



PHG Update: November 24

Dear Valued Providers

We want to be a resource to our Premier Health Group Independent providers. As our health care system begins to stabilize, we will provide clinical and operational updates as they become available to continue and provide support to providers.

In addition, we have created a resources page on the [PHG website](#).

Please feel free to contact us directly at (937) 499-7441 if you have any questions

Yours sincerely,

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Disaster Privileges

The COVID -19 pandemic modeling shows continued increases in our region in the next four weeks. We have worked with pulmonary critical care, hospitalists, and infectious disease for additional support through disaster privileges which can be accomplished quickly. While those in-patient areas are the highest need, we will also anticipate needs in our emergency rooms. If you are able to provide emergency room care for lower acuity patients or hospitalists support for basic care, we would be grateful.

We recognize that offices are busy, and availability is subject to working through those issues with your leadership.

We also recognize the potential need for orientation/training and would put you in touch with the appropriate individuals.

If you would like to obtain disaster privileges in either or both of those areas, please contact Pat Lowman at (937) 208-2055 or ptlowman@PremierHealth.com. She can assist you in the process.

Thank you for your consideration.



COVID/Flu Testing Sites

We want to ensure patients obtain their COVID/flu test as timely as possible. For this to occur, please be sure your patient has a **provider's order and schedules an appointment online** at the testing location of their choice. The only collection site patients may arrive without an appointment is the OnMain location (formerly Montgomery County Fairgrounds), located on Main St. across from Miami Valley Hospital. [Click here to view the flier that contains the eleven-collection sites.](#)