



# OFFICE OF PUBLIC INTEGRITY

**Janson D. McNair, Director**

## Publicly Disclosed Information:

**OPI Case Number 21-425**

**Date: 11/29/2021**

### ALLEGATIONS:

Received e-mail from complainant who alleged that a County Contractor attempted to house them in a rehab center, even though the complainant denies any Drug or Alcohol problems. Complainant stated they believe this would entail insurance fraud, as the contractor was trying to place the complainant in a rehab which would bill his medical insurance, rather than in an emergency housing facility.

### FINDINGS:

Investigators attempted to contact contractor. Contractor and their supervisor contacted the County Attorney, as they believed speaking about the case would violate HIPPA laws. Investigator and County Attorney agreed that a signed HIPPA release by complainant was needed to do interview with employee. Investigator attempted to secure the HIPPA release from complainant, but received no reply. Case closed as unprovable due to complainant's lack of cooperation.

### FINANCIAL IMPACT:

None

