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Remittance Advice (RA) Message

Title: **Emergency Room Behavioral Health Hold Extended**

Issue Date: 04/27/2020

Run Length: 6 weeks

Provider Type(s): 001

Message: Alaska Medicaid's temporary expanded coverage for behavioral health observation bed services has been extended through 09/30/2020, terminating effective 10/01/2020. Billing requirements remain the same, and reimbursement continues to be limited to 120 hours per hold.

Questions? Please contact Sherri LaRue at sherri.larue@alaska.gov or 907.334.2656.