

SCMA teams with Creative Financial Strategies to offer Group Retirement Plan



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The South
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announces

the creation of the **SC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION GROUP RETIREMENT PLAN** (Multiple Employer Plan “MEP”). The SCMA Group Retirement Plan was developed to provide an additional option to members in choosing a retirement plan for their employees.

Good intentions - even good returns - aren't enough when it comes to meeting plan sponsors' fiduciary responsibilities. Liability can extend beyond investment losses. A Multiple Employer Plan (MEP), a retirement plan for businesses that typically have a common interest but are not commonly owned, may offer the fiduciary protection many plan sponsors need.

The SCMA Group Retirement Plan uses a 401-k Safe Harbor platform and includes a broad range of investments and features for participants. Many practices may see cost savings and a reduction of time spent by their employees concerning plan issues. One of the main benefits to practices is the reduction in fiduciary responsibility as the current plan sponsor.

The South Carolina Medical Association announces it has entered into exclusive arrangement with Creative Financial Strategies to offer financial services and advice to its members.

Creative Financial Strategies is located in Columbia with offices in the Grand Strand and Greenville, SC.

Meet Our Team



Left to right: Brian Morris of SCMA Financial Services and representing Creative Financial Strategies; Jim Barnett, ChFC, Ward Carson, CFP®, Bill Phillips, CFP®, Terry Crenshaw, CFP®, David Wells, ChFC and Sam Boulware, CFP®.

“Creative Financial Strategies was chosen after an extensive and detailed vetting process and has the experience and expertise to provide valued services and advice to our members.”

Brian Morris

Vice President, SCMA Financial Services, Inc.



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Join the SCMA Group Retirement Plan!

The SCMA is proud to announce the SCMA Multiple Employer Plan-- a new retirement plan option for our members. Through this new plan, sponsoring a retirement plan has now been made easy. The goal of this new program is to reduce your responsibilities as a plan sponsor and allow you more time to concentrate on your business. For more information about this new service, click [here](#) to download a brochure.

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