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**To: Provider Network**  
**From: Willie E. Brooks, Jr., CEO; and Stacie Durant, CFO**  
**Cc: Eric Doeh, COO; Dhannetta Brown, Deputy CFO; Kimberly Flowers, Interim CCO; and Manny Singla, CIO**  
**Re: Payout - \$2.00/hr. DCW COVID-19 Premium Pay Final (April-June)**

On July 29, 2020, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) published a clarification letter which indicated the DCW premium pay should be applied for all hours worked not billed.

Subsequently, MDHHS requested the PIHP's await further guidance on this matter; to date, DWIHN has not received an update. Upon notification from MDHHS, DWIHN will adhere to the guidelines mandated.

Nevertheless, on Tuesday, August 25, 2020, Detroit Wayne Integrated Health Network (DWIHN) will deposit the final payments for the April 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 \$2.00/hr. direct wage premium. All claims that were submitted but not paid on July 23, 2020, should be included in this payment. Please notify us immediately if you do not see the revised claim in MHWIN.

DWIHN has received numerous emails on the calculation methodology used to determine the amount of the premium pay to providers. The payments were made based upon the authorizations and associated levels that were authorized and not based on actual staff hours worked.

We thank you so much for your patience and your tireless efforts in making sure that those we have taken a responsibility to serve, continue to receive outstanding services and care.

Sincere Regards,  
Willie E. Brooks, Jr.

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