



Virtual MCLE Event  
Wednesday, August 10, 2022  
12:00pm – 1:00pm

## **UPDATES TO HEALTH BENEFITS COVERAGE UNDER FEDERAL LAW**

1 hour participatory MCLE credit  
No-cost, free event

### **Program Description**

The U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) enforces Title 1 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) which governs employer-sponsored health and retirement plans. EBSA assists employers and the regulated community in understanding and complying with federal group health plan laws. This program will provide an overview of recent updates to health benefit laws under Part 7 of ERISA, including the Affordable Care Act and the Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act. New mandates and patient protections related to emergency services and COVID-19 response will also be discussed.

### **About the Speaker**

Cristina Collazo has been a Senior Benefits Advisor at the United States Department of Labor, Employee Benefit Security Administration (EBSA) since 2009. Cristina assists participants and plan officials on a wide range of health and retirement plan issues. Before joining EBSA, Cristina worked in a variety of public and private sector employment. Cristina is a member of the California bar and holds a B.A. from Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, and a J.D. from the University of San Francisco, School of Law.

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