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Health Care Reform – What Employers Need to Know

In March, President Obama signed the patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the Health Care and Education Affordability Reconciliation Act, which make up the federal health, care reform laws. This historic legislation will significantly change the way health care services are delivered in the United States. What does this new legislation mean for employers who currently provide health care to approximately 170 million Americans? What are the immediate business implications? The future implications?

To help employers understand how this nearly 2,000 page law will affect them the Clermont Chamber of Commerce will present a Health Care Reform Panel at its August Monthly Membership Luncheon.

The Health Care Reform Panel will feature business experts Gwen Finegan, Advocacy & Public Affairs Officer, Mercy Health Partners, Patricia Pryor, Partner, Taft, Stettinius & Hollister, Stephen Hood, Partner, Kamphaus, Henning and Hood CPAs, Amy Jeffries, Account Executive, Benefit Resources. Moderated by Robin Throckmorton, President of strategic HR, Inc., this panel of business experts will simplify the new laws and inform businesses on how this legislation affects them now and in the future.

The Monthly Membership Luncheon will be held on August 13, 11:30 – 1:30 at Receptions Eastgate. The cost to attend for Chamber members is \$25 and for future members \$50. Reservations are requested and may be made by calling 513 576-5005 or online at www.clermontchamber.com.

Founded in 1969, the Clermont Chamber of Commerce is an association of approximately 1000 businesses working together to make the Clermont County area the best place to locate, operate and grow your business. The Chamber's key initiatives are advocacy, economic growth and member/investor benefits. Find us at www.clermontchamber.com. The President of the Clermont Chamber of Commerce is Matthew D. Van Sant, and the Chairman of the Board is Andrew McCreanor of Executive Service Corps of Cincinnati.