



**Update \_2\_0\_122**

**Clinical Reminders**

**VA-COVID 19 SCREEN UPDATE**

**Install Guide**

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# Introduction

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## DESCRIPTION:

The offices of Infectious Disease, Population Health, Emergency Medicine, and Nursing have worked together to provide the following changes to the Screening COVID note template – in reflection of the current recommendations for VA national needs (as of 3/23/20).

- Patients will be asked if they have already been tested for or are diagnosed with COVID-19.
- If not, they will next be asked if they have already been screened today or within the past 24 hours and the results of that screening
- If not, they will be asked the original symptom questions followed by a question for known contact. The travel question has been removed.

UPDATE\_2\_0\_122 contains 1 Reminder Exchange entry:

**UPDATE\_2\_0\_122 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE**

**The exchange file contains the following components:**

## HEALTH FACTORS

VA-REMINDER UPDATES  
VA-UPDATE\_2\_0\_122  
VA-TRAVEL SCREEN [C]  
VA-COVID SCREEN NEGATIVE  
VA-COVID SCREEN NEGATIVE TODAY  
VA-COVID SCREEN POSITIVE  
VA-EXPOSURE TO COVID NO  
VA-EXPOSURE TO COVID YES  
VA-TRAVEL FLU NO  
VA-TRAVEL FLU YES  
VA-TRAVEL COUGH NO  
VA-TRAVEL COUGH YES  
VA-TRAVEL FEVER NO  
VA-TRAVEL FEVER YES  
VA-COVID NOT SCREENED NEGATIVE TODAY  
VA-COVID SCREEN NEGATIVE TODAY  
VA-NO COVID TESTING LAST 14 DAYS  
VA-COVID TESTING LAST 14 DAYS  
VA-TRAVEL 21 DAYS UNABLE TO ANSWER

## REMINDER TERM

VA-REMINDER UPDATE\_2\_0\_122

## REMINDER DIALOG

VA-SCREEN COVID

VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN

## Pre-Install

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Using the Vista menu Reminder Dialog Manager, Reminder Dialog, change your view to GROUP and choose inquire/print for the following reminder dialog groups:

**VAL-COVID LOCAL GROUP**

**VAL-COVID LOCAL GROUP ED**

Save this info for the post install, it will make adding information back post -install easier if your site has made local edits.

Not all sites will have made local edits to these dialog groups.

## Install Details

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This update is being distributed as a web host file. The address for the host file is:

**[http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE\\_2\\_0\\_122.PRD](http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE_2_0_122.PRD)**

The file will be installed using Reminder Exchange, programmer access is not required.

**If your site is unable to use LWH, you will have a vista mail message with subject of UPDATE 122.**

Installation:

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This update can be loaded with users on the system. Installation will take less than 10 minutes.

## Install Example

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To Load the Web Host File. Navigate to Reminder exchange in Vista

