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To: Healthcare Providers and Hospitals

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RE: Increase in Newborn Screening Fee

Effective April 14, 2025, the newborn screening (NBS) and follow-up testing fee will increase from \$106.00 to **\$163.74** per infant. The last time the fee was increased was in 2015 and since then, seven additional tests have been implemented into Maryland's NBS panel to screen for the following conditions: SMA (Spinal Muscular Atrophy), Guanidinoacetate Methyltransferase Deficiency (GAMT), Mucopolysaccharidosis Type I (MPS I), Mucopolysaccharidosis Type II (MPS II), Pompe, Fabry and X-linked Adrenoleukodystrophy (X-ALD). The fee increase was approved to cover our increased testing and follow-up costs.