

Tom Green County Indigent Health Fraud Policy

If a fraudulent act is reported to the Tom Green County Indigent Health Care Office:

- 1) Active client(s) will be immediately deemed ineligible for Indigent Care Services.
 - a. Bills will be processed up to the termination date
- 2) Past client(s) will not be deemed ineligible for Indigent Care Services.
- 3) Written documentation from the notifying entity will be placed in the client file.
- 4) Existing Procedures for notification of termination of services will be processed.
- 5) Legal Action will be pursued to the extent of Tom Green County's liability.

Sec. 61.043. PREVENTION AND DETECTION OF FRAUD. (a) The county shall adopt reasonable procedures for minimizing the opportunity for fraud, for establishing and maintaining methods for detecting and identifying situations in which a question of fraud may exist, and for administrative hearings to be conducted on disqualifying persons in cases where fraud appears to exist.

(b) Procedures established by a county for administrative hearings conducted under this section shall provide for appropriate due process, including procedures for appeals.

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***** Differences of opinions are just learning opportunities! *****

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