

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2009-2010 Legislative Session

July-December 2009

## Blue Cross/Blue Shield United of Wisconsin

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>\$60,000.00</b>
Wellpoint Inc./Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield of Wisconsin			\$0.00
Eric J Petersen	5.25	4.50	\$30,000.00
Wimmer and Company			\$0.00
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Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>64.00</b>	<b>497.00</b>	<b>\$32,859.30</b>
Ted Osthelder	30.25	485.00	\$29,660.00
Karen Geiger	33.75	12.00	\$3,199.30
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$9,857.79</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$12,815.13</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
<b>a) Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$2,226.47</b>
<b>b) Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>74.50 Hours</b>	<b>506.00 Hours</b>	<b>\$117,758.69</b>

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>	<b>30%</b>
Assembly Bill 207	5 %
Assembly Bill 217	10 %
Assembly Bill 614	5 %
Senate Bill 163	5 %
Senate Bill 425	5 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>	<b>10%</b>
Ins 3.28, uniform questions and format for individual health insurance application and affecting small business.	5 %
Ins 3.75, continuation of group health insurance policy coverage for employees and their dependents and affecting small business.	5 %
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>45%</b>

LRB 3691/1, Mandatory assignment and balance billing	20 %
health insurance coverage of nervous and mental disorders, alcoholism, and other drug abuse problems. LRB-3406/2	5 %
Disclosure of health care cost information by providers and insurers.	10 %
The regulation of commercial insurance in the individual and small group market.	10 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>10%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Monday, February 1, 2010**

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[Wis. Stats. 13.68\(d\)](#): Reimbursement to officials.

#### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Theodore Osthelder and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Blue Cross/Blue Shield United of Wisconsin.

I further understand that if I know or believe that the records I submit are not complete or that any part of it is not true, I may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for 5 years or both. I understand that Wisconsin Statutes require me to retain until 3 years from the date that the records are filed documents necessary to substantiate these reports.