

NEVADA DIVISION OF INSURANCE

STATE SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS MEDICAL DISCOUNT PLAN APPLICATION CHECKLIST CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION NRS 695H

Date: Name of Applicant: NV ID: FEIN: **Principal Address:** Phone: Email:

The following checklist pertains to a MEDICAL DISCOUNT PLAN who wishes to operate in the State of Nevada. The Nevada Division of Insurance ("Division") requires the following items in order to process your application. Failure to provide any of the items listed below will delay the review of your application. Please note, until all of the items listed below have been received and reviewed by the Division, you may not operate, solicit or otherwise transact insurance in Nevada. Upon completion of our review, you will receive written notice, along with a Certificate of Registration, allowing you to transact business in Nevada.

- ✓ Pursuant to NRS 695H.080 an insurer is not required to register any medical discount plan unless the insurer offers, markets or sells the medical discount plan in Nevada for separate consideration.
- Pursuant to NRS 695H.090(3) An administrator or insurer that registers a medical discount plan is not required to pay the fees for registering or renewing the registration of the medical discount plan pursuant to this section.
- The administrator or insurer is, however, required to pay the Fund for Insurance Administration & Enforcement fee of \$1,300 to register, and \$1,300 to annually renew the registration. Invoices will be mailed in January.
- \checkmark The Certificate of Registration does not allow the Medical Discount Plan to market or administer products which are not approved in Nevada, or which are issued by a non-admitted insurer or unauthorized multiple employer trust or associated marketing plan.
- 1. Attach a letter or notice of anticipated operations in Nevada .
- 2. Attach a copy of Articles of Incorporation, certified by the Secretary of State, Bylaws and Partnership Agreement (if applicable).
- 3. Attach Certificates of Registration or License Status (aka Certification Letters).

Please indicate the status of any application, license or registration you have or have applied for in the table below.

- AF APPLIED FOR REGISTERED R
- AA APPROVED D DENIED
- L LICENSED

NA NOT APPLICABLE

NR NOT REQ'D TO REGISTER/LICENSE PENDING

| AK | FL | KY | MT | OH | ТΧ | |
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| AL | GA | LA | NC | ОК | UT | |
| AR | GU | MA | ND | OR | VA | |
| AZ | HI | MD | NE | PA | VI | |
| CA | IA | ME | NH | PR | VT | |
| CO | ID | MI | NJ | RI | WA | |
| СТ | IL | MN | NM | SC | WI | |

| DC | IN | MO | NV | SD | WY | |
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| DE | KS | MS | NY | ΤN | | |

4. Attach the most recent audited financial statements as prepared by an independent certified public accountant. If the audited financial report is more than 6 months old, include:

An income statement, balance sheet and cash flow statement for the 90-days immediately preceding the date the application was filed with the Division, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. -**Or**-

If current audited financial statements are not available, include an income statement, balance sheet and cash flow statement for the 2 years immediately preceding the application, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and certified by an independent certified public accountant.

- 5. Attach a list of, and biographical affidavits of, each person who is responsible for conducting the business activities of the medical discount plan of the applicant, including, but not limited to, all members of the board of directors, board of trustees, officers and managers. The list must set forth the extent and nature of any contracts or other agreements between any person who is responsible for conducting the business activities of the applicant and the medical discount plan, including disclosure of any possible conflicts of interest. The forms are available from the NAIC Web site at: http://www.naic.org/documents/industry_ucaa_form11.doc
- 6. Is the company an insurer?
- 7. State of domicile.
- 8. Principal place of business.
- 9. State of domicile of the insurer and date of charter.
- 10. Attach a copy of all marketing materials and a description of the method of marketing proposed by the applicant
- 11. Attach a copy of all forms used for contracts between the applicant and networks of providers of health care regarding the provision of health care or medical services to members.
- 12. Attach a description of the procedures for making a complaint to be established and maintained by the applicant.
- 13. Attach a copy of provider/reseller lists.
- 14. A summary discussion acknowledging the requirements of NRS 695H.100 usage of certain insurance terms, and NRS 695H.110 .120, disclosures and font sizes.
- 15. A description of the procedures for a plan member to register a complaint; how and where the complaint data will be stored, and acknowledgement that the data must be accessible to the Division for the purposes of compliance and consumer satisfaction.
- 16. Identify all other states in which the group intends to do business.
- 17. Attach an original letter from domiciliary state certifying that the MDP is properly registered.
- 18. Attach an original letter of certification for each state in which the MDP is licensed or registered. Certifications should be in alpha order by state and should not be over 90 days old.
- 19. A minimum net worth of \$100,000 must be maintained at all times. Failure to maintain the minimum net worth will constitute a violation of NRS 695H and NAC 695H, and subject the applicant or registrant to administrative actions.
- 20. Application fees (NRS 695H.090, NRS 680B.010, NRS 680C.110 Fees).

