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COVID-19 Vaccine Administration

Dear Provider,

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) released an update to APL 20-022, COVID-19 Vaccine Administration. The updated APL highlights the following:

- Third Primary Series Dose of mRNA COVID-19 Vaccine for Persons Considered Moderately or Severely Immunosuppressed
- Booster Recommendations
- COVID-19 Testing Requirements for Health and Congregate Care Workers
- Face Covering Guidance in Response to COVID-19 Variants and Population Vaccination Rates
- Requirements for Visitors in Acute Health Care and Long-Term Care Settings
- Health Care Worker Vaccine Requirement

For more information, please visit:

<https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/formsandpubs/Documents/MMCDAPLsandPolicyLetters/APL2020/APL20-022.pdf>

If you have any questions, please contact the Provider Relations Department at (661) 664-5000.

Sincerely,

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