

LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

AMERICAS HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS, INC (AHIP)

2. Address:

601 PENNSYLVANIA AVE., NW, SOUTH BUILDING, #500, WASHINGTON, DC 20004

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

4. Contact Name: JULIE SIMON MILLER

Telephone: 2027783250

E-mail (optional): jumiller@ahip.org

Senate ID #: 1581-12

House ID #:

7. Client Name: Self

TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2007 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

12. Lobbying Firms

INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000:

\$10,000 or more: => Income (nearest \$20,000): _____

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).

13. Organizations

EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000:

\$10,000 or more: => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 3,420,000.00

14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

- Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only
 Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code
 Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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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:

HCR (LEGISLATIVE ISSUES): H.R. 506: Health Partnership Through Creative Federalism Act (Baldwin) (continued) H.R. 1368: Personalized Health Information Act (Kennedy); H.R. 2184: Enhanced Health Care Value for All Act (Allen); H.R. 2497: Fair and Reliable Medical Justice Act (Cooper); H.R. 2580: Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-cost, Timely Healthcare Act (Gingrey); S. 243: Medical Care Access Protection Act (Ensign); S. 244: Healthy Mothers and Healthy Babies Access to Care Act (Gregg); S. 325: Health Partnership Act (Bingaman); S. 334: Healthy Americans Act (Wyden); S. 1198: Catastrophic Health Coverage Promotion Act (Smith); S. 1481: Fair and Reliable Medical Justice Act (Baucus); S. 1490: Federal Employees Electronic Personal Health Records Act (Carper); S. 1693: Wired for Health Care Quality Act (Kennedy); S. 1710: Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act (Harkin) HCR (Regulatory Issues): HIPAA administrative simplification issues, including privacy, security, and electronic transactions and code sets; FEHBP enrollment data clearinghouse initiative; FEHBP community rating policies, including similarly sized subscriber group (SSSG) requirements; implementation of the health savings account provisions of the Medicare Act; issues related to implementation of the National Health Information Infrastructure; issues relating to market consolidation; issues relating to quality improvement; issues related to potential priority research topics for the effective health care program; issues relating to the national health data stewardship; and issues relating to hospital outpatient measurement and reporting.

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

Agency for Health Care Policy & Research
Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)
Executive Office of the President (EOP)
Federal Trade Commission (FTC)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)
Internal Revenue Service (IRS)
Labor, Dept of (DOL)
Office of Personnel Management (OPM)
SENATE
Treasury, Dept of

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

Name: BOCCHINO, CARMELLA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BROOKS, ELIZABETH
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CURRY, ANN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DOWELL, JILL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FOSTER, BEHRENDIS
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: IGNAGNI, KAREN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: JACKSON, ALETHIA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LEMIEUX, JEFF
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LESSEN, JOE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SCHALLER, CANDACE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: STYLES, SCOTT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: VOGEL, KELLY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WILDER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WRIGHT, DUANE

Registrant Name: AMERICAS HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS, INC (AHIP) Client Name: Self

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ZIGMUND LUKE, MARILYN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

INS (Legislative); H.R. 241: Association Health Plans (Johnson); H.R. 493: Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (Slaughter); H.R. 758: Breast Cancer Patient Protection Act (DeLauro) (continued) INS (Legislative) (cont.) H.R. 836: Cyber-Security Enhancement and Consumer Data Protection Act (Smith); H.R. 948: Social Security Number Protection Act (Markey); H.R. 958: Data Accountability and Trust Act (Rush); H.R. 979: Bipartisan Consensus Managed Care Improvement Act (Norwood); H.R. 1081: Insurance Industry Competition Act (DeFazio); H.R. 1282: Medigap Access Improvement Act (English); H.R. 1424: Paul Wellstone Mental Health and Addiction Equity Act (Kennedy); H.R. 2412: Equity in Prescription Insurance and Contraceptive Coverage Act (Lowey); H.R. 2676: Access to Cancer Clinical Trials Act (Pryce); H.R. 2851: Michelle's Law (Hodes); H.R. 2948: Increased Access to Health Insurance Act (Walberg); S. 40: National Insurance Act (Sununu); S. 46: Affordability in the Individual Market Act (Ensign); S. 239: Notification of Risk to Personal Data Act (Feinstein); S. 358: Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (Snowe); S. 400: Michelle's Law (Sununu); S. 459: Breast Cancer Patient Protection Act (Snowe); S. 495: Personal Data Privacy and Security Act (Leahy); S. 558: Mental Health Parity Act (Domenici); S. 616: HIPAA Recreational Injury Technical Correction Act (Collins); S. 618: Insurance Industry Competition Act (Leahy); S. 1076: HIPAA Recreational Injury Technical Correction Act (Burgess); S. 1178: Identity Theft Protection Act (Inouye); S. 1260: Data Security Act (Carper); S. 1298: Healthy Businesses, Healthy Workers Reinsurance Act (Kerry); S. 1588: Children's Access to Reconstructive Evaluation and Surgery Act (Landrieu) INS (Regulatory) Insurance regulatory reform; issues related to the coordination of private and public disability income benefits; disability risk management.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)
Labor, Dept of (DOL)
SENATE
Social Security Administration (SSA)
Treasury, Dept of

