

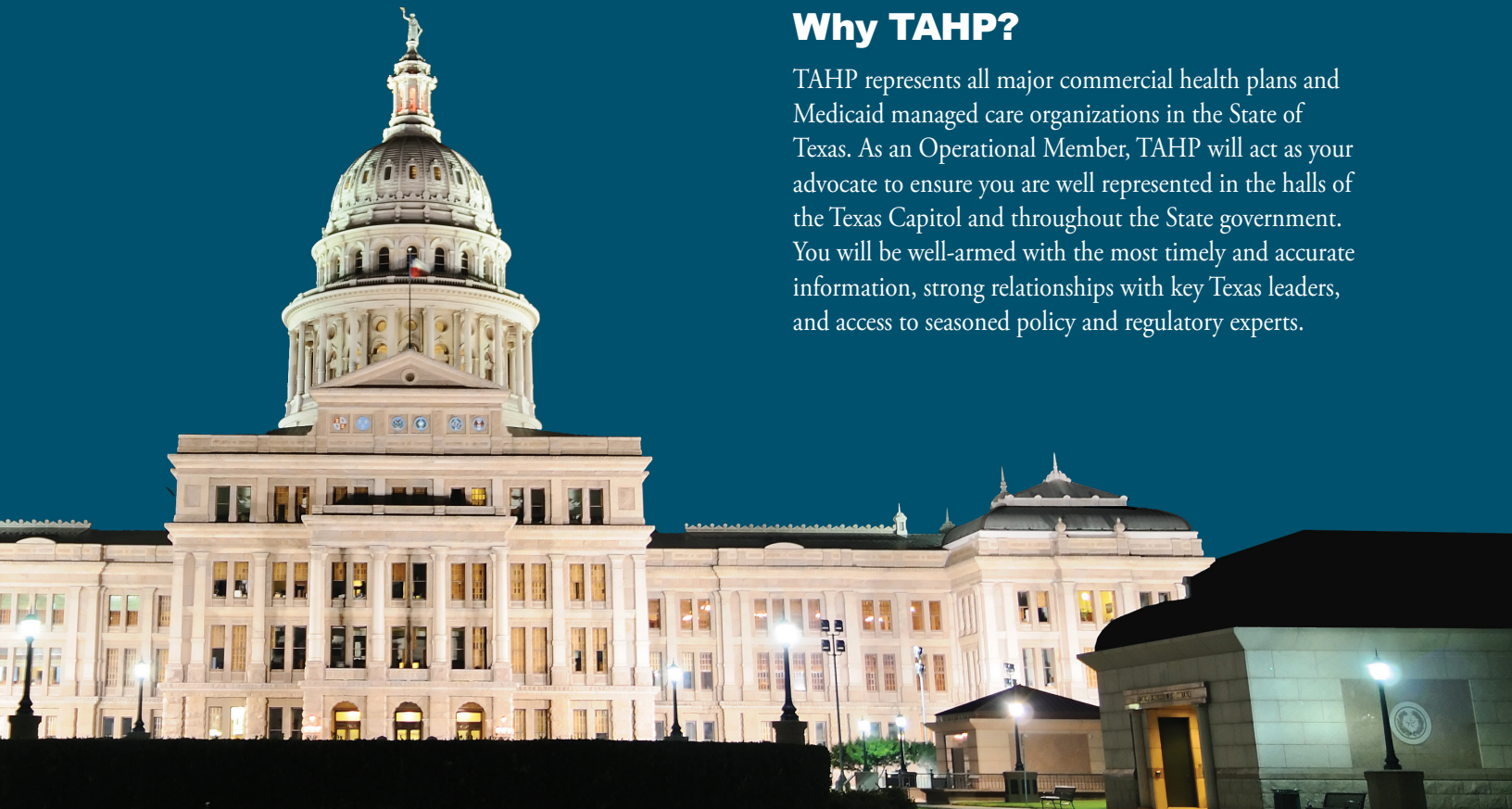


JOIN THE TEAM

OPERATIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Led by a team of experienced health care policy and advocacy experts, the Texas Association of Health Plans (TAHP) is the statewide trade association representing health insurers, Medicaid plans, Medicaid Advantage plans, and other related health care entities operating in Texas.

For three decades, TAHP has been a leader on issues that improve the lives of individual Texans and strengthen the health care industry as a whole.



Why TAHP?

TAHP represents all major commercial health plans and Medicaid managed care organizations in the State of Texas. As an Operational Member, TAHP will act as your advocate to ensure you are well represented in the halls of the Texas Capitol and throughout the State government. You will be well-armed with the most timely and accurate information, strong relationships with key Texas leaders, and access to seasoned policy and regulatory experts.

Health Plans— Operational Membership

The Operational Membership is available to full-service HMOs and health insurance companies licensed by the State of Texas or planning to become licensed.

As an Operational Member of TAHP, your organization will have a seat at the table as a voting board member and decision-maker, including having a direct role in shaping TAHP's legislative and regulatory agenda and positions.



