Arches Health Plan to Cease Operation
In an update released from the Utah Department of Insurance (DOI) this afternoon, it was announced that Arches Health Plan will be placed in receivership. This means the DOI will supervise the runoff of existing policies. Runoff is an industry term meaning closing down an insurance company with the least possible effect on its policyholders.

This move is due to the shortfall in the federal governments' Risk Corridor program, as it is only able to pay a fraction of the funding that co-ops, like Arches, requested from the program.

What Does This Mean for You?
- Arches Health Plan will not take on any new customers.
- Arches Health Plan will continue to fulfill the obligations of its current contracts and existing policies. The Utah DOI will supervise the runoff of existing policies.
- If your organization is insured with Arches Health Plan, continue to pay your premiums and use coverage as usual, until you receive further direction from Arches...
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We have been in communication with Arches Health Plan and we will be in touch with those clients affected by this news as we receive more specific information regarding how to proceed with the transition.

Thank you for your confidence in GBS Benefits as your employee benefits partner. You have our assurance that we will be with you every step of the way to make this transition as seamless as possible.