



July 2, 2010

**PROPOSED UNCOMPENSATED CARE POOL (UCP)  
CHANGES TO DATA SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Dear Executive Director/Clinic Director:

OMH recently presented to the Department of Health the completed March 2010 analysis of Uncompensated Care data submitted by OMH-licensed clinics for inclusion in the proposed Uncompensated Care Pool.

Based on our review of your earlier data and comments and questions received from providers, OMH has amended the data requirements and MHPD uncompensated care data submission survey for the January 2010-June 2010 submission (to be entered in MHPD beginning November 11, 2010). OMH expects that these changes will not only ensure that we receive more accurate and reliable submissions but will also make the data collection process easier for our licensed clinics.

Attached is a sample of the new MHPD survey with instructions. The survey form is identical to the new Consolidated Financial Report (CFR) OMH-4 form required to be submitted by NYC clinics for the CFY 2009-10, due November 2010. The CFR will however require full annual information. This UCP survey covers only services delivered January – June 2010.

An overview of the Uncompensated Care Pool, including how UCP payments to providers are calculated, can be found on the OMH website at:

[http://www.omh.state.ny.us/omhweb/clinic\\_restructuring/indigent\\_care\\_overview.html](http://www.omh.state.ny.us/omhweb/clinic_restructuring/indigent_care_overview.html)

Please contact Gwen Diamond at 518-474-6911 or [clinicrestructuring@omh.state.ny.us](mailto:clinicrestructuring@omh.state.ny.us) if you have any questions or concerns regarding the proposed Uncompensated Care Pool survey form or instructions.

Sincerely,

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