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### Remittance Advice (RA) Message

Title: **Pharmacy Program Updates: Diagnosis Code Required on Ivermectin Claims**

Issue Date: 09/02/2021

Run Length: 8 weeks

Provider Type(s): All

Message: The Alaska Medicaid Pharmacy Program is now requiring diagnosis codes for ivermectin. System updates are in progress to require a diagnosis code on all ivermectin prescriptions. Pharmacies and prescribers are advised that claims for ivermectin reflecting a diagnosis of COVID, exposure to COVID, or other COVID-related diagnoses will be denied and not eligible for reimbursement. For more information regarding clinical coverage, refer to the 09/02/2021 flyer [Pharmacy Program Updates: Diagnosis Code Required on Ivermectin Claims](#).