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

Name: BOCCHINO, CARMELLA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BROOKS, ELIZABETH
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CASHDOLLAR, WINTHROP
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CORONEL, SUSAN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: CURRY, ANN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: DOWELL, JILL
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: FOSTER, BEHRENDIS
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: IGNAGNI, KAREN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: JACKSON, ALETHIA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KEEFER, SCOTT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LEMIEUX, JEFF
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LESSEN, JOE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SCHALLER, CANDACE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: STYLES, SCOTT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: TURNER, ROD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Name: VOGEL, KELLY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WILDER, TOM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WRIGHT, DUANE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ZIGMUND LUKE, MARILYN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

MMM (Legislative Issues): H.R. 4: Medicare Prescription Drug Price Negotiation Act (Dingell); H.R. 1535: Children's Health First Act (Dingell); H.R. 1663: Medicare Mental Health Modernization Act (Stark) (continued) H.R. 1990: Medicare Cost Contract Extension and Refinement Act (Pomeroy); H.R. 2147: Healthy Kids Act (Emanuel); H.R. 2206: Supplemental Appropriations Act (Obey); H.R. 2945: Medicare Advantage Truth in Advertising Act (Stark); H.Con.Res. 99: Budget Resolution (Spratt); S. 3: Medicare Prescription Drug Price Negotiation Act (Reid); S. 130: Medicare Cost Contract Extension and Refinement Act (Allard); S. 401: Keep Children Covered Act (Rockefeller); S. 706: Medicare Advantage Stabilization Fund (Feingold); S. 799: Community Choice Act (Harkin); S. 895: Children's Health First Act (Clinton); S. 1102: Part D Equity for Low-Income Seniors Act (Bingaman); S. 1103: Helping Fill the Medicare Rx Gap Act (Bingaman); S. 1107: Home and Community Services Copayment Equity Act (Smith); S. 1108: Medicare Part D Outreach and Enrollment Enhancement Act (Smith); S. 1224: Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act (Rockefeller); S. 1507: Access to Medicare Data Act (Grassley); S. 1544: Medicare Quality Enhancement Act (Gregg); S. 1701: TMA/Medicare Advantage (Baucus); S.Con.Res. 21: Budget Resolution (Conrad) MMM (Regulatory Issues) Ongoing implementation issues for the Medicare Advantage and Medicare Part D prescription drug programs, including risk adjustment methodology and data issues, bidding and payment (including Part D reinsurance and low income subsidies), benefit design rules, SSA and CMS premium withhold processing issues, systems issues affecting enrollment and disenrollment processing, enrollment rules, marketing materials review and approval, marketing activities, including conduct of brokers and agents and plan sponsor marketing staff and issues raised by CMS about Private Fee-for-Service (PFFS) plan marketing, measurement and oversight of plan performance, grievance and appeals processes, Medicare/Medicaid integration issues for Special Needs Plans (SNPs), Part D prescription drug event data reporting, Part D formulary rules, Part D pharmacy access standards, and other operational issues; Medicare creditable drug coverage reporting requirements; implementation issues for the Medicare Retiree Drug Subsidy program; functionality of the Medicare Personal Plan Finder and Drug Plan Finder; National Medicare Education program; ongoing implementation issues for the Medicare cost plan program including enrollment, marketing materials review and approval, systems issues affecting enrollment and disenrollment processing, payment and other operational issues; Medicare demonstration program on performance-based payments for physician groups; Medicare coverage policy and national coverage decisions; Medicare clinical trials; Medicaid managed care regulations and policies, including the Medicaid managed care actuarial soundness standard, quality oversight, grievance and appeals processes, beneficiary information requirements, treatment of Medicaid health plan member hospital days in the upper payment limit calculation; policies affecting State Medicaid funding, including intergovernmental transfers (IGTs) and federal matching funds for graduate medical education; coordination of benefits with state Medicaid programs; Medicaid prescription drug cost/rebate issues affecting Medicaid health plans; health plan-related State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) issues, including eligibility and outreach issues; implementation of Medicaid changes made in Deficit Reduction Act of 2005, including documentation of citizenship requirements, state benefit flexibility options, and Medicaid managed care organization provider tax issues; standards for electronic prescribing; and CMS RFI concerning health information technology.

