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## Reminders

### 2020 HIPAA/OSHA/BLS TRAINING

Get your 2020 HIPAA, mandatory OSHA, & BLS training scheduled with MSD Compliance Coordinator Dwayne Downs at 302-366-1023.

### MSD CORONAVIRUS RESOURCES

Please visit our MSD Coronavirus Resource page for continued updated guidance on COVID-19 at <https://tinyurl.com/MSDCOVID19>

### MSD IS ON FACEBOOK

"Like" the Medical Society of Delaware Facebook page for informative posts, pictures and events. Like Follow us at: [@medicalsocietyofdelaware](https://www.facebook.com/MedicalSocietyofDelaware/_or) and turn on your notifications.

### BE AN MSD HERO - JOIN THE MSD HERO BLOOD DRIVE

Please join the Medical Society of Delaware by filling out a Hero Card and donating life-saving blood from now until September 21<sup>st</sup>. For more information visit <https://tinyurl.com/MSDBLDDRVE>

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## Warning - New Phone Scam

MSD would like to make you aware of a recently reported phone scam. The caller identifies himself as a representative from the Delaware State Fraternal Order of Police (FOP). The caller then solicits a donation for a lifetime membership, advising that you will receive a medallion that can be presented to a police officer should you ever get pulled over. The caller also may list names of other Delaware physicians who have made large donations. Telephone scams can be reported to the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-382-457.

## Dealmed Offers In Office SARS-COV-2 Test

Becton Dickinson (BD) launched a rapid, point of care antigen test to detect the presence of SARS-Cov-2 through their easy to use, portable Veritor Plus System. It is a CLIA waived, FDA EUA approved test that can be performed in any health care setting. By performing the test through their Veritor Plus System, it will give you an objective, positive or negative result in 15 minutes. This enables real time results and a course of action while the patient is still onsite. Dealmed Medical Supplies is an MSD Affinity partner, making available medical supplies to include PPE and the new in-office SARS-CoV-2 test at discounted pricing. Please contact Sonja Baggett, Dealmed Medical Consultant at 302-766-2124 or [sbaggett@dealmed.com](mailto:sbaggett@dealmed.com) or visit <https://tinyurl.com/CVDTestDealmed>.

## AMA Approves Two Additional CPT Codes to Support Response to COVID-19

The American Medical Association (AMA) published an update to the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) code set that includes two code additions for reporting medical services sparked by the public health response to the COVID-19 pandemic. This update is the latest in a series of modifications to the CPT codes set to meet the needs of the health care industry as medical advancements expand the fight against COVID-19. For more information on the new CPT codes visit <https://tinyurl.com/CVD19CPT>.

## DPH Updates

On Wednesday, September 2, 2020, the Division of Public Health (DPH) and Medical Society of Delaware (MSD) partnered on another successful call to update the medical community on several key topics including access to COVID-19 results via the DHIN, provider reporting requirements, and new child care guidance related to return-to-work and school notes after exclusion. If you would like to read the information sheet from that meeting, visit <https://tinyurl.com/DPHCLSHEET> or to listen to the recorded call, visit <https://tinyurl.com/DPHCLCRCD>.

## DE Relief Grants Applications Now Open

Applications for the first round of DE Relief Grants are now open. DE Relief Grants will help Delaware small businesses begin the process of recovery by making necessary investments to create safer spaces for their customers and staff. To apply for the grant visit [www.delbiz.com/relief](http://www.delbiz.com/relief)

## COVID-19 Vaccination Capacity Survey

The Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH) is making preparations for the anticipated Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) vaccine when it becomes available. To that end, DPH is compiling a list of health care professionals willing and able to become COVID-19 vaccinators. This survey will assess your capacity to store and handle the COVID-19 vaccines, as well as the number of staff and patients in your practice who may need to be vaccinated. Those who meet the standards for vaccine storage and handling and have the patient load and staff to warrant becoming a vaccinator will be contacted for a follow-up call and site visit by DPH staff. To take this survey please visit <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/YGD8DDT>.

## State Auditor COVID-19 Survey

Medical Society of Delaware members are asked to participate in a COVID-19 survey prepared by the State Auditor's office. This survey will help the state to increase the accuracy of data collection. Additionally, your responses will help the state more effectively apply analytical techniques in order to improve the understanding of the pandemic's progression and help to better guide public health actions. Please take about 10 minutes to review and fill out each question to the best of your ability. To take the survey please visit <https://tinyurl.com/DELCVD19SRVY>.