



Covered California to Open New Call Center in Fresno *Opening Will Create 500 New Jobs for Central Valley Residents*

(FRESNO) — Assemblymember Henry T. Perea (D-Fresno), would like to welcome Covered California's new call center to Fresno. Covered California is the state run program that oversees implementation of the Affordable Care Act.

The new facility will create 500 new jobs for Fresno County residents.

"I am honored to welcome Covered California to the Central Valley," said Perea. "The new call center will not only bring new jobs to the Valley but the organization, as a whole, allows individuals to access affordable healthcare. It's a win win."

California is the first state to create a health benefit exchange following the passage of federal health care reform. Covered California is charged with creating a new insurance marketplace that allows individuals and small businesses to purchase competitively priced health plans using federal tax subsidies and credits. Coverage starts in 2014.

All current job openings can be found at:

<https://forms.spb.ca.gov/bulletins/ejv.cfm?criteria=0&loc=0&dept=N499>

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