Become a Member

As a TAHP Operational Member you will belong to an elite organization with access to a number of high-level benefits, including:

- *Tailored, effective advocacy support by a team of seasoned health care and government relations professionals*
- *Assistance with developing and executing a fine-tuned legislative strategy to promote a collective, organized voice on priority issues*
- *Exclusive access to members-only meetings with legislators, regulators, and agency leadership as well as members-only events with fellow TAHP health plans*
- *Access to members-only research and information including legislative analyses, updates, and policy papers*

Please contact TAHP's director of operations, Patti Doner, for more information or if you would like to sign up as an Operational Member today: (512) 476-2091 or pdoner@tahp.org.

BUILD INFLUENTIAL RELATIONSHIPS

The Operational Membership includes advance notice of sponsorship and speaking opportunities, as well as free or discounted access to all of our valuable networking and educational events.



Annual Managed Care Conference & Trade Show

Our annual conference and trade show has become the largest managed care conference in the state of Texas. Health care executives from across Texas assemble for three days of dynamic speakers, educational panel discussions, social events for networking, and a trade show featuring the latest in cutting-edge health care technology products and services. The conference also provides attendees with the opportunity to earn continuing education credits.



Medical Directors Forums

These quarterly, invitation-only events offer our health plan Medical Directors the unique opportunity to interface with their peers and hear from state and national experts as they discuss common challenges and best practices.



"Food for Thought" Legislative Lunches

Offered during the legislative interim, our monthly "lunch and learn" series offers Capitol staffers concise, informative briefings on the most pressing health care issues they will address in the upcoming legislative session. As an Operational Member, you will have the opportunity to sponsor these lunches and have your organization promoted among legislative staff as well as other TAHP members.



TAHP Networking Events

Year-round, TAHP hosts networking events, including receptions with members of the Legislature, staffers, and TAHP health plans in informal and fun settings like Franklin BBQ that allow for your organization to make important connections with other TAHP members and key Texas leaders and their staffers.



CEO Networking Dinners—Opportunities to Host

Year-round, TAHP organizes networking dinners that provide an opportunity for our health plan CEOs to come together and make valuable connections and discuss shared priorities for the industry.



TAHP Legislative Day at the Capitol

TAHP hosts a Legislative Day at the Capitol for our Operational Members that includes a full day of networking opportunities, meetings and briefings with key members of the Texas Legislature as well as top staffers from the offices of the Governor, Lt. Governor and Speaker of the House.

EXPERIENCE THE BENEFITS

As an Operational Member of TAHP, your company will have access to a number of members-only materials, publications, and updates prepared by industry, policy, advocacy and communications experts with decades of experience.

 <p>TAHP The WIRE The Week In Review</p>	<p>A members-only, comprehensive weekly newsletter that provides inside-track information about recent and upcoming hearings, industry-related meetings, TAHP analysis of legislative and regulatory proposals, industry developments, a calendar of upcoming events, political updates and more.</p>
 <p>TAHP DailyNewsClips</p>	<p>Daily news clips assembled by the TAHP team that highlight the top headlines from the health insurance and health care worlds, as well as important political updates, both nationally and in Texas.</p>
 <p>TAHP Complete Coverage</p>	<p>TAHP's external newsletter highlights the value of health plans and the efforts by health plans to improve quality, enhance access and ensure affordability of health care, both in the commercial market and in the public sector in Texas.</p>
 <p>TAHP Spotlight</p>	<p>Our team of experienced government relations, policy and communications professionals ensure our members are promoted for individual efforts and initiatives aimed at improving the health care system in Texas. We include regular spotlights of our members in TAHP materials as well as on social media.</p>
 <p>TAHP Regulatory NOTICE</p>	<p>Access to regulatory news and announcements, stakeholder meetings and in-depth regulatory analysis by TAHP policy experts on rules and regulatory changes impacting health insurance and Medicaid plans, including access to official TAHP regulatory comments.</p>
 <p>TAHP Legislative Update</p>	<p>Regular updates and announcements on the Texas legislative process including summaries of key hearings, notice of any movement or consideration of key bills, copies of witness presentations, copies of TAHP testimony, as well as interim charge analysis.</p>
 <p>TAHP Bill Tracker</p>	<p>TAHP monitors and tracks every piece of legislation filed with the Texas Legislature that impacts the health insurance industry and Medicaid plans. With your membership, TAHP will provide you with timely tracking, in-depth legislative analysis and TAHP positions on all relevant legislation.</p>
 <p>TAHP Policy Analysis</p>	<p>TAHP-produced materials that include one-page primers on a variety of health care-related issues as well as more extensive kits that delve into topics like the value of health plan networks or the savings and achievements of Medicaid managed care.</p>
 <p>TAHP Legislative & Regulatory Member MEETINGS</p>	<p>These regular calls keep TAHP members apprised of relevant legislative and regulatory issues.</p>
 <p>TAHP Advocacy Toolbox</p>	<p>Access to position papers on priority legislation—including bills that the industry supports and opposes. These materials include legislative fact sheets and talking points as well as helpful infographics.</p>
 <p>TAHP Medicaid Operational Calls</p>	<p>TAHP Medicaid Health Plan Operational Members have access to TAHP's regularly scheduled Medicaid Health Plan conference calls, which provide plans with a forum to discuss operational changes, challenges, and concerns.</p>

