



August 15, 2018

RE: Private Hospital Direct Payment (PHDP)

Dear Participating Hospitals,

L.A. Care Health Plan (L.A. Care) is aware that our Participating Hospitals have received volume charts from the California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) regarding the Hospital Quality Assurance Fee (HQAF) program which provides funding for supplemental payments to California hospitals that serve Medi-Cal and uninsured patients.

L.A. Care is collaborating with our Plan Partners and preparing to disseminate a detailed communication to Participating Hospitals pertaining to the process developed to aid the completion of any necessary encounter remediation analysis within the timeframes provided by DHCS.

Should you have any questions/concerns regarding the elements of this communication, please contact ProviderCommunications@lacare.org

Thank you,

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