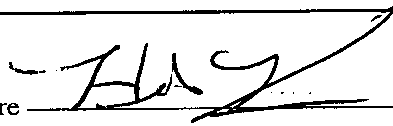

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Registrant Name Premier, Inc. Client Name

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 and information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

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

16. Specific lobbying issues

- S720 Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2003
 - HR663 Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2003
 - S1012 Strengthening Our States Act of 2003
 - HR2000 Strengthening Our States Act of 2003
 - S652 Access to Hospitals Act of 2003
 - HR328 Access to Hospitals Act of 2003
 - HR810 Medicare Regulatory and Contracting Reform Act of 2003
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17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

- Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
 - Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
 - Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
 - Department of Health and Human Services
 - Executive Office of the President
- continued

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

Name

Covered Official Position (if applicable)


Allinger, Sharon

Kuhn, Herb

Reagan, Margaret

Williams, Matthew

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

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Registrant Name: Premier Inc., ID# 30456000

Client Name: Premier Inc.

16. Specific Lobbying Issues, continued

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| HR1710 | American Hospital Preservation Act of 2003 |
| S899 | American Hospital Preservation Act of 2003 |
| HR1675 | Health Care Access and Rural Equity Act of 2003 |
| S816 | Health Care Access and Rural Equity Act of 2003 |
| HR5 | Help Efficient, Accessible, Low cost, Timely Health Act of 2003 |
| S607 | Help Efficient, Accessible, Low cost, Timely Health Act of 2003 |
| HR1 | Medicare Prescription Drug and Modernization Act of 2003 |
| S1 | Prescription Drug and Medicare Improvement Act of 2003 |
| HR2 | Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 |
| S1054 | Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 |
| HR531 | To amend Title XXI of the Social Security Act to extend availability of allotments for SCHIP |
| S.312 | To amend Title XXI of the Social Security Act to extend availability of allotments for SCHIP |
| HR1342 | Medicaid Safety Net Improvement Act of 2003 |
| S.204 | Medicaid Safety Net Improvement Act of 2003 |
| HR1463 | Smallpox Emergency Personnel Protection Act of 2003 |
| HR1770 | Smallpox Emergency Personnel Protection Act |
| HR819 | Local Emergency Health Services Reimbursement Act of 2003 |
| S419 | Local Emergency Health Services Reimbursement Act of 2003 |
| HR87 | Rural and Urban Health Care Act of 2003 |
| HR501 | Nurse Loan Forgiveness Act of 2003 |
| HR623 | Medical laboratory Personnel Shortage Act of 2003 |
| HR1580 | Medicare Area Wage Index and Standardized Rate Act of 2003 |
| HR2555 | Homeland Security Appropriations Act |
| H.Con.Res.95 | FY 2004 Budget Resolution |
| S15 | Project BioShield Act of 2003 |
| S11 | Patients First Act of 2003 |
| S138 | Temporary increase in FMAP allotments |
| S1356 | Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services and Education and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2004 |
| S648 | Pharmacy Education Act of 2003 |

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted, continued

Federal Trade Commission
 Food and Drug Administration
 General Accounting Office
 Health Resources and Services Administration
 U. S. House of Representatives
 Office of Management and Budget
 U. S. Senate

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Registrant Name Premier, Inc. Client Name _____

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

20. Client new address

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 activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

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

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

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

Signature  Date 07/27/03

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