

# Deficit Reduction

1. Where can you find the employee handbook that covers the Deficit Reduction Act?

- A) In the mail room
- B) In the S drive
- C) In SmartCare
- D) In each restroom at Pines

2. True or False. Meeting the requirements of the DRA include having a compliance plan, educating employees on federal and state False Claims Acts, establishing policies and procedures regarding detection and prevention of fraud and abuse, and finally, having an employee handbook with information on these topics.

- A) True
- B) False

3. Which of the following are ways in which a person or organization can violate the Federal False Claims Act? (Choose all that apply)

- A) By causing a false claim to be submitted
- B) By knowingly presenting the government with a false claim of payment
- C) By conspiring to defraud the government by getting a false claim paid by the government
- D) By unknowingly making a false statement that decreases an obligation to pay the government

4. True or False. The False Claims Act defines "knowingly" as the "reckless disregard" to the truth or falsity of the claim.

- A) True
- B) False

5. Violators of the False Claims Act may receive what consequences from the federal government? (Choose all that apply)

- A) A civil penalty of up to \$50,000 per claim, plus three times the amount paid
- B) Exclusion from participating in Medicare, Medicaid, and other government programs
- C) Liability of all costs of a civil action brought to recover any penalties or damages
- D) Increased monitoring and oversight of professional duties and obligations

6. Which of the following are activities that the Michigan False Claims Act prohibits? (Choose all that apply)

- A) Any employee from initiating, assisting, or participating in a legal proceeding regarding a false claim
- B) Fraud in the obtaining of benefits or payments in connection with the Medicaid program
- C) Kickbacks or bribes in connection with the Medicaid program
- D) Conspiracies in obtaining benefits or payments

7. True or False. An employer shall not and cannot discharge, threaten, or otherwise discriminate against an employee because the employee reported or is about to report a violation.

- A) True

B) False

# Answer Keys

Question	Answer
1	B
2	A
3	A B C
4	A

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5	A B C
6	B C D
7	A