

# State of South Carolina

## Governor's Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** medical billers are a vital segment of the healthcare industry who provide a much needed service to doctors and other healthcare providers; and

**WHEREAS,** increasingly, healthcare providers rely on medical billing companies to assist in processing claims in accordance with applicable statutes and regulations and consult with medical billing companies for advice regarding reimbursement matters as well as overall business decision-making; and

**WHEREAS,** offering expertise in carrier reimbursement requirements, medical billers help ensure that medical claims are accurately prepared, freeing physicians and other practitioners to devote their energies to patient care; and

**WHEREAS,** medical billers strive to provide a high level of ethical, lawful, and professional conduct throughout the entire healthcare industry.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim March 31, 2016, as**

### **MEDICAL BILLERS DAY**

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize medical billers for their commitment to professionalism and their contributions to the healthcare industry.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nikki R. Haley".

**NIKKI R. HALEY**  
**GOVERNOR**  
**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**