

Provider Re-qualification Deadline Extension of for Cycle 1 Year 3

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AUDIENCE: Administrative Entities

Intellectual Disability Providers, including AWC and OHCDS,

Excluding SCOs

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this communication is to announce that ODP is extending its deadline for the requalification process for Cycle 1 Year 3 to **October 31, 2020.**

DISCUSSION:

As per Announcement 011-18, providers are required to be requalified on a 3-year cycle. This year, Year 3, providers with MPI ending in 6-9 are scheduled for requalification, as well as any provider who was initially qualified in FY 18-19.

Due to COVID-19 virus, the ability to process requalification applications in a timely manner has been compromised as a result of remote working and time and energy being spent on addressing the current situation.

Therefore, ODP is extending the deadline for provider requalification until **October 31, 2020**, so that providers and AEs can remain focused on the delivery of services to individuals. A more detailed operational guide will be forthcoming.

For inquiries regarding this communication, contact the ODP Provider Qualification mailbox at: ra-odpproviderqualif@pa.gov

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