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	Sub-group's home office must be located in California Statement of Compliance portion of the Employer Application must be signed by an authorized representative of the sub-group, not a PEO representative PEO Sub-Group Letter is required Quarterly Wage & Tax Report (DE9C) or payroll ledger including summary totals for the most current 6 weeks	Groups must leave the PEO on or before the requested effective date Groups leaving a PEO on the enrollment effective date must provide: • Explanation from the employer with a description and date of the PEO split-off scenario • One week of payroll from the new payroll company with the balance for the month due within 30 days of the effective date Groups that left a PEO prior to the enrollment effective date must provide: • Explanation from the employer with a description and date of the PEO split-off scenario • Payroll under the company (not the PEO) from start to current is required - must be at least one week For both scenarios: If payroll is not equal to one month, group will be approved contingent on the remainder of payroll 1-4 life groups will need at least 4 weeks of payroll prior to the requested effective date for one common-law employee

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	A DE9C or quarterly wage report from the PEO is required if the PEO provides them for its employer groups If the PEO does not prepare a quarterly wage report for each employer, two weeks payroll from the PEO may be substituted The quarterly wage report and/or payroll must demonstrate that the group meets the definition of a small employer and that the employees are eligible for coverage	Groups must leave the PEO on or before the requested effective date A DE9C/quarterly wage report from the PEO is required if the PEO provides them for its employer groups If the PEO does not prepare a quarterly wage report, the most current 2 weeks of payroll from either the PEO or the group may be substituted The DE9C/quarterly wage and/or payroll must demonstrate that the group meets the definition of a small employer and the employees are eligible for coverage
	DE9C/Payroll not required for any group size at time of submission Only groups with enrolling non-emancipated minors are required to submit a Payroll Attestation form Kaiser may request DE9C/Payroll at any time to determine group eligibility/validate address rating information	DE9C/Payroll not required for any group size at time of submission Only groups with enrolling non-emancipated minors are required to submit a Payroll Attestation form Kaiser may request DE9C/Payroll at any time to determine group eligibility/validate address rating information
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