Rule No. 560-X-4-.02. Purpose.
The purpose of the Program Integrity Division is:

(1) To guard against abuse, fraud, and deliberate misuse of Medicaid program benefits by individual providers and recipients;

(2) To assure that Medicaid recipients receive necessary medical care at a level of quality consistent with that available to the general population;

(3) To exercise necessary fiscal control over federal and state tax dollars;

(4) To assure provider and recipient compliance with federal and state Medicaid rules and regulations; and

(5) To assist in the identification of claims processing procedures that may be in conflict with State policy.

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Authority: State Plan; Title XIX, Social Security Act, 42 C.F.R. Parts 431, 455, 456, 1000, 1001, 1002, State Medicaid Manual 11420.6M.