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Mail Stop 6010

August 22, 2008

Mr. Wayne S. DeVeydt
Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer
WellPoint, Inc.
120 Monument Circle
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Re: Wellpoint, Inc.
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007
Form 10-Q for the Quarterly Period Ended March 31, 2008
File Number: 001-16751

Dear Mr. DeVeydt:

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Joel Parker
Accounting Branch Chief