

# Notification of Pregnancy (NOP)

Meridian is now offering a **\$50 incentive** for each notice of pregnancy (NOP) form that providers submit with all required questions answered. Although the required questions are needed to submit the form, we encourage providers to complete the **entire form** to better assist Meridian with identifying member needs. Incentive payments will occur on a quarterly basis and will be made out directly to the provider submitting the NOP form.



## Purpose of the Program:

Early identification of pregnant members and their risk factors is key to better birth outcomes.



## Providers' Role in Notifying Meridian

- ✓ Providers must notify Meridian of all known pregnancies and should do so using the provider NOP form.
- ✓ If providers are unable to complete the provider NOP form, they should encourage all pregnant members to complete the member NOP form. However, member NOP forms will not result in the member's provider receiving an incentive payment.



## Where and how are the NOP forms submitted?

### ✓ Provider NOP Form

- The provider NOP form can be found on our Provider Portal on **provider.mimeridian.com**. The assessment name is "SSFB WEB ONLY Provider NOP V2."
- The form is available under "Manuals, Forms, and Resources" on **mimeridian.com**.
  - The completed form can be faxed to **1-833-341-2052**.
  - Maternal Infant Health Programs (MIHP) providers must fax the NOP form and put "N/A-MIHP" for the TIN #.

### ✓ Member NOP Form

- Members can call **1-888-437-0606** to complete the form via phone.
- Members can also find the form on the member portal at **support.mimeridian.com**.
- The form is available under “Member Resources” and “Member Handbooks and Forms” on **mimeridian.com**.
  - The form can be faxed to **1-833-341-2052**.
  - The form can also be mailed to Meridian, P.O. Box 2010, Farmington, MO 63640-8080.



### Process Following the Notification

- ✓ NOP forms are combined with claims data to calculate a risk score.
  - Each risk score will have an associated reason for the assigned risk level.
  - A primary care manager will be determined based on the member’s risk factors.
- ✓ Meridian’s Medical Management team will prioritize members for outreach via phone, home visits, and member mailings.