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HR Tip of the Week

Federal Employees Compensation Act (FECA)

Fraud is an intentional deception made for personal gain.

Abuse is the improper usage or treatment to exploit the program

The U.S. Department of Labor's (DOL) Office of Inspector General (OIG) is responsible for conducting criminal, civil, and administrative investigations relating to violations of Federal laws, rules or regulations as they pertain to DOL programs, grants, contracts, and operations, as well as allegations of criminal activity and serious misconduct on the part of DOL employees.

The OIG investigates those who intentionally fail to disclose reportable employment or income, falsify or report fraudulent medical information, or claim to be injured or disabled when in fact they are not. As necessary, these investigations also target healthcare providers (doctors, clinics, pharmacists, physical therapists, etc.) who fraudulently bill DOL for services as well as, fraud associated with medical promotions or treatments and unauthorized payments or kickbacks made to employers, providers or claimants

Suspected fraud or violations relating to any DOL program should be promptly referred to the OIG via the OIG Hotline at hotline@oig.dol.gov or 1-800-347-3756.