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# *HIPAA and Other Health Benefits Laws: Compliance Assistance Seminar*

***May 9th & 10th, 2006***

# WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND THIS SEMINAR?

If you are an employer who is trying to comply with federal and New Mexico state laws regarding your health plan, this is your chance to talk to both federal and New Mexico 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 New Mexico Insurance Division of the Public Regulation Commission to bring you practical information, helpful tips, and clarification regarding New Mexico and federal health benefits laws. In addition to the U.S. Dept. of Labor and the New Mexico Insurance Division, 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**

**The HIPAA & Other Health Benefits Laws: Compliance Assistance Seminar** will be held at the **Hotel Albuquerque at Old Town** (formerly the Sherton), 800 Rio Grande Avenue, N.W., Albuquerque, NM 87194 Tel. (505) 843-6300. **PLEASE NOTE:** If you plan to spend the night at the hotel, please contact them directly, and ask for reservations.

**ALBUQUERQUE, NM**
**DAY 1: MAY 9, 2006**
**TENTATIVE AGENDA**

8:00 – 8:30 a.m. - **Registration & Sign In**

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. – **Welcome and Purpose of Meeting, Opening Remarks** by representatives of the U.S. Dept. of Labor EBSA and the New Mexico Insurance Division

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. – **Fiduciary Education for Health Plan Sponsors**
**Speakers:** 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 & New Mexico State Health Law**
**Speakers:** Representatives from:
- U.S. Dept. of Labor EBSA
- Representative from New Mexico Insurance Division

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**
**Speakers:** Representatives from:
- U.S. Dept. of Labor EBSA
- Representative from New Mexico Insurance Division

**ALBUQUERQUE, NM**
**DAY 2: MAY 10, 2006**
**TENTATIVE AGENDA**

8:00 – 9:30 a.m. – **Federal COBRA and New Mexico Specific Continuation of Coverage**
**Speakers:** Representatives from:
- U.S. Dept. of Labor EBSA
- Internal Revenue Service
- New Mexico Insurance Division

9:30 – 9:45 am. – **BREAK**

9:45 a.m. – 11:15 p.m. – **Federal COBRA and New Mexico Specific Continuation of Coverage, Continued**
**Same Speakers**

11:15 – 12:30 p.m. – **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 Admin.

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. **– BREAK**

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. **- Health Savings Accounts: General Overview**
**Speaker:** Representative from the Internal Revenue Service