# Indian Health Services Provider Bulletin 1

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**TO:** Indian Health Services and Tribal Facilities Participating in MassHealth

**FROM:** Mike Levine, Assistant Secretary for MassHealth [signature of Mike Levine]

RE: Updates to MassHealth Indian Health Services Facilities Billing

## Purpose and Scope

For dates of service beginning January 15, 2025, Indian Health Services facilities, including Public Law 93-638 tribal facilities (collectively referred to as “IHS facilities” in this bulletin), participating in MassHealth may render, and bill MassHealth for, multiple visits per person per day, in accordance with this bulletin.

## Billing for IHS Facilities

MassHealth will pay for up to five medically necessary IHS facility visits per person per day, provided that a MassHealth service covered by the all-inclusive rate applicable to IHS facilities per federal law is rendered at each billed visit. MassHealth will pay IHS facilities the all-inclusive rate applicable to IHS facilities per federal law in accordance with the most recently published Federal Register notice addressing the IHS encounter rate.

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## Questions?

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