



# Small Business Subsidy Informational Meeting

The Maryland Health Care Commission is partnering with **Delegate Shawn Z. Tarrant, The local Baltimore Chamber of Commerce**, and the business trade associations to host a free meeting to provide information about the **Health Insurance Partnership** to small business owners that have been unable to provide health coverage to their employees due to high premiums. Your business may be eligible for a health insurance premium subsidy of up to 50 percent if you have 9 or fewer employees, your employees have an average annual wage under \$50,000, and you have not offered group health insurance to them in the last 12 months.

The meeting will also offer information on the benefits of and steps to establish a Section 125 premium conversion plan. These plans allow employee premium contributions to be made on a pre-tax basis and are required to participate in the Health Insurance Partnership.

Meeting will be offered at the following date, time and location:

December 9, 2008 (Tue) 8:30 – 10:30 a.m.

The Maryland Health Care Commission  
4160 Patterson Avenue  
Baltimore, Maryland

On the Patterson Avenue side of the Reisterstown Plaza at the corner of Patterson Ave & Reisterstown Road, in Baltimore City, MD.

**Registration is free, but space is limited – please register as soon as possible!**

**TO REGISTER: Complete the form below, and fax this page to 410-358-8811  
To register by phone call 410-764-5593**

Information about the Health Insurance Partnership is available at <http://mhcc.maryland.gov/partnership> or by calling 410-764-3460 or toll free at (877) 245-1762.

First Name:

Last Name:

Business Name:

Address:

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State:

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