

PROVIDER ALERT

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION: PROVIDER REGISTRATION "TOKENS"

DECEMBER 13, 2019

Providers must obtain Incedo log-in credentials in order to register in the Provider Connect system. Credentials are received after providers complete the **required** Optum Maryland Provider Survey.

Important information you need to know about obtaining tokens:

- Completing this survey is required for you to receive your Incedo log-in credentials for the Provider Connect system. You can access the survey <u>here</u>.
 <u>MDH highly suggests providers complete the survey no later than December</u> 20, 2019 to avoid issues with registering in advance of the transition on <u>January 1</u>. A pop-up window appears when the survey is completed with the message: "Thank you, your survey has been submitted." This window may not appear if your browser pop-ups turned off.
- **Providers receive one token for each of their provider types.** For example, if a provider is a psychiatrist and a psychologist, they should complete a separate survey for each provider type and two separate tokens would be issued.
- <u>One survey should be completed for each provider type under the same tax</u> <u>identification number</u>. Tokens are assigned based on the unique combination of one provider type and one tax identification; locations are not a consideration for assigning tokens.
- **Providers will receive two emails.** Emails containing tokens will be sent to providers in groups, two to three times each week through January 31, 2020.
 - The first email will be instructions on how to access the secure email and proceed with registration. *Read the instructions carefully.*
 - The second, secure email will include <u>both the Incedo Unique ID and</u> <u>the tokens</u>. Accessing the secure emails will require the additional steps outlined in the instructions in the first email.
 - If you have taken the survey and not received the tokens, be sure to check your SPAM or JUNK email folders. If the emails are not there, contact the individual below.
- Providers who complete the survey can log-on to Provider Connect starting December 16. The Incedo Provider Connect system is designed to work with the Google Chrome browser and is best suited to access the system. Chrome can be obtained from Google at https://www.google.com/chrome/.

For questions of issues associated with obtaining tokens or registering on the Provider Connect system, **contact Nicole Fleming at Optum** (<u>nicole.fleming@optum.com</u>, **443-896-0505**).

Important Reminder:

• The Maryland Department of Health regularly updates the information on the ASO Transition webpage – <u>health.maryland.gov/mdh-aso-transition</u>.

Provider Alerts can be viewed online by clicking on the following link: <u>http://maryland.beaconhealthoptions.com/provider/prv_alerts.html</u>.

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