

LOBBYING REPORT

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

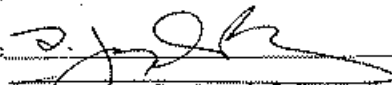
1. Registrant Name Wellmark, Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 636 Grand Avenue, Ruan Center, Station 25, Des Moines, Iowa 50309			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name F. Joseph DuBray	Telephone 515-245-4775	E-mail (optional) dubrayj@wellmark.com	5. Senate ID # 40910-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 30063000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

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 Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <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 type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></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>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ <small>Expenses (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

Signature: 

Printed Name and Title: F. Joseph DuBray, Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Registrant Name Wellmark, Inc.

Client Name Self

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. 2990 - Quality Care for the Uninsured Act of 1999/Patient Bill of Rights
- H.R. 2723 - Bipartisan Consensus Managed Care Improvement Act of 1999
- H.R. 2824 - Health Care Quality and Choice Act of 1999
- H.R. 4585 (Leach) Medical Financial Privacy Protection Act
- S. 1344 - Patient Bill of Rights Act of 1999
- S. 881 - Medical Information Protection Act of 1999

Issues - Health Plan Reg., Patient Bill of Rights, Managed Care Reform, Liability, **MEWAs,** PPOs


17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House
Senate

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

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Sandy Smitherman	Government Relations Director	<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature  Date 8-11-00
Printed Name and Title P. Joseph DuBray, Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Registrant Name Wellmark, Inc. Client Name Self

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

16. Specific lobbying issues
H.R. 1304 (Campbell) - The Quality Health Care Coalition Act

Issues - Collective bargaining by providers

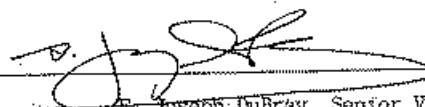
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15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

- H.R. 4680 (Thomas) Medicare RX 2000 Act
- S. 1895 (Breaux) Medicare Preservation and Improvement Act of 1999
- S. 2342 (Moynihan) Medicare Modernization Act of 2000

Issue - Medicare Prescription Drugs

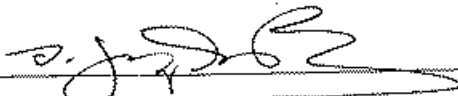
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15. General issue area code PHA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

No specific bills. Specific bills are all under MM (Medicare RX Drug legislation)

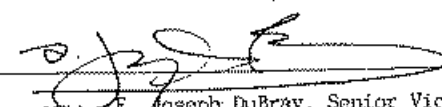
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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address (New Station Number only)
636 Grand Avenue, Ruan Center, Station 25, Des Moines, Iowa, 50309

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)
City _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____

22. New general description of client's business or services

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

N/A

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)
None		

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

N/A


FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage to client
None				

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

N/A

Signature  Date 8-11-00

Printed Name and Title F. Joseph Dubroy, Senior Vice President and General Counsel

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