

# The Alert FOR BROKERS



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Blue Cross® Blue Shield® of Arizona (BCBSAZ) and Arizona Technology Council (AZTC) are pleased to introduce a new Association Health Plan (AHP). It's a comprehensive health insurance product available exclusively to AZTC members. The AHP features medical and dental plans from BCBSAZ, along with vision coverage, life insurance, employee assistance, and health savings account /flexible spending account administration.

Boost your small group pipeline and growth opportunities with this new AHP available to tech companies with two or more employees. This AHP lets you offer your small groups the health benefits typically reserved for larger companies, along with relief from the associated administrative duties: plan and COBRA administration, bill payment, compliance filing, managing participant eligibility, and benefit enrollment.

Best of all, your groups will have access to BCBSAZ's expansive network of providers (including the statewide network with Mayo Clinic), innovative health and wellness programs, and local customer support.

This AHP is the Council's own health program, not an endorsement of a vendor solution. The Council has assembled an internal team of health insurance professionals to manage the program while supporting you through the quoting and onboarding process.

As a trusted resource in strengthening Arizona's technology sector, the Council supports the development, growth, and advancement of more than 850 science- and technology-driven companies. Through a collaborative partnership, tech startups and growing companies will be able to stay focused on what they do best: innovating.

**Find the plan that's right for your clients and get them the coverage they deserve.**

The program's effective date is January 1, 2020. The Council began accepting quotes on October 15, 2019.

Should you have questions or need assistance, reach out to DiMartino Associates directly at [AZTC@dimarinc.com](mailto:AZTC@dimarinc.com).

To learn more about the program and find out which industries qualify for membership, visit [www.aztechcouncil.org/ahp](http://www.aztechcouncil.org/ahp).

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