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### Remittance Advice (RA) Message

Title: **Diagnosis Required for All MAT-Related Drugs Effective 10/1/2020**

Issue Date: 09/01/2020

Run Length: 12 weeks

Provider Type(s): 001, 002, 003, 005, 008, 010, 012, 020, 021, 042, 051, 070, 107, 108, 126, 133

Message: Effective 10/1/2020, diagnosis codes will be required for all Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) related drug claims submitted to Alaska Medicaid through the point of sale system. This includes all buprenorphine-based and naltrexone-based products. If a claim is submitted without an appropriate diagnosis code, it will be rejected. Diagnosis codes are already required for MAT-related drug claims submitted through the MMIS. Additional information regarding the requirement will be available on the [Medicaid Pharmacy](#) page.

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