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## **RE: Freedom of Information Request**

To Whom it may concern,

Persuant to the Freedom of Information Act we are requesting copies of records related to the following report produced by the OIG:

### **Inappropriate Medicare Payments for Chiropractic Services May 2009**

For purposes of this request we are interested in the following:

1. The identities and qualifications of the chiropractors and others who participated as medical reviewers in this evaluation.
2. A copy of the structured interview questions that were utilized in this investigation and that all responses received during the evaluation be provided.
3. A detailed description of the methodology used to conduct the literature review.
4. A complete list of the literature reviewed for the report.
5. The identity and qualifications of the individuals who conducted the literature review.
6. Any information about the medical review process utilized.

Please contact us if costs for this request exceed \$200.00.

Regards,

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