Benefits Program Administrator - HYBRID Flexibility

Job #: 23-00097 Location: Vineland, NJ, United States Onsite Flexibility: 20% Remote

Job Description

Our client, one of South Jersey's leading healthcare organizations, is looking for a **Benefits Program Administrator** to join their growing team in Vineland, NJ. This newly created role will:

- Oversee employee benefits programs (health, dental, vision, disability, life insurance, retirement plans, and voluntary benefit programs), and act as point of contact/liaison with plan vendors and third-party administrators.
- Serve as lead for oversight of third party benefits administration platform and ensures related interfaces to HRIS are operating appropriately, reconciles same, and is subject matter expert for the platform.
- Assist in the benefits renewal process/open enrollment, and conduct training, communications, planned events, and website/portal updates as appropriate.
- Manage relationships with plan vendors and third-party administrators to ensure plans run smoothly; investigate discrepancies; assist with claims processing
- Assist with claim issues for plan participants. Investigate co-pay waivers and notify management of the
 waiver for approval/denial, assist with escalations, and respond to management and business partner
 inquiries regarding health and welfare plans and retirement programs.
- Process monthly benefit bills for payment, and calculation of retro deductions.
- Participate and coordinate benefit related events such as Benefits Fairs, other educational events, such as retirement planning.
- Complete surveys, regulatory reports as needed.
- Oversee the development, implementation, and on-going compliance with all benefits-related regulations including but not limited to ERISA, HIPAA, COBRA, ACA, etc. Also ensures compliance with regulations/SPDs related to retirement plans and reconciliations of balances for Company match, nonelective contributions, IRS limits, etc, on a quarterly basis.
- Back up for processing of life insurance claims, daycare, and tuition assistance.
- Produce ad hoc benefit reports from HRIS system as required.
- Assist manager and director as needed in annual benefits plan design support.
- Investigate pension inquiries from former employees.
- Assist with other benefit duties and/or projects as needed.

The ideal candidate will have:

- Bachelor's degree in HR preferred
- Five (5) years previous benefits administration experience
- Two (2) years previous experience with oversight of third-party benefits administration platforms highly preferred.
- Experience with Oracle HRIS (especially benefits) preferred.
- Must be Covid vaccinated
- Must be able to work at least 4 days on site in the Vineland office

This is a full time, direct hire opportunity offering hybrid flexibility.*

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