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STATE OF CONNECTICUT
Nonprofit Employee Health Coverage Initiative

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Dear DDS Qualified Provider:

The State of Connecticut is conducting an initial exploration to evaluate the feasibility and operational considerations for a potential new health coverage option for DDS Qualified Providers and their employees. The goal is to determine whether participating employers could join together to purchase health coverage through a larger group, improving affordability, stability, and access to high-quality benefits.

To evaluate the feasibility and potential cost of this option, we are requesting basic information about the health plans your organization currently offers. The information will be used by the project actuary to model potential plan designs and estimate premiums, employee enrollment, and possible savings. Information submitted by individual organizations will be used for analysis and will not be publicly presented in an organization-identifiable form.

The requested information should be available in the following documents:

1. **Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) -** A standard summary describing each health plan design offered to employees. Please provide one SBC for each plan option.
2. **Current Premium and Enrollment Information -** The current employee and employer premium amounts for each coverage tier, together with the number of employees and covered dependents enrolled in each plan.
3. **Most Recent Health Plan Renewal -** The most recent renewal document or rate notice provided by your insurance carrier or broker for each plan offered.

To support our evaluation of this new potential health coverage option, please use this form link:

State of Connecticut 2026 Private Provider Employer Health Plan Survey.

Please submit the requested information through the project data collection form by September 3, 2026.

Your organization's insurance broker or benefits consultant may complete the form or provide the requested documents on your behalf.

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A separate, brief employee survey will also be distributed to help estimate how many employees may enroll if coverage becomes more affordable or benefits improve. Additional information about that survey and the distribution process will follow.

Participation is important to ensure that the analysis accurately reflects the needs and current health coverage costs of providers and their workforce. Thank you for your partnership in this effort.

Questions may be directed to Claudio W. Gualtieri, Senior Policy Advisory, at Claudio.Gualtieri@ct.gov.

Sincerely,

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