Forensic Auditor: Investigate Healthcare Fraud

The Office of the New York State Attorney General
Job Location: Syracuse, NY
Full Time/Days

JOB SUMMARY:

The Office of the New York State Attorney General's (OAG) Medicaid Fraud Control Unit (MFCU) seeks forensic accountants/auditors (FAA) for its Syracuse office. The FAA supports the Unit by working in partnership with its attorneys, detectives, data analysts, nurses, and legal support analysts to conduct complex, long-term healthcare fraud investigations.

The Medicaid program provides health coverage to millions of New Yorkers, including low-income persons, children, elderly adults, and people with developmental disabilities. MFCU is the nation's premier law enforcement agency charged with ensuring the financial integrity of New York State's $94 billion Medicaid program by investigating healthcare providers, such as pharmaceutical companies, doctors, hospitals, and nursing homes, who engage in Medicaid billing schemes that cause harm to Medicaid recipients and the loss of millions of dollars to the State of New York. MFCU also works to protect elderly and disabled New Yorkers by investigating reports of abuse and neglect in nursing homes and other residential health care facilities in the state.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- A minimum of a four-year college degree, either specifically in accounting, finance, economics,
- applied statistics, or computer science with data analysis, or equivalent post-college work
- experience.
- Excellent analytical, communication, and organizational skills.
- The ability to function as an integral part of an investigative team and work in a group setting.
- Knowledge of fundamental computer applications, such as Word, Excel, and Access.
- Proficiency with presentation software, such as PowerPoint.

PREFERRED SKILLS/EXPERIENCE:

- The ability to review financial records and advise or assist in the investigation of alleged fraud.
- Designation as a Certified Fraud Examiner.
- Experience with statistical sampling and/or advanced statistical training.
- Knowledge of the healthcare industry and medical coding concepts (CPT, ICD-9/10, DRGs) and/or
- experience analyzing health care claims data.
- A CPA is not required; but the position qualifies for CPA accreditation purposes.

FOR MORE INFORMATION/TO APPLY:

https://ag.ny.gov/sites/default/files/2025-05/mfcu_syr_faa_6390-web.pdf