



*December 27, 2013*

We wish you all a happy, healthy and safe New Year!

## **News and Updates**

### **Paper Applications**

Please see an important [news release](#) from the Department of Human Services on paper applications and public programs. We hope you will find it helpful in assisting your clients who are eligible for public programs and are seeking coverage for Jan. 1.

### **SHOP Agent of Record**

To make agent of record changes to a small group, brokers or employers should email [mnsure\\_shop@state.mn.us](mailto:mnsure_shop@state.mn.us) with a request to make changes. Please include:

- Change effective date
- Agent/Broker Name
- Email
- Phone number
- NPN (National Producer Number)
- Group name including dba if applicable

### **New Resources**

Attached is a tool to help guide consumers in shopping for dental only plans.

### **MNSure Holiday Hours:**

#### MNSure marketplace

6:00 am to midnight – Monday through Sunday

#### MNSure Contact Center

December 31: 7:30 am to 3:00 pm

January 1: Closed

- [Stand-alone Dental Shopping Guide.pdf](#)