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Indian Health Services Provider Bulletin 2

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TO: Indian Health Services and Tribal Facilities Participating in MassHealth

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RE: Billing for Pharmacy Services Rendered by Indian Health Services Facilities

Purpose and Scope

For dates of service beginning May 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 bill MassHealth the all-inclusive rate applicable to IHS facilities per federal law for rendering pharmacy services, in accordance with this bulletin.

Billing for IHS Facilities

Beginning May 15, 2025, MassHealth will include pharmacy services rendered by IHS facilities as a service payable by the all-inclusive rate applicable to IHS facilities per federal law. 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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