



EHCI Membership Meeting
Zoom meeting (see electronic invitation for details)
March 3, 2021
7:30am-9:00am

Mission: To be a leading resource for employer-sponsored health benefit plans in Idaho through education, collaboration and advocacy.

Meeting Topic: COVID Vaccine: How it works & legal considerations for employers

Join us for presentations from Dr. Edward McEachern of PacificSource on how the vaccine works and from Hawley Troxell's John Ashby and Tom Mortell to explore legal considerations for employers.



Dr. Edward McEachern currently is the Executive Vice President and Chief Medical Officer for PacificSource's markets and all lines of business in Oregon, Idaho, Washington, and Montana. Dr. McEachern earned degrees at Emory University, University of St. Andrews in Scotland and Case Western Reserve University for Medical School. Edward completed two residencies, one in Pathology and one in General Internal Medicine. He has practiced medicine in Georgia, Ohio, and Idaho. Dr. McEachern lives in Boise, Idaho with his wife, Dr. Harmony Schroeder, an OB/GYN, and their triplets, Bevan, William, and Jackson.



John Ashby is the chair of Hawley Troxell's employment law practice group. His practice is dedicated to representing employers on employment law issues and defending them against employee legal claims. John has particular expertise in advising and defending employers in the healthcare industry and advising all employers on COVID-19 protocols.



Dr. Tom Mortell leads Hawley Troxell's health law practice group. His practice focuses on advising hospitals on all aspects of health care law, including regulatory compliance (HIPAA, Stark, Anti-kickback statute, and EMTALA), business transactions and contracts, physician integration, compliance, board governance and repayment/recoupment issues.