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Dear Participating Colleague,

This communication is to announce that MVMA has finalized the 2020 physician incentive programs criteria for those physicians who qualify by specialty and minimum threshold of patients. As in prior years, both quality and utilization measure results are reported after the close of the year. We are continuing efforts to shorten the lag between the performance year and ultimately sending out to practices checks for the incentive funds earned.

The current Covid-19 crisis has caused each practice to experience significant disruption of usual workflows and alterations in the manner in which physicians interface with their patients. Undoubtedly, practices are reassessing how they will be rendering care in the future to enhance quality and efficiency.

To that end, we are pleased to announce MVMA's Program Excellence & Innovation initiative as part of our 2020 incentive program. This portion of the incentive program is not restricted by number of MVP members seen or on a group's panel, nor by specialty. It is open to the entire network.

Eligibility for the Program Excellence & Innovation incentive payment is determined through an application process with a deadline of September 30, 2020 and committee review of the information. Applications will be evaluated as they are received with the goal of payment for approved programs to follow shortly thereafter.

There are three tiers, with stratification of payment based on both infrastructure cost and anticipated or realized value:

Tier 1 – Mature program wide in scope and results – up to \$50,000

Tier 2 – Program in effect for 1 year with results compared to a baseline – up to \$25,000

Tier 3 – New program within its first year of implementation – up to \$10,000

If your group would like to be considered for payment of your innovative program, please submit the attached application and supporting documentation. As part of the evaluation process, we will contact you to schedule a meeting or conference call with MVMA's Medical Director. Please contact Debbie Zadrozny via email at dzadrozny@mvma.net with any questions.

Sincerely,

Richard B. Toll, MD
President & CEO



2020 MVMA PHYSICIAN INCENTIVE PROGRAM

PRACTICE PROGRAM EXCELLENCE APPLICATION

GROUP NAME: _____

INNOVATION INITIATIVE NAME:

INNOVATION INITIATIVE DESCRIPTION (add additional page if necessary):

IS THERE A FORMAL DOCUMENT? YES (please provide) ____ NO ____

IS THERE A BUSINESS PLAN? YES (please provide) ____ NO ____

DESCRIBE WHAT LED TO DEVELOPMENT OF THE INITIATIVE?

IS THERE BASELINE DATA THAT SUPPORTED THE NEED TO FOCUS ON THIS AREA?

PROGRAM START DATE:

IS THERE A PATIENT SATISFACTION COMPONENT TO THE PROGRAM? (Provide copy of survey)

IS THERE STAFF DEDICATED TO THIS INITIATIVE (Care Managers, Pharmacists, etc.)

HOW ARE YOU MEASURING EFFECTIVENESS OF THIS INITIATIVE AND HOW OFTEN?

WHEN WILL YOU HAVE RESULTS TO SHARE?

PARTICIPANTS IN MEETING OR ON CALL WITH MVMA:

Group: _____

MVMA: _____

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: SEPTEMBER 30, 2020

EMAIL APPLICATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION TO DEBBIE ZADROZNY, RN, MVMA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AT dzadrozny@mvma.net