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+      + Next Screen  - Prev Screen  ?? More Actions  >>>
CFE  Create Exchange File Entry      LHF  Load Host File
CHF  Create Host File                 LMM  Load MailMan Message
CMM  Create MailMan Message           LR   List Reminder Definitions
DFE  Delete Exchange File Entry       LWH  Load Web Host File
IFE  Install Exchange File Entry      RI   Reminder Definition Inquiry
IH   Installation History              RP   Repack
Select Action: Next Screen// LWH  Load Web Host File
Input the URL for the .prd file: http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE_2_0_122.PRD
```

At the **Select Action:** prompt, enter **LWH** for Load Web Host File

At the **Input the url for the .prd file:** prompt, type the following web address:

**[http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE\\_2\\_0\\_122.PRD](http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE_2_0_122.PRD)**

You should see a message at the top of your screen that the file successfully loaded.

Search and locate an entry titled **UPDATE\_2\_0\_122 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE** in reminder exchange.

+Item	Entry	Source	Date Packed
123	UPDATE_2_0_122 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE	GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI	03/26/2020@06:41
124	UPDATE_2_0_12_1 VA-DIFFICULT AIRWAY	GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI	11/27/2015@09:51
125	UPDATE_2_0_12_2 VA-DIFFICULT AIRWAY	GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI	02/10/2016@06:52
126	UPDATE_2_0_13 VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES CROC	SILVERMAN@SALT LAKE CI	07/29/2016@09:12
127	UPDATE_2_0_14 VA-HPV IMMUNIZAT ION	FAHNER@SALT LAKE CI	12/20/2016@11:11

+    + Next Screen    - Prev Screen    ?? More Actions    >>>

CFE Create Exchange File Entry    LHF Load Host File  
 CHF Create Host File    LMM Load MailMan Message  
 CMM Create MailMan Message    LR List Reminder Definitions  
 DFE Delete Exchange File Entry    LWH Load Web Host File  
 IFE Install Exchange File Entry    RI Reminder Definition Inquiry  
 IH Installation History    RP Repack

Select Action: Next Screen// IFE Install Exchange File Entry  
 Enter a list or range of numbers (1-351): 123

At the **Select Action** prompt, enter **IFE** for Install Exchange File Entry  
 Enter the number that corresponds with your entry **UPDATE\_2\_0\_122 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE** (in this example it is entry 123 it will vary by site). The date of the exchange file should be 03/26/2020.

Component	Category	Exists
Source: GRIFFITH,ELIZABETH A at SALT LAKE CITY		
Date Packed: 03/26/2020@06:41:49		
Package Version: 2.0P35		
Description:		
The following Clinical Reminder items were selected for packing:		
REMINDER DIALOG		
VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN		
VA-SCREEN COVID		
REMINDER TERM		
VA-REMINDER UPDATE_2_0_122		
Keywords:		
Components:		
+    Enter ?? for more actions    >>>		
IA	Install all Components	IS Install Selected Component

Select Action: Next Screen// IA

At the **Select Action** prompt, type **IA** for Install all Components and hit enter.  
 Select Action: Next Screen// **IA Install all Components**  
 You will see several prompts, for all new entries you will choose **I to Install**  
 For components that already exists but the packed component is different, you will choose **S to Skip**.

You will be prompted to install the **FIRST** reminder dialog component – You will choose to install all even though the components have an X to indicate that they exist. These components have been updated and should be installed.

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Packed reminder dialog: VA-SCREEN COVID
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Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-SCREEN COVID	dialog	X
2	5	VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION Finding: *NONE*	element	X
3	10	VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL Finding: *NONE*	group	X
4	10.5	VA-GP COVIDE PRIOR TESTING Finding: *NONE*	group	
5	10.5.5	VA-COVID PRIOR TESTING Y Finding: VA-COVID TESTING LAST 14 DAYS (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
6		PXRM COMMENT	prompt	X
7	10.5.5.10	VAL-COVID TESTING PRIOR Finding: *NONE*	element	
8	10.5.10	VA-GP COVID PRIOR TESTING N	group	

```
+ + Next Screen - Prev Screen ?? More Actions
DD Dialog Details DT Dialog Text IS Install Selected
DF Dialog Findings DU Dialog Usage QU Quit
DS Dialog Summary IA Install All
Select Action: Next Screen// IA
```

At the **Select Action** prompt, type **IA** to install the dialog – **VA-SCREEN COVID**

Select Action: Next Screen// **IA Install All**

Install reminder dialog and all components with no further changes: Y// **Yes**

```
Packed reminder dialog: VA-SCREEN COVID
VA-SCREEN COVID (reminder dialog) installed from exchange file.
```

Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-SCREEN COVID	dialog	X
2	5	VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION Finding: *NONE*	element	X
3	10	VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL Finding: *NONE*	group	X
4	10.5	VA-GP COVIDE PRIOR TESTING Finding: *NONE*	group	X
5	10.5.5	VA-COVID PRIOR TESTING Y Finding: VA-COVID TESTING LAST 14 DAYS (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
6		PXRM COMMENT	prompt	X
7	10.5.5.10	VAL-COVID TESTING PRIOR Finding: *NONE*	element	X
8	10.5.10	VA-GP COVID PRIOR TESTING N	group	X

