

MEM – PRV – Potential Fraudulent Call

Purpose:

To be in compliance with Federal Code in handling possible fraud or abuse of the Medicaid program. If the agency received a complaint of the Medicaid fraud or abuse from any source or identifies any questionable practices, it must conduct a preliminary investigation to determine whether there is sufficient basis to warrant a full investigation.

Identification of Roles:

Customer Service Representative (CSR)
Unit Lead
Program Integrity Unit

Performance Standards:

Quality Assurance for the call center must be at least 85%.

Path of Business Procedure:

Step 1: Verification of Provider (Enter into OnBase Workview)

- a. Verify National Provider Identifier (NPI)
- b. Obtain contact name
- c. Obtain contact phone number

Step 2: Determine Reason for Call

- a. Claim Status
- b. Eligibility
- c. Service Limits
- d. Inquiry
- e. Fraud

Step 3: Potential Fraud

- a. If potential fraud, go to Step 4
- b. If not, go back to Step 2

Step 4: The Customer Service Representative (CSR) escalates call to Unit Lead and provides lead with

- a. NPI
- b. Contact name
- c. Contact telephone number
- d. Relevant information

Step 5: If the potential fraud relates to an Iowa Medicaid provider, the Unit Lead provides the caller with

- a. The telephone number for the Program Integrity Unit (515-256-4615)
- b. Refers the information obtained from the provider via e-mail to Don Gookin (DGookin@dhs.state.ia.us), supervisor in Program Integrity

Step 6: If the potential fraud relates to an Iowa Medicaid member, the Unit Lead obtains

- a. Member name
- b. Member ID
- c. Circumstances
- d. Name of caller
- e. Telephone number of caller
- f. Email information above to Vicki Shearer in Member Services (csheare@dhs.state.ia.us)

Forms/Reports:

N/A

RFP References:

N/A

Interfaces:

OnBase

Attachments:

N/A