

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska

Department of Law

TO: April Simpson, AAC Coordinator
Office of the Lieutenant Governor

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Memo

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SUBJECT: Correction to Alaska
Administrative Code (AAC):
8 AAC 45.083

In accordance with the authority of the regulations attorney under AS 44.62.125(b), please forward to the publisher the change to the Alaska Administrative Code (AAC) described below. The purpose of this change is to identify amended versions of material previously adopted by reference.

After the existing text of the editor's note at the end of 8 AAC 45.083, please add the following new paragraphs:

On December 20, 2020, as required by AS 23.30.098 and AS 44.62.245, the department gave notice that the following amended version of material, previously adopted by reference in 8 AAC 45.083(m), would be in effect on October 1, 2020: the *International Classification of Diseases*, 2021 edition, produced by Optum360°. The amended version may be reviewed at the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Workers' Compensation, 1111 West 8th Street, Suite 305, Juneau, Alaska 99811; telephone: (907) 465-2790.

On December 20, 2020, as required by AS 23.30.098 and AS 44.62.245, the department gave notice that the following amended versions of material, previously adopted by reference in 8 AAC 45.083(m), would be in effect on January 1, 2021: the *Current Procedural Terminology Codes*, 2021 edition, produced by Optum360°; the *Healthcare*

Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS), 2021 edition, produced by Optum360°; the *Relative Value Guide*, 2021 edition, produced by the American Society of Anesthesiologists; the *Current Dental Terminology*, 2021 edition, published by the American Dental Association; the *Resource-Based Relative Value Scale*, effective January 1, 2021, produced by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; the *Ambulatory Payment Classifications*, effective January 1, 2021, produced by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; and the *Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related Groups*, effective January 1, 2021, produced by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. The amended versions may be reviewed at the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Workers' Compensation, 1111 West 8th Street, Suite 305, Juneau, Alaska 99811; telephone: (907) 465-2790.

Thank you for your assistance. Please contact me if you have any questions.

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