

**Masks from the ADA** Within the next two days each SDDA member will receive an email from the ADA inviting you to order masks. These masks were acquired by the ADA through FEMA for distribution to dentists. They are KN95 masks made by 3M. If you are in need of masks please respond to the ADA's invitation to order.

**Medicaid Provider Relief** If you are looking for more information about Medicaid Provider Relief funding please go to this information site hosted by HRSA: <https://www.hhs.gov/coronavirus/cares-act-provider-relief-fund/faqs/index.html#medicaid-targeted>

According to HRSA, the payment to each provider will be at least 2 percent of reported gross revenue from patient care; the final amount each provider receives will be determined after the data is submitted, including information about the number of Medicaid patients providers serve. Providers must submit their gross revenues from patient care for Calendar Year 2017, or 2018 or 2019 by July 20, 2020.

To be eligible dentists:

1. Must not have received payment from the \$50 billion General Distribution; and
2. Must have directly billed Medicaid/CHIP programs or Medicaid managed care plans for healthcare-related services during the period of January 1, 2018, to December 31, 2019, or (ii) own (on the application date) an included subsidiary that has billed Medicaid for healthcare-related services during the period of January 1, 2018, to December 31, 2019; and
3. Must have either (i) filed a federal income tax return for fiscal years 2017, 2018 or 2019 or (ii) be an entity exempt from the requirement to file a federal income tax return and have no beneficial owner that is required to file a federal income tax return. (e.g. a state-owned hospital or healthcare clinic); and
4. Must have provided patient care after January 31, 2020; and
5. Must not have permanently ceased providing patient care directly, or indirectly through included subsidiaries; and
6. If the applicant is an individual, have gross receipts or sales from providing patient care reported on Form 1040, Schedule C, Line 1, excluding income reported on a W-2 as a (statutory) employee.