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Re-log from Amick to Patterson per Amick on 9-4-13. New

TO <i>Singleton/Patterson</i>	DATE <i>Due date 9-16-13</i> <i>8-26-13</i>
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August 22, 2013

Ms. Jennifer Lynch
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Re: Mr. Wofford McCoy
251-96-3287

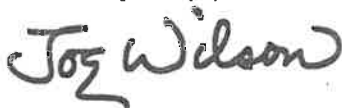
Dear Ms. Lynch,

I am writing to you on behalf of a constituent who has contacted me regarding an issue involving Medicaid. A copy of the correspondence is enclosed for your convenience.

Your kind assistance would be greatly appreciated. Please respond to Ms. Laura Howell at our Midlands District Office at 1700 Sunset Blvd., Suite 1, West Columbia, South Carolina 29169, or laura.howell@mail.house.gov. The phone number is 803-939-0041. The fax number is 803-939-0078.

It is an honor to represent the people of the Second Congressional District of South Carolina, and I value your input. If I may ever be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



JOE WILSON
Member of Congress

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CONGRESSMAN JOE WILSON

Second District of South Carolina

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To Whom It May Concern: .

I have sought assistance from the Office of Congressman Joe Wilson on a matter that may require the release of information maintained by your agency, and which may be prohibited from dissemination under the Privacy Act of 1974. I hereby authorize you to release all relevant portions of my records or to discuss information involved in this case with Congressman Wilson or any authorized member of his staff until the matter is resolved.

Name of Agency: SC Medicaid

Wofford McCoy 6-29-53
Name (please print) Date of Birth

240 LAURE DR Pelion SC 29123
Address City Zip

251 96 3287
Social Security Number

803 894 5249
Telephone Number - Home

Wofford McCoy 25 July 2012
Signature Today's Date

E-mail Address

Please briefly explain your concern (use the back if necessary):

see enclosed letter, Problem w/ Medicaid

Absolute Total Care

1441 Main, Street

Columbia, South Carolina

The purpose of this communication; ((GET CLINICAL STUDIES OF OXYCONTIN, Fentanyl, methadone, and morphine side effects, prescribe situations)).

1. to correct the critical information used for the acceptance of oxycontin as a feasible and viable PAIN RELIEVER after the use of cheaper and "more publicly acceptable" alternatives ..The refusal dictates the use of "the maximum dosage of fentanyl and morphine prior to the approval" of oxycontin...Panicea. How Do the dosages given compare to the "maximum amount"? Sometimes the reason for elimination is not the amount but rather the chemical itself!!!! As it has been with other used drugs. Ty 3 can be taken to extreme dosages but that is bad for digestion, kidneys, bowels etc. Is this a proper comparison? Earlier prescriptions were used and eliminated by the doctor because of intolerances of Wayne, or simply was not the exercise of poor medical procedures; for

instance 200 t3s. These extremes may not be advantageous to the pain..

2. Compromise the cost by patient dosing himself less than prescribed, thus saving a grand total retail amount of __\$844.29____. Of course much less is paid sometimes to the point that a pharmacy denies the sell. As well as not buying the substitute's cost, which could be refunded to client. Sometimes a more profitable substitute is dispensed without the properties being known to the buyer.
3. Individuals; The client's Idiosyncrasies are best known in this scenario by his doctor, Susan Datta. Each client has different allergies, genetic anomalies, biological tolerances and pain levels. Social Security, as advised by _Dr. _Paigilieo_____ and Palmetto Imaging, has assessed McCoys PAIN RESTRICTION TO BE SUFFICIENT TO DISABLE him and was undersigned by Dr. Datta. Assessment at a distance.
4. Security of individual against overdose (accidental or as a suicide attempt, etc.) . A daily log of prescriptions and time administered goes back several years for the client. The client's live at home daughter, Margaret McCoy is a registered nurse.
5. Assessment at a distance is difficult enough without being provided inaccurate information. Did the previous use of opioids get to be reported??? Also complete previous assessment s from the earlier coverage in 2012, did they falsely show a recommendation to supply oxycontin ? Who accessed the need then??
6. P.S. Why is the State Insurance so ardently denying to pay for a prescription that is purchased by the client and previously

accepted by ATCon and paid for by ATC.?? The reason is that it is bad business .:

7. **Business resolution:** Cut costs. According to the Kit Spires (Big S drugstore) And April, K-Mart Pharmacist, there is no generic for this drug ,because a new patent produced a time release pill and the predecessors were censored, thus Doubling the cost of the pill.(the client agrees to share costs by taking less than prescribed or paying a higher co-pay.). Also the pharmacies saved money by dispensing the ATC substitute methadone instead of the prescribed lilocone.
8. ((GET CLINICAL STUDIES OF OXYCONTIN, Fentanyl , methadone, and morphine side effects, prescribe situations)).
9. The methadone puts me into a nauseas comatose state. I need pain relief ,but not at the expense of losing cognition.
10. In conclusion, I have been purchasing the \$280.00 oxycontin instead of cheaper opioids , because the intense pain can be lowered without making a comatose person out of me!!!If We (Dr. Datta and I) advocate this and you can see I am willing to bear the financial burden, then ATC should remedy to be applied.

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