

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL



WASHINGTON, DC 20201

April 25, 2022

Jackie Williams, Director Medicaid Fraud Control Unit Office of the Attorney General 120 SW 10th Avenue, 2nd Floor Topeka, Kansas 66612

Dear Mr. Williams:

As provided under Federal regulations at 45 CFR § 1007.20(a), the Office of Inspector General (OIG) approves the application of the Kansas Medicaid Fraud Control Unit to conduct data mining. In considering the application, we have consulted with the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.

This approval covers a 3-year period beginning April 25, 2022 and ending April 25, 2025. Under the regulations, the Unit may request renewal of this approval for additional 3-year periods by submitting a written request to OIG. An application for renewal should be submitted to OIG no later than March 11, 2025. Please ensure that you include the outcomes of your data mining activities as part of the Unit's recertification materials that are due every year by August 1, as outlined in section 1007.17(a)(1)(ii) of the regulations.

If you have any questions, please contact Jordan Clementi of my staff at Jordan.Clementi@oig.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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Richard Stern
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