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# Master MERPs: NABIP Offers Comprehensive Training for Today's Benefits Professionals

**Washington, D.C.** – The National Association of Benefits and Insurance Professionals (NABIP) is excited to announce the launch of a new continuing education (CE) course focused on Medical Expense Reimbursement Plans (MERPs). This 4-hour course is designed to provide insurance professionals with the knowledge and tools necessary to stay ahead in the health insurance industry by expanding their client base and offering new, innovative solutions.

Sponsored by Nonstop Administration and Insurance Services, Inc., and developed by industry experts at MZQ Consulting, the MERP CE course will guide attendees through the key aspects of these plans, equipping them to understand:

- The ideal groups for implementing a MERP
- The similarities and differences between MERPs and typical Health Reimbursement Arrangements (HRAs)
- The potential advantages MERPs offer over traditional insurance plans
- The fiduciary duties associated with offering a MERP

"NABIP remains committed to providing our members with the most current and impactful education opportunities," said Jessica Brooks-Woods, NABIP CEO. "As the industry continues to evolve, offering solutions like MERPs could be the difference between growing your client base or falling behind. This course will ensure that our members have the competitive edge they need to succeed."

Nonstop Administration and Insurance Services, Inc. is proud to partner with MZQ and NABIP for the launch of this significant CE course. "Our belief that employees deserve better health benefits and employers should be able to afford them, has never been more paramount, given the impossibly high costs of healthcare," said Nonstop's Chief Growth Officer Kristin Donahue. "This course is a big step forward in helping brokers in their search for innovative options for their clients."

## **Course Registration Information:**

To register for the MERP CE course, visit <u>here</u> or contact us by phone at (844) 257-0990 or by email at <u>professionaldevelopment@nabip.org</u>.

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Nonstop Administration and Insurance Services, Inc. reduces barriers to accessing healthcare through an innovative first-dollar approach that provides cost certainty for employers and can reduce or eliminate upfront medical expenses for enrolled employees and their families. Nonstop's core product, Nonstop Health®, can cut employer-sponsored premiums on average by 8-10%, without requiring broker, carrier, or provider changes.

<u>MZQ Consulting</u> is a concierge compliance firm that excels at making the complex simple, has been at the forefront of ERISA compliance services since the passage of the Affordable Care Act in 2010. Today, the company offers complete services, including ACA compliance, ACA tracking, Employer Mandate Penalty Resolution, Form 5500 Preparation, Non-Discrimination Testing, and Mental Health Parity Analysis.