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# **Broker News**

February 26, 2016

## **Broker Webinar Series**

Webinar for March 1, 2016

Topic: Employer Renewals and Employee Plan Selection

Tuesday, March 1, 2016: 1:00-2:00pm EDT

Webinar Link: click on - Join WebEx meeting

Webinar Meeting Number: 730 028 148

Phone Line: 1-877-668-4493, Access code: 730 028 148

# March 17th In-Person Broker Training

NAHU and DC Health Link are holding an in-person broker training at the DC Health Link office at 1225 Eye St NW on March 17th from 1:00-5:00pm and is worth 4 Continuing Education credits. RSVP at <u>dchl.producer@dc.gov</u>.

This training is for brokers registering with DC Health Link for the first time as well as for registered DC Health Link

# **Quick Tips**

- **Point of contact changes** for Employers should be sent to <u>employer.hbx@dc.gov</u> along with the new email address.
- All consumers will only have one log in for their DC Health Link Account. Employees who are also the point of contact/ employer will only have one log in where they can <u>manage</u> <u>both of the accounts</u>. The process is similar with an employee with an existing individual marketplace account.
- Brokers **no longer use their accounts ending in @DCHL**. Always login in with your email address.
- **1-50 FTEs** DC Health Link will continue to service small businesses with 1-50 employees. Groups with 51 or more employees will continue to obtain insurance directly through insurance companies. The relevant bulletin is available <u>here</u>.

### **ENROLLMENT DEADLINES**

#### Small Business Market:

Initial Groups APR 1 Coverage Effective Date:

- MAR 1— Last day to complete the employer application
- MAR 10— Last day to complete employee open enrollment period and invoice is sent by email
- MAR 14 Last day to pay first premium

**Note:** First premium payment can only be made after employee open enrollment closes.

#### Renewal Groups APR 1 Coverage Effective Date:

- MAR 5—Last day to complete employer renewal application
- MAR 13—Last day to complete employee open enrollment period
- Premium Payments— Continue to pay monthly invoice as received by mail

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