```
+ + Next Screen - Prev Screen ?? More Actions
DD Dialog Details DT Dialog Text IS Install Selected
DF Dialog Findings DU Dialog Usage QU Quit
DS Dialog Summary IA Install All
Select Action: Next Screen// Q
```

After completing this dialog install, you will type Q.

You will be prompted to install the SECOND reminder dialog component – You will choose to install all even though the components have an X to indicate that they exist. These components have been updated and should be installed.

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Packed reminder dialog: VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN
```

Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN Finding: *NONE*	group	X
2	10	VA-ED TRIAGE COVID SCREEN COMPLETE Finding: *NONE*	group	X
3	10.5	VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION Finding: *NONE*	element	X
4	10.10	VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL Finding: *NONE*	group	X
5	10.10.5	VA-GP COVIDE PRIOR TESTING Finding: *NONE*	group	X
6	10.10.5.5	VA-COVID PRIOR TESTING Y Finding: VA-COVID TESTING LAST 14 DAYS (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
7		PXRM COMMENT	prompt	X
8	10.10.5.5.10	VAL-COVID TESTING PRIOR	element	X

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DS  Dialog Summary     IA  Install All
Select Action: Next Screen// IA
```

At the **Select Action** prompt, type **IA** to install the dialog – **VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN**

Select Action: Next Screen// **IA Install All**

Install reminder dialog and all components with no further changes: Y// **Yes**

```
Packed reminder dialog: VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN
VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN (group) installed from exchange file.
```

Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-GP ED TRIAGE TRAVEL SCREEN Finding: *NONE*	group	X
2	10	VA-ED TRIAGE COVID SCREEN COMPLETE Finding: *NONE*	group	X
3	10.5	VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION Finding: *NONE*	element	X
4	10.10	VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL Finding: *NONE*	group	X
5	10.10.5	VA-GP COVID PRIOR TESTING Finding: *NONE*	group	X
6	10.10.5.5	VA-COVID PRIOR TESTING Y Finding: VA-COVID TESTING LAST 14 DAYS (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
7		PXRM COMMENT	prompt	X
8	10.10.5.5.10	VAL-COVID TESTING PRIOR	element	X

```
+      + Next Screen  - Prev Screen  ?? More Actions
DD  Dialog Details      DT  Dialog Text      IS  Install Selected
DF  Dialog Findings    DU  Dialog Usage    QU  Quit
DS  Dialog Summary     IA  Install All
Select Action: Next Screen// Q
```

After completing this dialog install, you will type Q.

Component	Category	Exists
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Package Version: 2.0P35		
Description:		
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REMINDER TERM		
VA-REMINDER UPDATE_2_0_122		
Keywords:		
Components:		
+ Enter ?? for more actions >>>		
IA	Install all Components	IS Install Selected Component
Select Action: Next Screen// Q		

You will then be returned to this screen. At the **Select Action** prompt, type **Q**.

Install complete.

## Post Installation

1. Open the note title at your site uses for SCREENING COVID and confirm that the version number at the top shows 2.3
2. Open the ED Triage national note template and confirm that the Covid-19 screen shows the version 2.3 when you choose the option in the template to Complete Covid-19 Screen.
3. Add local reminder dialog groups and elements if needed – OPTIONAL
  - a. Use your pre-install inquiry to assist you in making any changes.
    - a. This template was built with the standard items needed for screening included. If a site would like to add guidance or information specific to that site, you can add text to the local reminder dialog group **VAL-COVID LOCAL GROUP** for the screening template and reminder dialog group **VAL-COVID LOCAL GROUP ED** for the ED triage screening template using the reminder dialog editor. This group is at the end of the dialog. This dialog group will install disabled and you will need to remove the disable flag for it to be used.

**NOTE:** If there are any questions or problems during the installation, please notify your local IT support to log a national help desk ticket or contact the VA Service Desk and have them submit a national ticket to:

*Category: Affected Service*

*Affected Service: VistA – CPRS: Clinical Reminders*

*Assignment Group: NTL SUP Clin 2*