

IRS NEWS FOR BUSINESS
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2013 Illinois Fed/State Update Seminars (formerly Fed State e-File Seminars).

Representatives from the Internal Revenue Service Small Business/Self-Employed Stakeholder Liaison office, the Illinois Department of Revenue, the Illinois Department of Employment Security and the Independent Accountants Association of Illinois (IAAI) will provide information:

- IRS Fall Tax Update
- IRS Collection: Alternatives for Your Small Business Client
- IRS Automated Under reporter & Correspondence Exams
- IDoR Individual Income Tax, Sales Tax & Withholding Update
- IDoR Income Tax Exams
- IDES 2013 Update

Please note, IRS will present remotely except where indicated Live. More information is in the attached flyer.

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<http://www.illinoisaccountants.com>

For More Information call 1-800-222-2270

IRS Illinois Tax Practitioner Symposium, to be held in Rosemont, Illinois on Thursday October 24, 2013. More information & registration is available at the following link:

<http://www.icpas.org/eventscalendar/EventDetail.aspx?id=21380>

A new email scam purports to tell the taxpayer their efiled return did not go through:

- If you get an unsolicited email that appears to be from the IRS, please report it by sending it to phishing@irs.gov
- If you find a suspicious website that claims to be the IRS, please send the site's URL by email to phishing@irs.gov, using the subject line: suspicious website.

Health Care

- [Health Care Tax Tip 13-01](#), *IRS Website Explains Tax Provisions of the Health Care Law*;
- [USA.gov's Health Insurance](#) has information on the new Health Insurance Marketplace and other types of health coverage.
- Revised [Form 8822-B](#), Change of Address or Responsible Party - Business, is being released early to allow taxpayers time to adjust to the new requirement of notifying IRS when the Responsible Party of a business has changed.
- [Tax Tip 13-26](#) Three Tax Scams to Beware of

► EMPLOYERS/RETIREMENT PLANS

- [Publication 5067](#), concerning the t Voluntary Classification Settlement Program, should be available at irs.gov on approximately September 19, 2013.
- The U.S. General Services Administration recently released the fiscal year (FY) 2014 travel [per diem rates](#), which will take effect on October 1, 2013.
- Employers Should Exercise Caution When Using Third Party Payroll Service Providers
 - [Outsourcing Payroll and Third Party Payers](#)
 - [Reporting Agents File \(RAF\)](#)
 - [Third Party Arrangement Chart](#)
 - [Electronic Federal Tax Payment System \(EFTPS\)](#)
 - [employment tax investigations](#)
 - [Fact Sheet 13-09](#)