

## **IC 4-6-10**

### **Chapter 10. State Medicaid Fraud Control Unit**

#### **IC 4-6-10-1**

##### **Establishment; certification**

Sec. 1. The attorney general shall:

- (1) establish a state medicaid fraud control unit that meets the standards prescribed by 42 U.S.C. 1396b(q); and
- (2) apply to the secretary of the federal Department of Health and Human Services for certification of the unit under 42 U.S.C. 1396b(q).

*As added by Acts 1982, P.L.21, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 4-6-10-1.5**

##### **Authority to investigate**

Sec. 1.5. The state Medicaid fraud control unit has the authority to:

- (1) investigate, in accordance with federal law (42 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.):
  - (A) Medicaid fraud;
  - (B) misappropriation of a Medicaid patient's private funds;
  - (C) abuse of Medicaid patients; and
  - (D) neglect of Medicaid patients; and
- (2) investigate, in accordance with federal law (42 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.) and as allowed under 42 U.S.C. 1396b(q)(4)(A)(ii), abuse or neglect of patients in board and care facilities.

*As added by P.L.73-2003, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 4-6-10-2**

##### **Employment of qualified individuals**

Sec. 2. The attorney general shall hire qualified individuals to carry out the responsibilities of the state medicaid fraud control unit, subject to the state budget agency's approval under IC 4-12-1-13.

*As added by Acts 1982, P.L.21, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 4-6-10-3**

##### **Subpoena of witnesses and records**

Sec. 3. The attorney general and an investigator of the Medicaid fraud control unit, when engaged in:

- (1) an investigation of an alleged offense under section 1.5 of this chapter; or
- (2) the prosecution of an alleged offense that has been referred to the attorney general under IC 12-15-23-6;

may issue, serve, and apply to a court to enforce, a subpoena for a witness to appear before the attorney general in person to produce books, papers, or other records, including records stored in electronic data processing systems, for inspection and examination.

*As added by P.L.10-1994, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.73-2003, SEC.2.*