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## HEALTH CARE LAW ALERT

### OMIG Issues Compliance Guidance for Inpatient Chemical Dependence Rehabilitation and Outpatient Chemical Dependence Services

The Office of the New York State Medicaid Inspector General today issued targeted compliance guidance for inpatient chemical dependency rehabilitation programs and outpatient chemical dependency services. The guidance does not establish new regulations, but rather identifies examples of common risk areas in these types of programs and recommends that providers consider such risk areas when designing compliance programs.

You can find the recent guidance at the following link:

[http://www.omig.ny.gov/images/stories/compliance\\_alerts/20140729\\_compliance\\_guidance-2014-04-revision-1.pdf](http://www.omig.ny.gov/images/stories/compliance_alerts/20140729_compliance_guidance-2014-04-revision-1.pdf)

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