

A look at the week's most recent employee benefits & announcements

IN THE NEWS THIS WEEK

Week of March 28th

MARTIN SPEAKS

Health Republic Insurance of NJ Announces V-Well Virtual Wellness Program

Health Republic Insurance of New Jersey and the CentraState Healthcare System are excited to announce the launch of V-Well, a new virtual wellness collaboration that will be available for no out-of-pocket cost to qualifying HRINJ members who reside in central New Jersey. V-Well participants will use a variety of resources and services to help promote their well being and increase their level of engagement in healthy behaviors, primarily in a home-based setting.

VWell is designed to be a fun, interactive and personalized wellness program for HRINJ members who are motivated to improve their health and wellbeing. Space is limited to 90 people, so they are accepting registrations on a first come, first served basis.

Please [click here](#) to read more about the program.

For more information, please contact brokersupport@martinins.com

CARRIER UPDATES

Horizon BCBS Special Enrollment Periods

Once the annual Open Enrollment Period is closed, an eligible individual can only enroll in an individual health insurance plan if he or she qualifies for a Special Enrollment Period (SEP). Horizon BCBS has come out with a list of what the triggering events are the documentation required to prove eligibility. Alternate documentation may be accepted if it provides proof of the triggering event and the date. [Read More.](#)

Upcoming Events

MIG's Upcoming April CE Class

Welcome in Spring and join us for Martin Insurance Group's Upcoming April CE class!

For our April class, Stephanie will cover 2016 updates, the current New Jersey and Federal landscape, as well as the emerging strategies and trends to help your clients design an employee benefits package.

**Thursday,
April 21st**

9 AM- 12 PM

8:30 AM

Registration

**Crowne Plaza
690 US-46
Fairfield, NJ 07004**

UHC/Oxford New Billing System Announced

UHC/Oxford has announced a new billing system called Billing and Receivable Management Solution. This is a single enterprise billing system that enables Oxford to provide an improved and simplified customer billing experience. It is now available for new business groups up to 300 lives. [Read More.](#)

Keep Your Health Insurance Documents with Your Tax Records

This year marks the first time that you may receive information forms about health insurance coverage. You do not need to send these forms to IRS as proof of your health coverage. However, you should keep any documentation with your other tax records. This includes records of your family's employer provided coverage, premiums paid, and type of coverage. You should keep these - as you do other tax records - generally for three years after you file your tax return. [Read More.](#)

OCA Benefits Updates (Run out Period, Holiday Closing)

For any HRA/FSA plan that ended on 12/31/15, the 2015 claim submission deadline may soon be approaching! Employees may be required to submit any 2015 claim by midnight of March 30, 2016 to be eligible to receive reimbursements for any 2015 date of service. **Please note that since it was a leap year the 90 day run out period is one day earlier (March 30th).** [Read More.](#)

MARTIN UP-TO-THE-MINUTE

We have summarized the top announcements from the carriers and Martin to keep you up-to-the minute with the news and happenings in the industry! Check out what's happening below.

[Horizon BCBS June Renewals Posted to your dashboard](#)

IMPORTANT DEADLINES AND REMINDERS

New Business and Conversion Deadlines

Stay up-to-date and prepared with all the upcoming conversion and new business deadlines with the major SEH carriers in NJ. [Click Here.](#)

2016 MARKETPLACE REGISTRATION LINKS

2016 links are out so make sure you are registered for this year's Open Enrollment Season!

For more information, please contact Greg Nocera at gnocera@martinins.com.

[2016 Horizon BCBS of NJ Marketplace Registration Link](#)

[Register Here](#)

Horizon Broker Education Webex Series: IHC and Small Group Dental

This presentation will provide an overview of the Horizon's 2016 IHC and Small Group Dental Products.

Registration is required and limited to 190 participants (information below)

**Date: March 30, 2016
Time: 11:00AM - 12:00PM EST**

2016 Horizon IHC and Small Group Dental Products

Presented by: Horizon BCBSNJ

Registration Link: [2016 Horizon IHC & Small Group Dental Products 3.30.2016 11am](#)

**Date: March 30, 2016
Time: 1:00PM - 2:00PM EST**

2016 Horizon IHC and Small Group Dental Products

Presented by: Horizon-BCBSNJ

Registration Link: [2016 Horizon IHC & Small Group Dental Products 3.30.2016 1pm](#)

**Date: March 31, 2016
Time: 1:00PM - 2:00PM EST**

2016 Horizon IHC and Small Group Dental Products

Presented by: Horizon-

[2016 AmeriHealth Marketplace Registration Link](#)

[2016 UHC/Broker Marketplace Link](#)

[Oscar 2016 Marketplace Link](#)

BCBSNJ

**Registration Link: [2016
Horizon IHC & Small Group
Dental Products 3.31.2016
1pm](#)**



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