

Altrua Gains Recognition

as a Health Care Sharing Ministry

The Board of Directors of Altrua Ministries dba Altrua HealthShare (Altrua) is pleased to announce it has received recognition as a Health Care Sharing Ministry. Following completion of its review of the materials submitted, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) determined that Altrua Ministries had submitted sufficient information to substantiate its compliance with the standards specified in Section 5000A(d)(2)(B)(ii) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

This recognition provides only those rights for members which flow from an organization being considered a Health Care Sharing Ministry for the purposes of subpart G of 45 CFR part 155, which relate strictly to an individual's eligibility under 45 CFR 155.605(d) to obtain from a Health Insurance Marketplace a certificate of exemption from the individual share responsibility payment under Section 5000A of the Code.

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (hereafter "ACA") provides an individual exemption to members of a recognized Health Care Sharing Ministry (hereafter "HCSM"). AHS wishes to thank all its members for their faith, first in God of course, but also in Altrua. We remain committed to our membership and to our ministry.

New members of Altrua are not limited to certain times of the year in which membership is available. If you are interested in becoming a member, or just have questions, please contact us at 888-244-3839.

Sincerely,

Altrua HealthShare, (dba)
Altrua Ministries, 501 (c)(3)