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### AUTO CLAIMS

#### **Nationwide sues NYCHA serial killer over suspected staged crash**

January 23, 2021, Brooklyn, NY -- The Brooklyn handyman who confessed to slaying three elderly women in his NYCHA building once helped stage a car crash to reap thousands of dollars in insurance money, according ...

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### LIFE INSURANCE

#### **Former N.Y. businessman escapes 835 year sentence via Trump commutation**

January 21, 2021, New York, NY -- Former New York businessman Sholam Weiss returned home to his family after Donald Trump commuted his 835-year sentence, believed to be the longest ever imposed on a white-collar...

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## DRUG DIVERSION

### **DFS investigates Rx price spikes related to the pandemic**

January 21, 2021, New York, NY -- Governor Andrew Cuomo today announced the Department of Financial Services' newly formed Office of Pharmacy Benefits today announced it has initiated investigations into significant ...

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## TECHNOLOGY

### **N.Y. insurer settles for \$5.1M amid claims it failed to protect consumer data**

January 21, 2021, New York, NY -- Excellus BlueCross BlueShield has agreed to pay \$5.1 million to settle a federal investigation that found the insurer may not have done enough to prevent hackers from obtaining private ...

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## FRAUD GENERAL

### **Unpublished vaccination appointment link leaked, IG investigates**

January 14, 2021, New York, NY -- "It has come to our attention that an unpublished scheduling link was shared without authorization on social media this week, allowing some New Yorkers to make vaccine appointments ...

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