**67:45:03:11.  Cases of suspected fraud -- Investigation -- Restitution.** If the department receives a report that suggests fraud or abuse has occurred or is occurring in a facility, the department must immediately investigate to determine the validity of the report.

 Nothing contained in this chapter restricts the department's ability to collect payments made to a facility as a result of fraud committed by the facility.

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