

Delivering affordable, effective care

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The Affordable Care Act (ACA) promises to make guaranteed, stable health care coverage available to those without it. But it also promises to introduce complex administrative and technical challenges for employers like you — from implementing new benefits policies and taxes to possibly overhauling your entire health care offering.

And while the new federal health care reform law represents meaningful progress, it's just the beginning of a longer journey. Regence has been committed to transforming health care since long before March 2010. We understand the high stakes and the vast scope of the task ahead, including the need for ramped-up regulatory adherence and the possibility of rising costs.

Regence envisions a coordinated health care system that expands access to the best, most affordable coverage and care possible. That's why we work closely with the employers we serve, constantly looking for new ways to improve the quality of health care offerings, reduce overall spending, and keep employees satisfied and on board.

We strive for transparency. By offering our members a more personal view into their care with cost estimators, comparison tools and patient reviews, they're able to take a more active role in their health care. As a result, they're empowered to make informed decisions, enjoy higher satisfaction rates and do their part to help control costs. And that's just the beginning.

Regardless of the side one takes or of political mandates, all of us must work together to build a more efficient and affordable health care system for the well-being of our families, businesses and governments today — and in the future. Regence is up for the challenge. We're here to help you manage the complexities of health care reform to deliver effective, affordable care that improves the health of your employees and your bottom line.

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