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### **NPI Updates**

Beginning on Sept. 20, 2006, the PDF version of the NPI Application/Update Form (CMS-10114) will no longer be available for download on the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) forms website, and there will not be a link to that form from the NPPES page.

Healthcare providers can still, however, apply for National Provider Identifiers (NPI) in one of three ways.

1. Web-Based Application: logon to the National Plan and Provider Enumeration System (NPPES) and apply online at <https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov/NPPES/Welcome.do>.
2. Have an Electronic File Interchange Organization (EFIO) submit application data on their behalf (i.e., through a bulk enumeration process) if an EFIO requests their permission to do so; or
3. Contact the NPI Enumerator for a copy of the paper form:

Phone: 1-800-465-3203 or TTY 1-800-692-2326 E-mail:

[customerservice@npienumerator.com](mailto:customerservice@npienumerator.com) Mail: NPI Enumerator, P.O. Box 6059, Fargo, ND 58108-6059

Reminder: CMS will host a national NPI roundtable, open to all healthcare professionals, on Tuesday, Sept. 26 from 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. CST. To participate, call 1-877-203-0044, pass code 4795739. CMS will address common questions related to Medicare's guidance on Subparts. While CMS will only address questions from a Medicare perspective, this information may be helpful to all providers.