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The CMS Office of Equal Opportunity and Civil Rights (OEOCR) supports a healthy work environment by providing policy, procedures and information on equal opportunity, affirmative employment, civil rights, reasonable accommodation and workforce diversity for all customers.

Information regarding EEO counseling and other services such as Special Emphasis Programs, Training, and Reasonable Accommodations may be obtained by contacting the OEOCR at 410-786-5110

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THE CMS OFFICE OF EQUAL OPPORTUNITY & CIVIL RIGHTS

The Model of Quality EEO and Civil Rights Services

Equal Employment Opportunity is the Law

Federal laws prohibit discrimination against CMS employees, former employees and applicants because of their race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age (40 years and older), physical or mental disability and/or genetic information. Discrimination based on sexual orientation is also prohibited by Executive Order and HHS policy. In addition, no one shall be subjected to retaliation for participating in any activity protected by civil rights statutes or for opposing unlawful discrimination.

How to Initiate the EEO Process

Current and former employees of Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) as well as applicants for employment.

Contact one of the EEO counselors listed on the poster or the CMS Office of Equal Opportunity and Civil Rights (OEOCR) within <u>45 calendar days</u> of the date of the alleged discriminatory act. Failure to make timely contact may result in a loss of rights.

The EEO Counselor can provide you information about the traditional EEO Counseling process and the Agency's Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) process for EEO complaints. If you elect to enter either process you will be provided forms that will have to be returned to the OEOCR EEO Counseling/ADR Coordinator. We strongly encourage the parties to explore resolution of the dispute at the lowest level possible.



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