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Health Benefits Laws: Compliance Assistance Seminar

August 12th & 13th, 2009



## WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND THIS SEMINAR?

If you are an employer who is trying to comply with federal and Alabama state laws regarding your health plan, this is your chance to talk to both federal and Alabama state regulators at the same time, in the same place. If you are a third party administrator or a carrier who has questions about new laws and issues, this is your opportunity to ask the experts.

The U.S. Department of Labor is teaming up with the Alabama Department of Insurance to bring you practical information, helpful tips, and clarification regarding Alabama and federal health benefits laws. In addition to the U.S. Dept. of Labor and the Alabama Department of Insurance, representatives from the Dept. of Health & Human Services and the Internal Revenue Service will join us.

This seminar is FREE and open to the first 100 registrants. Registration will be on a first come first served basis, so please fill out and return the registration form on the back of this brochure as soon as possible by email, or by fax or phone (see back for contact information).

#### SEMINAR LOCATION

#### Wynfrey Hotel 1000 Riverchase Galleria Birmingham, AL 35244 Tel. (205) 444-5707

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## BIRMINGHAM, AL DAY 1: AUGUST 12, 2009 TENTATIVE AGENDA

 $8{:}00-8{:}30$  a.m. - Registration & Sign In

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. – Welcome and Purpose of Meeting, Opening Remarks

Speakers: Representatives from:

- U.S. Dept. of Labor, EBSA
- Alabama Department of Insurance

#### 9:00 – 10:00 a.m. – Fiduciary Education for Health Plan Sponsors

- **Speaker:** Representative from:
  - U.S. Dept. of Labor, EBSA

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. – **BREAK** 

# 10:15 – 11:30 a.m. – Fiduciary Education for Health Plan Sponsors, Cont.

- Speaker: Representative from:
  - U.S. Dept. of Labor, EBSA

11:30 – 12:45 p.m. – **LUNCH** on your own

#### 12:45 - 2:00 p.m. – U.S. Dept. of Labor HIPAA Regulations: HIPAA Portability Provisions & Alabama Department of Insurance

Speakers: Representatives from:

- U.S. Dept. of Labor, EBSA
- Alabama Department of Insurance

#### 2:00 – 2:15 p.m. – **BREAK**

2:15 – 3:45 p.m. – U.S. Dept. of Labor HIPAA Regulations: Nondiscrimination Provisions, Mental Health Parity Act, Newborns' & Mothers' Health Protection Act, and Women's Health & Cancer Rights Act and Alabama Department of Insurance Speakers: Representatives from:

- U.S. Dept. of Labor, EBSA
- Alabama Department of Insurance

## BIRMINGHAM, AL DAY 2: AUGUST 13, 2009 TENTATIVE AGENDA

### 8:00 – 9:30 a.m. – Federal COBRA and Alabama Specific Continuation of Coverage Speakers: Representatives from:

- U.S. Dept. of Labor, EBSA
- Internal Revenue Service
- Alabama Department of Insurance

## 9:30 – 9:45 a.m. – **BREAK**

9:45 a.m. – 11:15 p.m. – Federal COBRA and Alabama Specific Continuation of Coverage, Continued

Same Speakers

 $11{:}15-12{:}30\ \text{p.m.}-\textbf{LUNCH}$  on your own

#### 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. – HIPAA Privacy Regulations

**Speaker:** Representative from:

 U.S. Dept. Health & Human Services, Office for Civil Rights

## 1:30 – 2:45 p.m. – Family & Medical Leave Act: Overview of the Law

- Speaker: Representative from:
  - U.S. Dept. of Labor, Employment Standards Administration

## 2:45 – 3:00 p.m. **– BREAK**

## 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. – **USERRA**

## Speaker: Representative from:

 U.S. Dept. of Labor, Veterans' Employment & Training Service