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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name HC Associates, Inc.			
2. Registrant Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported Address 901 15th Street, N.W., Suite 410 City Washington State/Zip (or Country) DC 20005			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name Howard Cohen	Telephone (202) 371-6148	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # 65497-113
7. Client Name <input type="checkbox"/> Self American Association of Health Plans, Inc.			6. House ID # 35598000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2002 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-De

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report >> Termination Date _____

11. No Lobby

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
<p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> >> \$ <u>\$60,000.00</u> Income (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000 of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> >> \$ _____ Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description of</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definition</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 603 of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature Howard Cohen

Date 8/5/2002

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Client Name: American Association of Health Plans, Inc.

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code HCR (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
**H.R.2563, Bipartisan Patient Protection Act of 2001,
S.1052, Bipartisan Patient Protection Act,
S.1317, A Bill to Amend Title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for equitable reimbursement rates Medicare program.,**

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
**Department of Health & Human Services
House of Representatives
Senate**

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Cohen, Howard	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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15. General issue area code INS (one per page)

16. Specific Lobbying issues
H.R.2315, Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 2001,
H.R.2563, Bipartisan Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 2001,
S.1052, Bipartisan Patient Protection Act,
S.889, Bipartisan Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 2001,

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15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

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