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# REPORT FRAUD

Report fraud or misconduct  
relating to the **RECEIPT**  
or **EXPENDITURE** of  
HHS grant or contract funds.



## WHAT IS GRANT OR CONTRACT FRAUD?

- Falsifying information in grant applications or contract proposals
- Using Federal funds to purchase items that are not for Government use
- Billing more than one grant or contract for the same work
- Billing for expenses not incurred as part of the grant or contract
- Billing for work that was never performed
- Falsifying test results or other data
- Substituting approved materials with unauthorized products
- Misrepresenting a project's status to continue receiving government funds
- Charging higher rates than those stated or negotiated for in the bid or contract
- Influencing government employees to award a grant or contract to a particular company, family member, or friend



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