



EMPLOYER & OTHER GROUP HEALTH PLAN SPONSORS, INSURERS, ADMINISTRATORS, BROKERS, ADVISORS & CONSULTANTS TO A VIRTUAL BRIEFING ON

Notice 2014-69 Implications On Skinny & Other Limited Health Benefit Plan Designs

Thursday, November 13, 2014

**1:00 P.M.-2:00 P.M. Eastern | 12:00 P.M.-1:00 P.M. Central
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Solutions Law Press, Inc. invites employer and other employment-based group health plan sponsors, fiduciaries insurers, administrators, brokers, consultants and others to learn more about Notice 2014-69 and its implications on the design and consequences of employers offering "skinny" or other limited coverage health plans to their employees under the pay-or-play "shared responsibility provisions of the Code.

[Notice 2014-69](#) makes it official that the Department of Treasury (including the IRS) and Department of Health and Human Services (collectively the Departments) believe that group health plans that fail to provide substantial coverage for in-patient hospitalization services or for physician services (or for both) (referred to in the Notice as Non-Hospital/Non-Physician Services Plans) do not provide the "minimum value" necessary to fulfill the minimum value requirements of Code §36B and 4080H(b).

The Notice also notifies sponsoring employers about the Departments expectations about notifications and other communications to employees about Non-Hospital/Non-Physician Services Plans) as well as shares details about the Departments plans for implementing their interpretation in planned final regulations by March, 2015.

Ms. Stamer will:

- Explain what health benefits, if any, employers must offer employees under current ACA guidance
- Brief participants on this new guidance and other related guidance
- Discuss potential implications for employers and their health plans
- Discuss potential options for employers dealing with these plans and
- Take questions from virtual audience participants as time permits.

Interested persons can register [here](#).

ABOUT THE SPEAKER



A Fellow in the American College of Employee Benefits Counsel, recognized in International Who's Who, and Board Certified in Labor & Employment Law, attorney and health benefit consultant Cynthia Marcotte Stamer has 25 years experience advising and representing private and public employers, employer and union plan sponsors, employee benefit plans, associations, their fiduciaries, administrators, and vendors, group health, Medicare and Medicaid Advantage, and other insurers, governmental leaders and others on health and other employee benefit, employment, insurance and related matters. A well-known and prolific author and popular speaker Board Certified in Labor & Employment Law, Ms. Stamer presently serves as Co-Chair of the ABA RPTe Section Welfare Plan Committee, Vice Chair of the ABA TIPS Employee Benefit Committee, an ABA Joint Committee on Employee Benefits Representative, an Editorial Advisory Board Member of the Institute of Human Resources (IHR/HR.com), Insurance Thought Leadership.com and Employee Benefit News, and various other publications. With extensive domestic and international regulatory and public policy experience, Ms. Stamer also has worked extensively domestically and internationally on public policy and regulatory advocacy on health and other employee benefits, human resources, insurance, tax, compliance and other matters and representing clients in dealings with the US Congress, Departments of Labor, Treasury, Health & Human Services, as well as state legislatures, attorneys general, insurance and labor departments, and other agencies and regulators. A prolific author and popular speaker, Ms. Stamer regularly authors materials and conducts workshops and professional, management and other training and serves on the faculty and planning committees of a multitude of symposium and other educational programs. See www.CynthiaStamer.com for more details.

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