



State Health Plan Feedback Survey Ends Soon!

If you haven't communicated this opportunity to your employees, now is the time!
The survey will END MAY 27!

As a reminder, the State Health Plan is conducting a brief, confidential survey that will help the Plan better understand what matters most to your employees. This feedback will play a direct role in shaping the future of the State Health Plan.

Please encourage your employees to participate and share their perspectives. To make it easy, the Plan has provided ready-to-use tools to help promote the survey.

Tools to help you communicate this opportunity are below and are located on the [HBR Training and Development page](#):

- Full page Flyer to post in shared spaces
- Half page Flyer to post in shared spaces
- Email Tools (Header & Signature)
- Webpage Tools (Header & Sidebar)
- Social Media Tools



Click here for the Active Employee/Non-Medicare Retiree Survey →



TEACHER AMBASSADORS PROGRAM

The State Health Plan is launching a new initiative designed to strengthen connections with educators and improve awareness of health benefits and resources.

WHAT A TEACHER AMBASSADOR WILL DO

- Share important State Health Plan updates with their school community about plan benefits, new programs, and wellness opportunities

WHAT THEY'LL RECEIVE

- Exclusive email updates for Teacher Ambassadors
- Invitations to special webinars designed to keep informed
- Resources to help them support their colleagues with confidence

Treasurer Briner announced the program during his recent visit to Clayton High School in celebration of Teacher Appreciation Week. [Click here to read the announcement.](#)

Teachers can sign up by clicking here →

2026 ACA 1094/1095 Reporting Program

Please note this message is for non-FIORI groups that are part of the State Health Plan. Best Shared Services handles this reporting requirement for all FIORI agencies.

The State Health Plan (Plan) offers Affordable Care Act (ACA) reporting options to assist with your obligation to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). The IRS requires yearly ACA reporting for all groups. Groups are **not** required to use one of the Plan paid options to satisfy their reporting obligation.

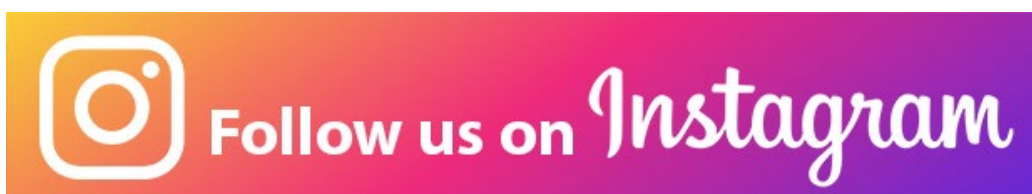
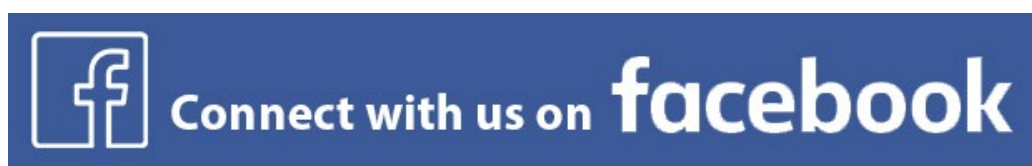
Groups not participating in the Plan paid program should still sign up for the “Data Download Only” option to provide an ACA contact to receive COBRA files. These COBRA data files are for previous employees and dependents who elected COBRA coverage. The Plan sends COBRA files in December to all groups with reportable data, regardless of whether they signed up for the Plan paid program.

IRS ACA Reporting Requirements

The ACA created the requirements for yearly 1094/1095 reporting to the IRS. As a self-insured employer, your group is required to file either forms 1094-B/1095-B or 1094-C/1095-C with the IRS each year. The forms must be delivered to the IRS and your employees as evidence of ACA compliance. Electronic filing is required for employers with 10 or more forms.

All employers participating in the State Health Plan are self-insured employers and required to comply with these requirements.

More information about IRS requirements, the **State Health Plan’s ACA Reporting Program**, and how to sign up can be found in the most recent HBR Alert. [Click here to read the May 12, 2026 HBR Alert.](#)





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