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To: Our Valued Client
Date: May 1st, 2022
Re: COVID-19 testing on Uninsured Patients after expiration of HRSA Relief Fund

Background: The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) COVID-19 Uninsured Relief Fund was established by Congress via the 2020 Families First Coronavirus Response Act and then replenished through the passing of the 2021 American Rescue Plan Act. The fund acted as a reimbursement system for COVID-19 testing, treatment, and vaccination services provided to uninsured or underinsured Americans by healthcare providers.

Notice: Since March 22nd, 2022, the fund officially stopped accepting reimbursement claims due to the expiration of designated funding originally allocated and replenished by Congress.

Aculabs previously submitted claims to the HRSA's Uninsured Relief Fund for COVID-19 testing performed on uninsured patients **given proper attestation paperwork was provided**; however, such a fund now no longer exists.

Payment for all COVID-19 testing performed on uninsured patients, and which cannot be submitted for reimbursement to an established government fund like the HRSA, will be the responsibility of the **facility**. This includes all testing performed after the date for when the HRSA officially stopped accepting reimbursement claims, March 22nd, 2022.

Our billing department can be reached at (732) 777-2588, Option #7, for assistance on any invoice-related matters. As well, we advise all clients to reach out to their customer service representative if they have any questions about our available COVID testing options.

We thank you for your understanding going forward.

Sincerely,

Peter Gudaitis
President