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To: Chief Financial Officers – All Hospitals

From: Dennis N. Phelps – Deputy Director-Audit & Compliance

Date: January 6, 2022

Re: Clarification - Suspension of Telehealth Regulations– COMAR
10.37.10.07-1

The purpose of this memorandum is to clarify my previous memorandum announcing the suspension of the Telehealth regulations adopted on November 10 and effective December 13, 2021. The memorandum failed to designate the effective date of the suspension of the regulations. The effective date of the suspension of the Telehealth regulations is the date of the original memorandum, January 6, 2022.

If you have any questions, you may contact me at dennis.phelps@maryland.gov.

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As a result of actions taken by Governor Hogan on January 4, 2022, including the proclamation that a State of Emergency and Catastrophic Health Emergency exists within the entire State of Maryland, the Health Services Cost Review Commission is hereby suspending the effective date of the Telehealth regulations (COMAR 10.37.10.07-1) adopted by the Commission on November 10, effective December 13, 2021.

This suspension is expected to stay in effect for the duration of Maryland's State of Emergency.

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