| a) Application Fee | \$500 | Annual Renewal | \$500 |
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| b) Service of Process | \$5 | | |
| c) Fund for Insurance Admin & Enforcement | \$1,300 | Annual Renewal | \$1,300 |

NRS 695H.090 Annual filing requirements to continue doing business in Nevada. Invoices will be mailed in January.

An incomplete application will only be held, pending completion, for 90 days following first receipt. If the application has not been completed within 90 days of the Division's receipt of the first application, it will be rejected. The applicant may submit a new application and fee.

The Division will give notice to the applicant as to why the application is "incomplete" and request additional information. The applicant must submit the information within 90 days of the Division's first receipt. If the applicant fails to submit the information requested within the allotted time, the application is considered "incomplete" and will be rejected.

The applicant may "withdraw" the application within the initial 90 days if the application is "incomplete". The withdrawn application would not be considered as "rejected" or "denied."

NRS 695H.050 "Medical discount plan" means a business arrangement or program evidenced by a membership agreement, contract, card, certificate, device or mechanism in which a person, in exchange for fees, dues, charges or any other form of consideration, offers to provide or provides health care or medical services at a discount from providers of health care who are participating in the business arrangement or program or whom the person advertises as or claims to be participating in the business arrangement or program.

NRS 695H.070 Medical discount plans under exclusive jurisdiction of Commissioner. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Commissioner has exclusive jurisdiction to regulate medical discount plans in Nevada.

NRS 695H.080 Registration of medical discount plan required; exceptions.

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in this section, it is unlawful for any person to offer, market, sell or engage in business as a medical discount plan in this State without first registering the medical discount plan pursuant to the provisions of this chapter.
- 2. An insurer is not required to register any medical discount plan pursuant to the provisions of this chapter unless the insurer offers, markets or sells the medical discount plan in this State for separate consideration.
- 3. If an affiliate of an insurer offers, markets, sells or engages in business as a medical discount plan in this State, the affiliate is required to register the medical discount plan pursuant to the provisions of this chapter.
- 4. The provisions of this chapter do not apply to any medical discount plan that offers or provides discounts only on prescriptions.

Resident Corporations, Limited Liability Companies, Limited Liability Partnerships and Associations: The Articles of Incorporation/Organization must be approved by the Division prior to the filing the Articles of Incorporation/Organization with the Nevada Secretary of State ("SoS"). Please contact the SoS for the applicable fees at (775) 684-5708 or http://www.sos.state.nv.us.

- 1. The purpose of the Articles of Incorporation must include, "Medical Discount Plan".
- 2. Completed Articles of Incorporation/Organization must be provided to the Division for name and purpose approval.
- 3. If the Articles are approved, the Division will forward the Articles of Incorporation/Organization to the SoS, for approval.
- 4. Any business entity that fails to maintain its qualification with the SoS, forfeits its right to do business in this state and must immediately surrender any licenses issued by this Division.

Nonresident Corporations, Limited Liability Companies, Limited Liability Partnerships and Associations must file their Articles of Incorporation/ Organization with the Nevada Secretary of State. Please contact the Nevada Secretary of State for the applicable fees at (775) 684-5708 or <u>http://www.sos.state.nv.us.</u>

- 1. The purpose of the Articles of Incorporation must include "Medical Discount Plan".
- 2. The Articles of Incorporation/Organization and any fees payable must be submitted directly to the SoS.
- 3. Approved Articles of Incorporation/Organization must be submitted to the Division with this application.
- 4. Any business entity that fails to maintain its qualification with the SoS forfeits its right to do business in this state and must immediately surrender any licenses issued by this Division.

Please refer any questions to <u>Finances@doi.nv.gov</u>.

Submit the above information via NAIC UCAA electronic filing. If you are unable to submit through the UCAA electronic portal, send the application via PDF documents through <u>Finances@doi.nv.gov</u>.

Send payment to the Nevada Division of Insurance via ACH or Check.

- o ACH MUST submit <u>ACH Deposit Form</u> at time of payment
- Check Submit remittance advice with your check if paying an invoice; otherwise note "Application Fees" on the check

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