



# NEWS RELEASE

## Benefit Commerce Group & 9 Clients Receive Healthiest Employers Awards

Scottsdale, AZ, September 29, 2020 – Benefit Commerce Group, an Alera Group employee benefits consulting firm, announced that 7 of its clients and Benefit Commerce Group itself received Top 10 honors in the Phoenix Business Journal’s 2020 Healthiest Employers program. A total of 9 clients of Benefit Commerce Group received awards in the program today.

Benefit Commerce Group itself ranked #3 this year in its category. In addition, Scott Wood, Principal and CEO of Benefit Commerce Group, was the first of several leaders of the top winners featured in pre-recorded videos during the live virtual events.

During his video, Scott Wood said, “We are proud that this is our 8<sup>th</sup> year to participate in this awards program for our clients.”

He also commented that Benefit Commerce Group makes use of its Employee Assistance Program and personal health coaches that work with each employee on individual physical and mental health needs and personal goals.

“Especially during the current pandemic, it is important for company leadership to communicate and be transparent with employees, to help reduce stress,” Wood said. “Business leaders and entrepreneurs have many issues impacting them now: business issues, personal issues, and email issues with the flood of communications. Time management for these leaders has never been more important.”

*Benefit Commerce Group clients honored with Healthiest Employers awards include:*

- ITS ranked #2. This company has been in the top 3 each year since 2015.
- Stotz Equipment ranked #4 and has been in the top 4 for three years.

- SiteLock ranked #5, up from its #6 ranking in 2019.
- The Country Club at DC Ranch ranked #7, jumping two places from its #9 ranking last year.
- Televerde, new to the program this year, ranked #8.
- Nextiva ranked #10 again this year.
- TCH (The Centers for Habilitation), also new to the program this year, ranked #10 in its category.
- Daisy Mountain Fire District maintained its #11 ranking from last year.
- Mark-Taylor Residential, Inc., another new entry in the program this year, ranked #12.

The Healthiest Employers program spotlights and recognizes area employers who have succeeded with extraordinary health and wellness programs for their employees. Companies are judged in six categories: culture and leadership commitment, foundational components, strategic planning, marketing and communications, programming and interventions, and reporting and analytics.

### **ABOUT Benefit Commerce Group**

Benefit Commerce Group, an Alera Group Company, is a progressive and results-driven employee benefits advisory and brokerage firm. We are committed to creating benefit plans and strategies that make life easier and better for HR teams and that provide the best cost-effective value for employers, employees and families. We do this through collaboration—with our clients, our own experienced team, and with other Alera Group firms across the nation. Alera Group is the nation's 11<sup>th</sup> largest privately held employee benefits firm, providing powerful solutions in employee benefits, property & casualty, and wealth management for clients across the country. Benefit Commerce Group is a four-time honoree on the Inc. 5000 listing of the fastest growing private companies in America. For more information on Benefit Commerce Group, call us at 480-515-5010 or visit our website <https://benefitcommerce.com/>.

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