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## Deadline Extended: Receive Funding for Unvaccinated HPSM Members

Dear provider,

The Health Plan of San Mateo (HPSM) has recently extended the deadline for its COVID-19 Vaccine Incentive Program to January 31, 2022. Providers do not need to become COVID-19 vaccinators to qualify for some of the additional funding. Apply here: <a href="mailto:tinyurl.com/CovaxIncentive">tinyurl.com/CovaxIncentive</a>

- If a provider is already a vaccinator or decides to sign up to become a vaccinator before January 31, 2022, registered PCPs will receive \$10 per unvaccinated assigned member as of the date that your Vaccination Plan of Action is approved by HPSM. Contact <u>calvaxgrant@phcdocs.org</u> for support in signing up.
- 2. A provider can receive funding for each assigned HPSM member who receives their first dose on or after the date your Plan of Action is approved by HPSM. This funding is available regardless of where the member receives their vaccine, and you don't need to be a registered vaccinator to receive this funding. PCPs with an approved Plan of Action will receive \$60 per unvaccinated assigned member who receives their first dose during the period.

Both types of funding will only be available while this program is active. Currently the program is slated to end on February 28, 2022. We will notify you if it is extended.

Please allow 10 business days for your plan to be approved by HPSM, and respond promptly to inquiries from HPSM staff in follow up to your plan.

The spread of the omicron variant of COVID-19 means that vaccination will continue to be important for San Mateo County. Receive additional payments and support now while you can.

In addition to this funding, here are some resources you can use today:

- All PCPs can access a list of their unvaccinated members today, via our eReports portal. Look for the report titled, "COVID-19 Unvaccinated Member Detail": reports.hpsm.org/skins/Hillary/
- Vaccine confidence materials: <u>www.hpsm.org/provider-covid-resources/vaccine-resources</u>
- Help members find an appointment: <a href="https://www.hpsm.org/covid-19/vaccination">www.hpsm.org/covid-19/vaccination</a>

Thank you for all you are doing to close the gap in COVID-19 vaccination rates in San Mateo County,

The Health Plan of San Mateo