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Our dedicated Health News page features relevant news from more than 75,000 sources, organized topically. The Health Care Practice Center also includes Bloomberg Law Insights, a collection of incisive and timely articles from leading health care experts organized by news channel – Health Law & Business News and Pharmaceutical & Life Sciences News – helping you understand the context and implications of today’s key legal and regulatory developments.

Health Care Fraud Analytics will save you time and effort, providing in one practice tool the full text of settlement agreements with case summaries, dockets, and other relevant documents. This easy-to-use tool organizes key information in an easily digestible layout that lets you search and filter by allegation, court, entity type, and other key metrics. It also provides customizable graphical displays of trends in enforcement activity and outcomes that will help you mitigate risk and develop effective compliance strategies.
Content overview.

Federal and state opinions, statutes, and regulations; and federal bills

Key statutes and regulations, such as:
- Affordable Care Act
- Anti-Kickback Law
- Anti-Kickback Safe Harbor Regulation
- False Claims Act
- Federal Medicare & Medicaid Laws & Regulations
- Food, Drug, & Cosmetic Act
- Food & Drug Administration Regulations
- Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act
- Stark Law Regulations

Federal dockets and selected state and international dockets
- Quickly search federal health care law dockets, including using nature of suit codes, such as Contract – Medicare Act (161)
- False Claims Act (375)
- Personal Injury – Health Care/Pharmaceutical Personal Injury/Product Liability (367), Personal Injury - Medical Malpractice (362)
- Social Security – Health Insurance (861)
- Access and download docket entries, set alerts on searches, and track dockets through the Dockets portion of the Litigation & Dockets menu. International coverage of dockets in general includes courts in the U.K., the Cayman Islands, Dubai, the EU, and Hong Kong

Regulatory agencies and organizations
- Department Appeal Board (DAB) ALJ and Appellate Division Decisions
- U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS) materials, including:
  - Corporate Integrity Agreements
  - Health Care Fraud Settlement Agreements
  - Office of Inspector General (OIG) Advisory Opinions and Alerts
  - Office of Civil Rights Guidance and Resolution Agreements
- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) resources, such as:
  - Manuals, decisions, rulings, and forms
- Food & Drug Administration (FDA) materials, including:
  - Safety alerts, warning letters, recalls and withdrawals, enforcement reports, and guidance documents
  - The Orange Book

State Law Chart Builders
State law charts, such as:
- Accountable Care Organizations
- Any Willing Provider/Patient Choice
- Breach Notification
- Disclosure of Physician Financial Incentives
- False and Fraudulent Claims
- Gag Clauses
- Health Benefit Mandates: Providers/Specialists
- Peer Review Protections
- Disclosure of Medical Information
- Coverage of Retroactive Services
- Insurance Coverage of Telehealth Services
- Medical Record Access, Retention, and Disposal
- Provider Self-Referral
- The Practice of Telemedicine

Secondary sources
Bloomberg BNA Portfolios:
Among the Portfolios is the Health Law & Business Portfolio Series, including individual Portfolios such as:
- Federal Anti-Kickback Law
- Federal Self-Referral Law
- Health Care Fraud & Abuse: Enforcement and Compliance
- Health Care Mergers and Acquisitions: The Antitrust Perspective
- Health Care Mergers and Acquisitions: The Transactional Perspective
- Health Care Networks and Managed Care: Antitrust Aspects of Integration and Exclusion
- The Regulation and Management of Clinical Research

Bloomberg BNA Manuals, such as:
- Health Care Program Compliance Guide
- Health Care Reform Adviser
- Health Law Checklists and Forms

American Bar Association (ABA) treatises, including:
- Biotechnology and the Law

Bloomberg BNA Books, such as:
- E-Health, Privacy, and Security Law
- False Claims Act: Whistleblower Litigation
- Health Care Fraud and Abuse: Practical Perspectives
- Managed Care Litigation
- Pharmaceutical Law: Regulation of Research, Development, and Marketing
- Prosecuting and Defending Health Care Fraud Cases

Getting the Deal Through series:
International law treatises on various topics, including:
- Healthcare Enforcement and Litigation
- Life Sciences
- Pharmaceutical Antitrust

