Final DSH and Outpatient Hospital Supplemental Payment

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Hospital Administrators

This letter is to update you on two payments that may have been on recent remits.

**SFY07 Outpatient Hospital Supplemental Payment (formerly known as the “TOP”)**

OHCA has processed the SFY07 outpatient hospital supplemental payment, formerly known as the transitional outpatient payment (TOP), and this payment appeared on providers remits dated 9/19/2007. This payment will be found on the financial transaction page under non-claim specific payouts on your remit. This payment is the result of appropriations made for in-state hospitals for SFY07 to bring Oklahoma Medicaid outpatient hospital payments more in line with provider’s costs. This payment is not patient specific and is made based on each facility’s outpatient costs and payments relative to other facilities during the period. If your facility did not receive a payment then either you did not have any paid outpatient hospital claims for the period or the claim specific payments you received covered your costs for these services. Additional information on how this payment was calculated can be found on our public website at the following link.

If you have any questions or require additional information about this payment please phone Kelly Taylor at (405) 522-7108 or email at Kelly.Taylor@okhca.org.

**Final FFY07 Disproportionate Share (DSH) Payment**

OHCA has processed the final FFY07 DSH payment and this payment appeared on providers remits dated 9/26/2007. This payment will be found on the financial transaction page under non-claim specific payouts on your remit. This payment may differ from the original award letter as each facility’s upper payment limit (UPL) was recalculated using actual charge and payment data from SFY07 (including the outpatient hospital supplemental payment referenced above). Based on this new UPL calculation some facilities DSH payments were reduced / eliminated. These facilities have been contacted individually. However, the reduction / elimination of these DSH payments resulted in money being added back to the DSH pool and redistributed.

If you have any questions or require additional information about this payment please phone Stephen Weiss at (405) 522-7530 or email at Stephen.Weiss@okhca.org.

Thank you for your continued service to Oklahoma’s SoonerCare members.