



The Lehigh Valley Business Coalition on Health Care

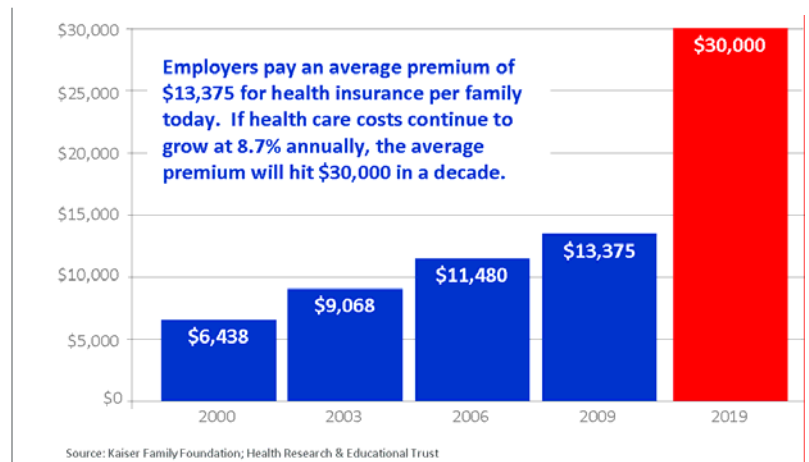
Providing access to quality and cost effective health care programs

Amid today's struggling economy, plan sponsors and their members across Pennsylvania are feeling the healthcare pinch. For more than 25 years, the Lehigh Valley Business Coalition on Health Care (LVBCHC), a not-for-profit organization, has joined forces with hundreds of employers, including for-profit and non-profit companies, municipalities and school districts across Pennsylvania, to help them reduce health care costs and improve the quality of the health care delivery system.

Today, the LVBCHC offers employers access to various deeply discounted health care programs and much more.

Through the combined purchasing power of our membership, we are providing employers more affordable access to health benefits programs, thereby helping them to drive down costs—regardless of size.

Offering much more than discounts on group benefit plans, the LVBCHC seeks to transform health care.



Negotiated discounted programs include

- Medical Plans
- Prescription Plans
- Vision Plans
- Dental Plans
- Mental Health, EAP, Work Life

The Benefits of Membership

Members are able to:

- Exchange and openly discuss best practices for managing their benefits programs with peers;
- Participate in quarterly roundtable discussions that feature well-known health care experts from around the country;
- Receive community health care quality data that enables employers to turn knowledge into action;
- Address the most pressing issues faced by employers from implementing wellness initiatives, to managing prescription drug trends and understanding and managing proposed National and State legislation;
- Leverage the combined negotiating and purchasing power of some of Pennsylvania's largest employers.

We choose our partners for these initiatives not just on price alone but on the added value they offer to our membership. For example, in recent years, we've placed a greater emphasis on the avoidance of illness through the use of wellness initiatives and support programs that address chronically ill patients, such as those with cardiovascular disease, diabetes, and more.

Don't Manage Your Health Care Benefits Alone

We invite you to join us in our efforts to reduce costs and promote health care quality. We can be reached through our website or by phone or email. A staff member or board representative will be happy to meet with you at any time to discuss the benefits of membership.

Contact us today:

Call 610-317-0130

Email us at lvbchc@lvbchc.com

Visit us at: www.lvbchc.com

Our membership is comprised of over 140 different types and sizes of organizations. Some are international in scope, while others are regional or local employers. Below is a partial listing:

- Apprise Software, Inc
- Asbury United Methodist Church
- Associated Rubber, Inc
- B Braun Medical Inc
- Bangor Area School District
- Borough of Freemansburg
- Buckeye Partners, LP
- City Of Allentown
- Crayola, LLC
- Creative Landscaping, Inc
- DeSales University
- Diocese of Allentown
- East Penn Manufacturing Co., Inc
- Elementis Worldwide, Inc
- Essroc Italcementi Group
- FLSmith
- Giorgio Companies
- Glaxo Smith Kline
- Green Pond Country Club, Inc
- LSI Corporation
- Lafayette College
- Lehigh University
- Lehigh Valley Marketplace
- Liberty Healthcare Corporation
- Mack Trucks, Inc
- Narrow Fabric Industries Corp
- Olympus Corporation of the Americas
- PPL Corporation
- Pfizer, Inc
- Tyco Electronics
- Volvo Construction Equipment
- Volvo Trucks North America, Inc

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