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**Nurse Practitioner, Nurse Midwife, Speech Language Pathologist, Audiologist,
and Occupational/Physical Therapist Claims Now Subject to NCCI Editing**

Effective for services rendered on or after April 1, 2011, all Nurse Practitioner, Nurse Midwife, Occupational and Physical Therapist and Assistant, Speech Language Pathologist and Assistant, and Audiologist claims submitted to Alaska Medicaid must comply with National Correct Coding Initiative (NCCI) methodologies and will be subject to NCCI edits.

This is required for Alaska Medicaid's implementation of the National Correct Coding Initiative. The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (H.R. 3590) established NCCI edits which consist of both procedure-to-procedure edits and Medically Unlikely Edits (MUE) unit of service edits.

Additional information regarding NCCI can be found at <http://medicaidalaska.com> (select the "Provider" tab, then "NCCI").

If you have questions, please call ACS' Provider Inquiry Unit at 907.644.6800 or 800.770.5650 (toll-free in Alaska).