



Producer News

Upcoming Events: www.dchealthlink.com

Monday 07/22/13	Executive Board Meeting
Tuesday 07/23/13	DC Health Link Faith-based Leadership Summit
Tuesday 07/23/13	HBX Town Hall Meeting Ward 1
Wednesday 07/24/13	DC Metropolitan Police Department (DCMPD) Beat the Street Community Block Party
Thursday 07/25/13	Insurance Marketing Center (IMC) - Broker Webinar Presentation
Thursday 07/25/13	HBX Town Hall Meeting Ward 3
Friday 07/26/13	Pinion Financial Services, LLC — Broker Presentation
Friday 07/26/13	National Housing Trust/Enterprise

DC Health Link Key Dates:

- ◇ **October 1, 2013**— Open Enrollment Begins (Individual and Small Group)
- ◇ **January 1, 2014**— Coverage can start (Individual & Small Group)
- ◇ **March 31, 2014**— Individual open enrollment ends.
- ◇ **Small Group open enrollment continues throughout the year.**

Executive Board Supports Producers, Approves New Partnership

On Thursday, July 11th, 2013, the Producer Advisory Committee Consensus Recommendations were presented for consideration before the DC Health Benefit Exchange Authority Executive Board.

To support access to training, the Board also voted to cover the cost for DC, MD and VA Producers who wish to sell through DC Health Link through 2014. Training will be available for any licensed

Producer who wants to participate in DC Health Link.

In all there were three critical votes taken by the Board to strengthen Producer relationship and partnerships with the Exchange. They include:

1. Accepting the report and consensus recommendations of the Producer Advisory Committee which outlined the training requirements needed to sell in DC Health Link.

2. Approval of NAHU to develop and provide Producer training

3. Approval of Partnership agreement with the Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington (RAMW). This adds to partnerships the Board previously approved with the DC Chamber of Commerce and the Greater Washington Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

A Special Thanks to Our Partners

We would like say **“THANK YOU”** to the following agencies that have partnered with us to host education sessions with their Producers and clients.

We greatly appreciate the opportunity to present and look forward to future DC

Health Link events with these and other partnering organizations:

- ◆ Raffa Financial Services
- ◆ CBIZ – M.T. Donahoe & Associates, LLC.
- ◆ Group Benefit Services, Inc.
- ◆ Insurance Marketing Center

- ◆ Pinion Financial Services, LLC
- ◆ The Insurance Exchange
- ◆ Greater Washington Association of Health Underwriters
- ◆ Employee Benefits Corporation of America
- ◆ Potomac Basin Group Associates

Timelines for Producer Training

Producer training will consist of 2 parts:

1. District specific policy training (in-person or on-line availability)
2. DC Health Link website training (on-line only)

In-person policy training will begin in late August. On-line policy training will be available by September.

DC Health Link website training (on-line only) will be available late September.

Registration to sell on DC Health Link begins in September.

For additional information, please visit:
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