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Changes Already? . . . An Update on Recently Published COBRA Regulations and Proposed DOL Regulations on Processing Benefits Claims

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Barely three months into 1999, health plan sponsors already face significant change in the legal environment of their health plans. Among the most significant of these developments are the recently-issued final COBRA regulations and changes in the obligations and liabilities of health plan sponsors and administrators for utilization management and other cost containment features of health plans. Attorney Cynthia Marcotte Stamer, will brief WEB members and friends about these developments and provide tips to health plan sponsors, administrators, and insurers for coping with their new responsibilities and liabilities. Cindy will also discuss the U.S. Department of Labor's proposed regulations on benefits claims processing requirements as well as related case law, legislation and the potential impact of on plan design.

- Date:** Tuesday, March 30, 1999
- Place:** The Cooper Aerobic Center
Guest Lodge I, McKinney Room (above lobby), 12230 Preston Road, Dallas
- Time:** Registration 11:30 a.m. Lunch 12:00 noon
Program begins 12:30 p.m.
- Cost:** Pay In Advance: Members \$20 Non-members \$30
Pay at Door: Members \$25 Non-members \$35
- Please make your reservations no later than Friday, March 26, 1999

Unless reservations and payments are received 72 hours prior to the meeting, a lunch cannot be guaranteed. Reservations not canceled 24 hours prior to meeting will be billed.

Mark Your Calendar for April 22, 1999
WEB and the Texas Association of Business & Chambers of Commerce (TABCC) will co-host a full day of presentations and panel discussions on the impact of mergers and acquisitions, national and state mandates, uninsureds and under-insureds and other important developments in the health care industry.

On May 25, 1999 we will have our annual Form 5500 Update featuring speakers from the Internal Revenue Service and U.S. Department of Labor.

- For Membership information, please contact Debra Anderson at 972-494-0511 or danderson@hat-co.com
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