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NABIP Member Marcie Strouse Testifies Before House Ways and Means Committee on Modernizing American Healthcare

Washington, D.C. – NABIP member Marcie Strouse, a partner at Capitol Benefits Group, recently testified before the U.S. House Ways and Means Health Subcommittee during a hearing titled *Modernizing American Health Care: Creating Healthy Options and Better Incentives*. Strouse provided critical insights on the challenges small businesses face in offering affordable health benefits and the need for policy solutions that empower employers and employees.

With over two decades of experience in employee benefits, Strouse emphasized the increasing burden of rising healthcare costs on small businesses, the need for greater flexibility in employer-sponsored coverage, and the importance of transparency in healthcare pricing. She highlighted NABIP-supported, consumer-focused solutions such as Health Savings Accounts (HSAs), Individual Coverage Health Reimbursement Arrangements (ICHRAs), and Direct Primary Care (DPC) as essential tools for improving affordability and access to care.

"Marcie Strouse delivered an important message to Congress on behalf of small business owners and benefits professionals," said NABIP CEO Jessica Brooks-Woods. "Her testimony highlighted the urgent need for reforms that improve affordability, transparency, and choice in healthcare. Small businesses are the backbone of our economy, and they deserve policies that allow them to provide quality health benefits to their employees without financial strain."

A recording of the hearing is available [here](#).

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