



**Update \_2\_0\_124**

**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 04/01/2020).

- Patients will be asked if they have already been diagnosed with COVID-19.
- If yes, they will be asked if they have recovered.
- If not, they will be asked the original symptom questions with the addition of a question about current testing and a question about new onset of diarrhea. The contact question has been removed.
- Any symptom = positive screen

UPDATE\_2\_0\_124 contains 1 Reminder Exchange entry:

### **UPDATE\_2\_0\_124 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE**

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

#### **HEALTH FACTORS**

VA-REMINDER UPDATES  
VA-UPDATE\_2\_0\_124  
VA-TRAVEL SCREEN [C]  
VA-COVID-19 NOT WAITING FOR LABS  
VA-COVID-19 WAITING FOR LABS  
VA-TRAVEL DIARRHEA NO  
VA-TRAVEL DIARRHEA YES  
VA-COVID SCREEN NEGATIVE  
VA-COVID SCREEN POSITIVE  
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-19 NO PRIOR DIAGNOSIS  
VA-COVID-19 NOT RECOVERED  
VA-COVID-19 RECOVERED  
VA-COVID-19 PRIOR DIAGNOSIS

#### **REMINDER TERM**

VA-REMINDER UPDATE\_2\_0\_124

## REMINDER DIALOG

VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL  
VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION

## 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\\_124.PRD](http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE_2_0_124.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 124.**

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_124.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\\_124.PRD](http://vista.med.va.gov/reminders/UPDATE_2_0_124.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\_124 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE** in reminder exchange.

+Item	Entry	Source	Date Packed
131	UPDATE_2_0_124 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE	GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI	04/02/2020@04:20
132	UPDATE_2_0_12_1 VA-DIFFICULT AIRWAY	GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI	11/27/2015@09:51
133	UPDATE_2_0_12_2 VA-DIFFICULT AIRWAY	GRIFFITH@SALT LAKE CI	02/10/2016@06:52
134	UPDATE_2_0_13 VA-COMBINATION DRUG CLASSES CROC	SILVERMAN@SALT LAKE CI	07/29/2016@09:12
135	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 (1-359): 131

At the **Select Action** prompt, enter **IFE** for Install Exchange File Entry  
 Enter the number that corresponds with your entry **UPDATE\_2\_0\_124 VA-COVID SCREEN UPDATE** (*in this example it is entry 131 it will vary by site*). The date of the exchange file should be 04/02/2020.

Component	Category	Exists
Source: GRIFFITH,ELIZABETH A at SALT LAKE CITY		
Date Packed: 04/02/2020@04:20:57		
Package Version: 2.0P35		
Description:		
The following Clinical Reminder items were selected for packing:		
REMINDER DIALOG		
VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION		
VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL		
REMINDER TERM		
VA-REMINDER UPDATE_2_0_124		
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.

```
Packed reminder dialog: VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL
```

Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL Finding: *NONE*	group	X
2	5	VA-GP COVID PRIOR TESTING Finding: *NONE*	group	X
3	5.5	VA-COVID PRIOR TESTING Y Finding: VA-COVID-19 PRIOR DIAGNOSIS (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
4		PXRM COMMENT	prompt	X
5	5.5.15	VA-GP COVID PRIOR RECOVER Finding: *NONE*	group	X
6	5.5.15.5	VA-COVID PRIOR RECOVER YES Finding: VA-COVID-19 RECOVERED (HEALTH FACTOR)	element	X
7	5.5.15.10	VA-COVID PRIOR RECOVER NO Finding: VA-COVID-19 NOT RECOVERED (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
8	5.5.15.10.5	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// IA
```

At the **Select Action** prompt, type **IA** to install the dialog – **VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL**

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

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

```
Packed reminder dialog: VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL
```

Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-GP COVID SYMPTOMS AND TRAVEL Finding: *NONE*	group	X
2	5	VA-GP COVID PRIOR TESTING Finding: *NONE*	group	X
3	5.5	VA-COVID PRIOR TESTING Y Finding: VA-COVID-19 PRIOR DIAGNOSIS (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
4		PXRM COMMENT	prompt	X
5	5.5.15	VA-GP COVID PRIOR RECOVER Finding: *NONE*	group	X
6	5.5.15.5	VA-COVID PRIOR RECOVER YES Finding: VA-COVID-19 RECOVERED (HEALTH FACTOR)	element	X
7	5.5.15.10	VA-COVID PRIOR RECOVER NO Finding: VA-COVID-19 NOT RECOVERED (HEALTH FACTOR)	group	X
8	5.5.15.10.5	VAL-COVID TESTING PRIOR	element	X

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+      + 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.

```
Packed reminder dialog: VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION
```

Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION Finding: *NONE*	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: Quit// IA

```

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

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

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

```
Packed reminder dialog: VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION
VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION (element) installed from exchange file.
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Item	Seq.	Dialog Findings	Type	Exists
1		VA-COVID SCREEN VERSION Finding: *NONE*	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: Quit// Q

```

After completing this dialog install, you will type Q.

Component	Category	Exists
Source: GRIFFITH,ELIZABETH A at SALT LAKE CITY		
Date Packed: 04/02/2020@04:20:57		
Package Version: 2.0P35		
Description:		
The following Clinical Reminder items were selected for packing:		
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REMINDER TERM		
VA-REMINDER UPDATE_2_0_124		
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 3.2. Confirm the question about contact has been removed.
2. Open the ED Triage national note template and confirm that the Covid-19 screen shows the version 3.2 when you choose the option in the template to Complete Covid-19 Screen. Confirm the question about contact has been removed.

**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*