A healthy workforce is good for business

Promoting healthier behaviors by supporting employee wellness programs can pay off. Healthy employees are more productive, miss fewer days of work and help keep health care costs down.

WORKPLACE CHALLENGE

Americans are sicker today than ever before

6 out of 10 have at least chronic condition

4 out of 10 have more than 1 chronic condition

1 out of 12 has 5 or more chronic conditions

Employers shoulder growing health care costs

Chronic diseases and unhealthy lifestyle behaviors put business at risk. The five common conditions that cost employers the most are also the most preventable:²

HYPERTENSION²

PHYSICAL INACTIVITY²

SMOKING²

DIABETES²

Every year, these medical problems cause employees to miss work or not perform at their best, resulting in lower productivity and driving up health care costs.

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PHYSICAL INACTIVITY

\$9.1B²

SMOKING \$3.6B² **DIABETES** \$2.2B²

\$36B+ ANNUAL COST TO EMPLOYERS²

1-2 additional missed days of work per condition²



12% of the population accounts for 41% total health care spending¹



Those with 5+ conditions spend 14X more on health services1

HOW DO WE FIX THIS?

By promoting workplace health

The Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, together with ActiveHealth® Management, has launched a free health program. It's fast, it's easy and it doesn't cost anything.

Your employees can start toward better health with three easy steps.

STEP 1

Sign up at go.activehealth.com/ betteryoubetterohio



STEP 2

Take a health assessment and biometric screening



STEP 3

Receive a \$75 aift card



Empower employees to make healthy changes and reduce health care costs. Distribute program flyers at on-site events or post in your breakroom. It's easy!

PERKS FOR YOU



Happier, healthier employees



Lower health care spending*

PERKS FOR THEM



A chance to earn a \$75 gift card



Free access to digital health tools







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