



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

WASHINGTON, DC 20201



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Sheen Wu, Director
Medicaid Fraud Unit
Oregon Department of Justice
100 SW Market Street
Portland, OR 97201

Dear Ms. Wu:

As provided under Federal regulations at 45 CFR § 1007.20(a)(4)(iv), the Office of Inspector General (OIG) approves the renewal application of the Oregon Medicaid Fraud Unit (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 22, 2022, and ending April 21, 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 7, 2025. Please ensure that you continue to include the outcomes of your data mining activities as part of the Unit's recertification materials that are due every year by February 1, as outlined in section 1007.17(a)(1)(ii) of the regulations.

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

Sincerely,

RICHARD STERN

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