## 05 Office of Special Investigations (OSI)/AHCCCS Office of Inspector General (AOIG)

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The general public, employees, and participants may submit a request to investigate potential fraud. When this occurs, the following departments are responsible for acting upon the request:

- Office of Special Investigations (OSI)
- AHCCCS Office of Inspector General (AOIG)

OSI and AOIG have the authority to access case files(g), and administrative records in FAA local offices.

OSI conducts the following investigations:

- Pre-approval investigations on participants to prevent potential fraud for the following programs:
All CA, NA, and MA combo cases throughout the state.
- MA only cases outside of the following areas:
- Apache Junction
- Maricopa County
- Pima County
- Santa Cruz County
- Post-approval investigations on participants already receiving benefits, to stop potential fraud.

AOIG conducts the following investigations on MA only cases:
Pre-approval investigations for residents of the following areas:
Apache Junction
Maricopa County
Pima County (not including Ajo and Sells)
Santa Cruz County

- Post-approval investigations for all counties when both of the following apply:
Evidence that potential fraud occurred during the current or previous application period (initial or renewal).

MA is the only program.

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Policy and procedures regarding referrals to OSI and AOIG are outlined as follows:

- Potential Fraud Referral Requirements
- Acting on Reports of Investigation
- OSI AUTOMATED FRAUD TRACKING SYSTEM ( AFTS )

