



**Carolinas Chapter**  
International Society of Employee Benefit Specialists




## Legal and Regulatory Updates for Benefits Professionals November 7, 2018 (Charlotte, NC)

Please join the Carolinas Chapter for our November program "Legal and Regulatory Updates for Benefits Professionals" on Wednesday, November 7th at 11:30 am at the Employers Association of Charlotte.

Our speaker is Katharine Marshall, J.D., Principal in Mercer's Law & Policy Advisory Group. She will cover the Trump administration's changes to the Affordable Care Act and state responses; federal legislation aimed at the opioid crisis, the rising cost of prescription drugs, and surprise medical bills; and vexing developments in state and local paid leave laws and the federal efforts to develop a national standard.

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 7, 2018

**TIME:** 11:30 am – 12:00 Noon – Registration and Lunch  
12:00 – 1:00 pm - Program

**LOCATION:**   
Employers Association of Charlotte  
3020 West Arrowood Road  
Charlotte, NC 28273  
([Directions](#))

**COST:** FREE – Chapter Members  
\$40 – Non-Members

**REGISTRATION:** Please [click here](#) to register.

**RSVP:** By Friday, November 2, 2018

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### SPEAKER:



**Katharine Marshall, J.D.**  
Principal, Law & Policy  
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Katharine is a health plan subject matter expert in Mercer's Law & Policy Advisory Group, a team of 50 lawyers, technical experts and product team members who help clients and consultants understand legal and marketplace developments affecting retirement, health, executive rewards, talent, diversity and inclusion, and other HR programs. The Law and Policy Group also creates, collates, and shares information and analyses with Mercer consultants and clients through Mercer Select Intelligence, a membership information service. Katharine works from her home office in Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Prior to working in the field of health and welfare benefits, Katharine was a litigation attorney representing clients on securities and regulatory matters before the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), the Federal Reserve Bank, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA), the New York Attorney General's Office, and the Department of Justice.