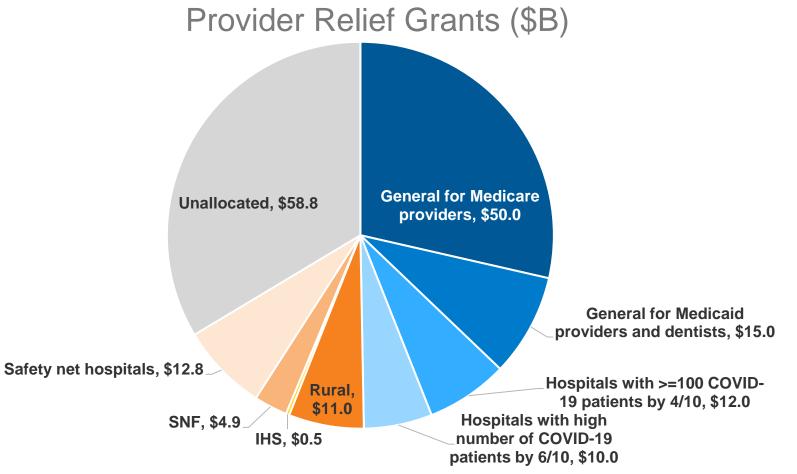


- Hospitals with a lot of COVID-19 cases
- Safety net hospitals
- Rural providers
- Skilled nursing facilities
- Indian health service

* Money also being used to reimburse providers for treating uninsured COVID-19 patients



Figure 3 Announced Provider Relief Allocations as of Aug. 3, 2020



Total: \$175B

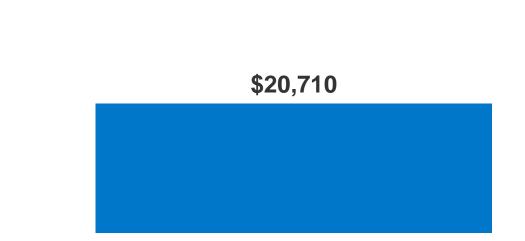
NOTES: General allocation for Medicare providers was based on their total net patient revenue; \$15B for Medicaid providers and denists will also be based on total net patient revenue; \$12B for hospitals with at least 100 COVID-19 patients by 4/10 includes the additional \$2B for safety net hospitals; the \$11B for rural hospitals includes the \$1B announced on 7/10/2020 for certain special rural Medicare designation hospitals in urban areas as well as others who provide care in smaller non-rural communities; SNF is skilled nursing facility, IHS is Indian Health Service. SOURCE: KFF analysis of HHS announcements regarding provider relief grant allocations



Formula HHS Used Rewards Providers with More Revenue from Private Insurers

Relief funds per hospital bed for hospitals in the top and bottom decile of private insurance revenue as a share of total net patient revenue:





Hospitals with the Highest Share of Private Insurance Revenue

Hospitals with the Lowest Share of Private Insurance Revenue

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Note: Hospitals with missing data were excluded

Source: KFF calculations based on analysis of data from RAND Hospital Data tool for analyzing the data in the CMS Healthcare Cost Report Information System (HCRIS)

\$44,321

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