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## **Statement on Rent-a-Patient Insurance Fraud Investigation**

Through press reports, FASA is aware of alleged health insurance fraud involving schemes where patients are paid to undergo unnecessary medical procedures. If the allegations made in press reports prove to be factual, those involved have committed a crime and should be punished to the fullest extent of the law.

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Statements should be attributed to Kathy Bryant, Executive Director of FASA

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