

Tina Kotek, Governor

Feb. 27, 2026

Senator Lisa Reynolds, Chair
Senator Dick Anderson, Vice-Chair
Senate Committee on Early Childhood and Behavioral Health
900 Court Street NE
State Capital
Salem, OR 97301

Subject: House Bill 4070 Questions During Feb. 26 Senate Committee on Early Childhood and Behavioral Health

Dear Chair Reynolds, Vice-Chair Anderson and members of the committee,

Thank you for the question asked to OHA about Medicaid billing during the public hearing for House Bill 4070.

OHA takes all allegations of fraud, waste, and improper billing seriously and works closely with partners to identify, educate, prevent, and address potential misuse of public resources. OHA takes direct responsibility for investigating allegations of improper billing. Information about OHA's Program Integrity Audit Unit can be found [here](#).

OHA also relies on the auditing processes of the CCOs to detect and identify improper payments, and to report to OHA any allegation or finding of improper billing. OHA does coordinate auditing efforts with the CCOs to ensure findings of improper payments are addressed.

OHA is committed to protecting the integrity of our Medicaid program and safeguard both general and federal funds. Our priority is to ensure that Medicaid funds are used appropriately to support the health and well-being of Oregonians.

Sincerely,



Rochelle Layton
Chief Financial Officer