

## **September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Portland Actuarial Club Luncheon**

**Title:** Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act  
**Speaker:** Bill Ely, ASA, MAAA  
Executive Director, Actuarial Services  
Kaiser Permanente  
**When:** September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2012 from 12:00 noon to 1:30 pm  
**Where:** Heathman Hotel – Broadway Room  
1001 SW Broadway Portland, OR 97205  
**RSVP:** Please RSVP by **Monday September 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am** using our website:  
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### **Presentation Abstract**

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act signed into law on March 23, 2010 is the most significant reform of the health care system –or at least the health care insurance system – since the introduction of Medicare and Medicaid in 1965.

An understanding of the basic provisions of PPACA, how the “3 Rs” are designed to work and practical issues surrounding implementation of PPACA in Oregon is essential for actuaries working in the health care field and may be of interest to actuaries in general.

### **Bill Ely Bio**

Bill Ely has over 30 years experience in the industry, both in consulting and corporate roles.

Bill has held a wide variety of positions in the industry including Chief Actuary for a 600,000 member Blues plan, senior consultant for an international actuarial firm and, for over ten years, CEO/Founder of a health care consulting company. Bill is currently Executive Director of Actuarial Services for the Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of the Northwest.

Bill was elected to serve as a Council member and newsletter editor for the Society of Actuaries Entrepreneurial Actuaries Section, has testified before State legislative committees on Health Care Reform and is currently involved in many working groups related to Oregon's implementation of the Affordable Care Act and Coordinated Care Organizations.

Bill has lived in Portland for almost one year with his wife Michele, 3 dogs, 1 cat and at least one industrious mole in the backyard. He has two adult sons that reside in the Kansas City area.