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Liaison Training - Medical and Pharmacy Benefits

ISSUE/QUESTION

What is the topic of the next Liaison Training? When will it be held?

ANSWER

The next Benefit Liaison Training of 2011 will provide information on the Medical and Pharmacy Benefits offered by the Benefit Options health plan. The Benefit Services Division will present a brief overview of the medical benefits offered to state employees. Then, a representative from the medical vendors will give presentations on their unique medical networks and how they operate. Aetna will be giving a detailed presentation on the HSA and education about how it works. Medimpact will provide information about the Benefit Options prescription benefit and will address some common member questions about the pharmacy including; Step Therapy, Prior Authorizations and the Formulary. Liaisons will be given the opportunity to ask each vendor questions.

The Benefit Liaison meetings are scheduled to be held at the Arizona Department of Administration at 100 N 15th Ave, BSD Training Room in Suite #103 on the following dates and times:

April 12 – 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

April 13 – 9:00 am – noon

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April 14 – 9:00 am – noon

Advanced registration is required. Registration will be accepted until the close of business on April 7, 2011. Space is limited to 30 attendees per session. Confirmation of your registration will be provided. Please RSVP to Elizabeth Schafer at Elizabeth.schafer@azdoa.gov with the following information:

1. Selected date and time
2. Names of the persons attending
3. Agency name
4. email addresses
5. phone numbers

ISSUED

March 22, 2011