

Provider Enrollment Update as of March 2011

Final Rule indicates that certain providers will be required to pay an application fee

Pursuant to Section 6401 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, certain providers will be required to pay an application fee. The CMS -6028-FC Final Rule indicates that Medicare will collect the application fee for those institutional providers who enroll with Medicare. If you are enrolled with Medicare and plan to enroll with Medicaid, the application fee will only be collected by Medicare. If you will only be enrolling with Medicaid additional steps must be taken.

Effective March 25, 2011, if you are applying for an independent laboratory, ambulance transportation, FQHC or hospital provider number, you must supply current proof of Medicare participation or an application fee will be assessed.