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Physician Alert

A publication to keep our Member Physicians, their Practice Manager and office staff abreast of relevant information regarding **COVID-19 for Erie County.**

[ERIE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT RESOURCES FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS](#)

[CDC GUIDELINES FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS](#)



The Medical Society of the State of New York will conduct Medical Matters: *Coronaviruses 2020* on Wednesday, March 18th at 7:30am.

William Valenti, MD, chair of MSSNY Infectious Disease Committee and a member of MSSNY Emergency Preparedness and Disaster/Terrorism Response Committee will serve as faculty for this program. Registration is now open for this webinar [here](#).

The following are informative resources for New York

physicians re COVID-19:

[MSSNY COVID-19 Resource Page](#)

2020 House of Delegates in Tarrytown Cancelled

MSSNY's Coronaviruses 2020 CME Webinar on March 18th

Link to registration

Precautions Physicians Should Take (from NYSDOH)

Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) COVID-19 Test Pricing

FAQs on Essential Health Benefits Coverage and COVID-19

WC: Laws, Regulations and Decisions

Telehealth Insurance Circular Letter No. 6 (2020)

Reminder that private insurers must cover telehealth services for patients (including those provided through a smartphone) and without patient cost-sharing.

COVID-19 Telephonic Communication Services

Since Medicare still requires telemedicine to be provided only to patients in a rural setting, you should look at "virtual check in" services under codes G2010, G2012, 99421, 99422 and 99423.

For Medicare fees, go to ngsmedicare.com and do a fee schedule look up for your specific locality (01, 02, 03, 04, or 99).

Telehealth Benefits in Medicare are a Lifeline for Patients During Coronavirus

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