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consists of
being wise in time.”

– Theodore Roosevelt

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▶ **Employer Wellness Programs – Nondiscrimination and Privacy Issues**

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Employers are showing increasing interest in improving the overall health of their employees. Doing so is not only in the employees' interest, but can also reduce absenteeism and claims incurred under the employer's health plan. Many vendors are hoping to get in on the action. As they implement wellness programs, however, employers will want to keep in mind the constraints imposed by various federal laws, including the nondiscrimination and privacy provisions of HIPAA, COBRA, the ADA, the ADEA, and ERISA.

These constraints will be summarized in this presentation, along with examples showing what to do and what not to do in this area.

MEET THE PRESENTERS

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