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In Case You Missed It...

Associated Press: "Florida recoups \$50 million in Medicaid fraud efforts"

For full story click [HERE](#).

By The Associated Press, Published: January 03, 2013

TALLAHASSEE — State officials say they terminated the Medicaid prescribing rights of 437 providers who were writing suspicious amounts of prescriptions for painkillers and other drugs under a new system.

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The state spent nearly \$17 million dollars fighting Medicaid fraud in fiscal year 2011-2012. According to the report, **officials recouped nearly \$50 million.**

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Bondi says the collaboration with the Agency for Health Care Administration has resulted in the financial recoveries.

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