

TO: All Providers
FROM: CareFirst of Maryland Inc.
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SUBJECT: Medicare Secondary Payer

Four new fact sheets on the subject of Medicare Secondary Payer are now available on the Medlearn Web page at:

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/medlearn/pubs.asp>

These fact sheets should provide useful in explaining provider/billing clerk responsibilities. The new fact sheets are titled as follows:

“Collecting, Submitting and Updating Beneficiary Information for Clinical Laboratories”

“Complying with Medicare Secondary Payer Requirements”

“Collecting, Submitting and Updating Beneficiary Insurance Information to Medicare”

“When Medicare is the Primary Payer”

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