

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## FOR EMPLOYERS AND SELF-EMPLOYED PERSONS

### Did you know:

- that by law, all employers (including self-employed persons) must insure each employee and their unemployed spouse for at least minimum hospital benefits from the start of employment?
- that **employers and self-employed persons** who fail to obtain health insurance are **liable for prosecution and hospital costs** if hospital treatment is required?

However, for as little as **\$390 per month**, anyone can obtain basic health insurance coverage through the Government's **Health Insurance Plan (HIP)** with NO medical examination required.

During HIP's Open Registration period from **Monday, 2 March through Friday, 13 March 2015** you can obtain coverage for:

- Hospital treatment
- Doctor's visits (in-hospital, home and office)
- Basic dental coverage
- Diagnostic imaging and laboratory testing

Obtain information and HIP applications online or at our office, located on the 2nd Floor of Sofia House, 48 Church Street, Hamilton.

**Call us at: 295-9210 or visit our website at: [www.hip.gov.bm](http://www.hip.gov.bm).**

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