Law reviews & journals:
- Coverage includes legal and industry resources

News & Analysis
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In Focus: Practice Page:
- In Focus: Opioid Addiction - comprehensive coverage of the topic and related litigation

State Law Tracking
Legislative & regulatory alerts:
- Track state law developments with alerts that keep you informed of developments on health care topics of your choosing.
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Practice pages
Navigate the nuances of health care law. Bloomberg Law’s Health Care Practice Center features seven practice pages: Business & Taxation, Fraud & Abuse, Health Information & Technology, Health Insurance & Benefits, Hospital & Provider Regulation, Medicare & Medicaid, and Pharmaceuticals & Life Sciences. These topically organized pages allow you to easily find a complete set of content on a specific topic.

Practical guidance
Access expert practical guidance covering a range of legal issues and business challenges faced by health care entities, including transactions, partnerships, privacy and cybersecurity, and other operational issues. This practical guidance, designed for easy use by legal and compliance professionals and quick integration into their workflow, has been developed from electronic versions of American Health Lawyers Association (AHLA) forms, annotated by top practitioners. The forms, checklists, and analyses provide drafting tips and best practices and identify essential regulatory and compliance issues to help practitioners address complex health care issues. Our practical guidance covers health care industry mergers and acquisitions (M&A), joint ventures, health privacy and cybersecurity, hospital-physician operational issues, physician compensation, and corporate compliance. The practical guidance coverage also includes AHLA program papers, transactions data, insights articles, and related content.

Legal analysis
Bloomberg BNA Portfolios, market-recognized and written by leading practitioners, provide topic-driven guidance designed to help you save research time and resolve complex issues. The Health Law & Business Portfolio Series includes detailed analysis and practical guidance, including relevant forms, documents, and other research tools across a broad range of topics – fraud and abuse, Medicare payment, health data privacy and security, insurance and taxation, FDA regulations, and much more.

Paired with Bloomberg Law’s Books & Treatises from leading publishers such as Bloomberg BNA, American Bar Association (ABA), and the Getting the Deal Through series, we offer indispensable, in-depth coverage of fraud and abuse, health insurance, life sciences, medical records, privacy, and additional topics.

Plus, gain thorough answers to core questions and information on the latest trends and best practices with Bloomberg BNA Manuals, such as the Health Care Program Compliance Guide and Health Care Reform Adviser.

Laws & regulations
Easily find the details you need on important health care laws and regulations, organized under the following categories: Affordable Care Act; Anti-Kickback Law; False Claims Act; Food, Drug, & Cosmetic Act; HIPAA; Medicaid; Medicare; Stark Law; state health care laws and regulations; and more. Plus, quickly access the latest health-related federal bills. Use Smart Code™ to find court opinions that interpret or discuss specific federal health statutes and rules.

Regulatory agencies
Get easy access to resources from key regulatory agencies, including materials from the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS), Office of Inspector General (OIG), the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), and the Food & Drug Administration (FDA).

State law resources
Get a handle on the many state health care laws that affect your clients. The Health Care Practice Center features 23 interactive state law Chart Builders that provide easy comparison of state laws and regulations across multiple states. Build your own charts that will provide summaries and full-text links to laws covering fraud and abuse, health IT, health insurance (both general and managed care), health privacy, hospital and provider regulation, and benefits. Quickly access additional state law surveys prepared by our expert editors to learn more about state health care laws or use our State Health Care Legislative and Regulatory Alerts to stay current on changes in state health care laws and regulations.

Transactional resources
Find transactional language that is relevant to your work from our proprietary database containing over one million example documents from actual transactions and related corporate agreements with the Bloomberg Law Transactional Precedent Search, covering full documents and specific clauses. Start your research with links to searches for health-related Document Types, such as Asset Purchase Agreements, Joint Venture Agreements, M&A Transaction Documents, and Non-Competition and Confidentiality Agreements. Further target your search with Keywords and the Party, Law Firm, or Attorney involved in the transaction. Also, easily access detailed clause and document descriptions and a dedicated EDGAR Search.