



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL

**VIA EMAIL**

October 25, 2023

Wayne Turnage, M.P.A.  
Deputy Mayor for Health and Human Services and  
Director, Department of Health Care Finance  
441 4th Street NW, Suite 900 South  
Washington, DC 20001

Subject: **Audit of the District's Oversight of Medicaid Managed Care Organizations**  
**23-1-07HT**

Dear Director Turnage:

The Office of the Inspector General (OIG) plans to conduct an Audit of the District's Oversight of Medicaid Managed Care Organizations in accordance with [Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards](#). The objectives of this engagement are to determine whether the managed care health care delivery system (1) reduced cost and (2) increased access to health care services. As we review your processes and internal controls, the OIG will inform you in writing of any adjustments to these objectives.

This audit was included in the *OIG Fiscal Year 2023 Audit and Inspection Plan* and was identified as a significant risk area in the *OIG Fiscal Year 2024 Audit and Inspection Plan*. This audit will be conducted under project number OIG 23-1-07HT. Please reference this project number in any related correspondence. Preliminary audit fieldwork will begin on or around November 1, 2023.

Erica Clarke, Audit Director, will coordinate an entrance conference to discuss the audit process and answer any questions you may have. If you have any questions in the interim, please contact Eileen Shanklin-Andrus, Acting Assistant Inspector General for Audits, at (202) 727-5052.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "D. Lucas", is positioned above the printed name.

Daniel W. Lucas  
Inspector General

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