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TO: All Health Insurers

**RE: Healthcare Common Producer Coding System (HCPCS) Code
for certain COVID-19 Diagnostic Tests**

In response to questions from industry, the Insurance Commissioner advises all health carriers that the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has developed a HCPCS code that can be used by laboratories to bill for certain COVID-19 tests.

For more information, please consult the CMS website at <https://www.cms.gov/newsroom/press-releases/cms-develops-additional-code-coronavirus-lab-tests>.

Should you have any questions concerning this Bulletin, please contact Ms. Erica J. Bailey, Associate Commissioner Compliance & Enforcement, by e-mail at erica.bailey@maryland.gov or by telephone at (410) 468-2113, or Mr. David Cooney, Associate Commissioner for Life & Health by e-mail at david.cooney@maryland.gov or by telephone at (410) 468-2215.

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