CDSLT maintains a high level of professional and business standards, ethical standards, and overall commitment to comply with all laws governing its various operations. CDSLT has established policies to detect and prevent Medicaid misconduct, fraud, or abuse in accordance with applicable regulations including but not limited to:

Federal False Claims Act (31 U.S.C. 3729-3733

Administrative Remedies for False Claims (31 USC Chapter 38 33801-3812)

New York State False Claims Act (State Finance Law 187-194)

New York State Providers Compliance Section 521, Title 18

All contractors, consultants, and vendors are required to promptly report suspected Medicaid misconduct, fraud, or abuse. Failure to report suspected fraud, waste, or abuse may result in termination of contracted relationship with CDSLT.

Several communication lines are available for reporting suspected allegations of fraud, waste, abuse, false claims, or ethical violations. Reporting may be made confidentially and anonymously.

* CDSLT Compliance Hotline: (585) 347-1264
* In writing: CDSLT Compliance Officer

860 Hard Road

Webster, New York 14580

* By Email: compliance@cdslt.org
* Office of the Medicaid Inspector General (OMIG):
	+ 1-877-87FRAUD (1-877-873-7283) or
	+ [www.omig.ny.gov/](http://www.omig.ny.gov/)

CDSLT has an established Compliance Program Plan which is available on CDSLT website. [www.cdslifetransitions.org](http://www.cdslifetransitions.org)

**EXCLUSION SCREENING:**

All contractors, consultants, and vendors are subject to an initial and monthly Exclusion Screening as required by HIPAA Regulation 45 CFR 164.502(e), 164.504(e), 164.532(d) & (e). If at any time an exclusion is reported, the contractor, vendor, or consultant may not continue to provide services to CDSLT.