

Case Study

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Change Management Case Study: ACA Transitioning

The Challenge

Due to ACA legislation, numerous group accounts are being transitioned from large group to small group accounts. Our client, a large healthcare payor, needed to prepare for this transition and change its current sales operation strategy to allow its customers to take advantage of plan renewals before the migration takes effect.

The Solution

To help our client take advantage of the "transitional window," the ICF team analyzed the current market and determined how to best keep the coverage the client had. Working with the client, we developed a plan that focused on the unique characteristics of key accounts, provided sales and broker training, developed sales implementation plans, and aligned compensation plans by adjusting small group rating systems to support the future influx of accounts. Additionally, ICF analyzed current operations to determine the systems capability to handle increased enrollment—including work volumes, speed of enrollment, and capacity plans.

The Results

ICF and the client developed a multiyear operational sales plan and an approach organized around operational and sales brokers training and internal/external communications. The process involved identifying current operational procedures and determined readiness for change as well as analyzed and defined existing systems' current state capabilities.

