DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta GA 30333

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MuckRock News
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Via email: 175538-09307276@requests.muckrock.com

Dear Mr. Medeiros:

This letter is in response to your Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of October 30, 2024, for

FOIA Request for Comprehensive Records Regarding Connecticut Medicaid Programs, ABI Waiver Amendments, and Federal Agency Oversight and Communications with Accenture and Manatt (2012–Present).

Your request is being referred to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) for a direct response, as Medicaid falls under CMS's purview.

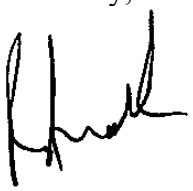
You may contact CMS at the information below:

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS)
Freedom of Information Act Office
Mail Stop C5-11-06
7500 Security Boulevard
Baltimore, Maryland 21244
Email: FOIA_Request@cms.hhs.gov
Fax: 443-380-8871

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6246 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may administratively appeal to the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, via the online portal at https://requests.publiclink.hhs.gov/App/Index.aspx. Please mark both your appeal letter and envelope "FOIA Appeal." Your appeal must be electronically transmitted by February 4, 2025.

Sincerely,



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