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

Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

Executive Office of the President (EOP)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)

SENATE

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

Name: BOCCHINO, CARMELLA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: CORONEL, SUSAN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DESONIA, RANDY

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DOWELL, JILL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: FOSTER, BEHRENDIS

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: IGNAGNI, KAREN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: JACKSON, ALETHIA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: LEMIEUX, JEFF

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Registrant Name: AMERICAS HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS, INC (AHIP) Client Name: Self

Name: LESSEN, JOE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MINER, CRAIG
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ROHAN, SUE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: STYLES, SCOTT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: VOGEL, KELLY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WEISS, HOWARD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WILDER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WRIGHT, DUANE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

16. Specific lobbying issues:

PHA (Pharmacy) (Legislative): H.R. 971: Community Pharmacy Fairness Act (Weiner); H.R. 1038: Access to Life-Saving Medicine Act (Waxman); H.R. 2900: FDA Amendments Act (Dingell) (continued) PHA (Legislative) (continued): S. 316: Preserve Access to Affordable Generics Act (Kohl); S. 623: Access to Life-Saving Medicine Act (Schumer); S. 885: Community Pharmacy Fairness Act (Isakson); S. 1082: FDA Revitalization Act (Kennedy); S. 1505: Affordable Biologics for Consumers Act (Gregg); S. 1695: Biologics Price Competition and Innovation Act (Kennedy) PHA (Regulatory): Issues relating to long term safety and effectiveness of medical devices and drugs, including registries; issues relating to post-market surveillance of drugs and medical devices; and issues relating to access for investigational drugs.

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

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: DOWELL, JILL

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: IGNAGNI, KAREN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: JACKSON, ALETHIA

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: LESSEN, JOE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: SCHALLER, CANDACE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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Name: WILDER, TOM

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WRIGHT, DUANE

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: ZIGMUND LUKE, MARILYN

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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15. General issue area code: TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

TAX (Tax) (Legislative): H.R. 914: Tax Equity and Affordability Act (Ryan); H.R. 2302: Health Insurance Affordability Act (King); H.R. 2582: Qualified Long-term Care Fairness Act (Brown-Waite) (continued) (TAX (Tax) Legislative continued) H.R. 2639: Promoting Health for Future Generations Act (Boustany); S. 397: Tax Equity and Affordability Act (Martinez); S. 504: Long-Term Care Trust Account Act (Smith); S. 555: SIMPLE Cafeteria Plan Act (Snowe); S. 897: Alzheimer's Family Assistance Act (Mikulski) TAX (Tax) Regulatory: Implementation of the health savings account provisions of the Medicare Act.

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

Executive Office of the President (EOP)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)
Internal Revenue Service (IRS)
SENATE
Treasury, Dept of

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

Name: CASHDOLLAR, WINTHROP
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
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Name: FOSTER, BEHRENDIS
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: IGNAGNI, KAREN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: JACKSON, ALETHIA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KEEFER, SCOTT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: LESSEN, JOE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: STYLES, SCOTT
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: VOGEL, KELLY
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WILDER, TOM
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: WRIGHT, DUANE
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: ZIGMUND LUKE, MARILYN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

Signature: ON FILE Date: May 15, 2008

Printed Name and Title: JULIE SIMON MILLER, SENIOR ASS -

Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

LOBBYIST UPDATE

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

Name: MINER, CRAIG

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following organization(s)

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

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: ON FILE Date: May 15, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -