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Please note the Fall 2017 faculty resource programs due dates:

- Faculty Development Leave, October 2
- Piper Professor Award, October 2
- <u>Nontenure Line Faculty Workload Release</u>, October 9
- Research Enhancement Program, October 25

When the contract with United Healthcare expired August 31, the health insurance program administration returned to Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas. For details on plan coverages, consult the ERS website.

The data sets and written comments from the *Faculty Perceptions of Academic Administrators Survey* for all academic administrators can be accessed at this <u>link</u>. The written comments for the Deans are available until December 15, 2017 and can be viewed by faculty who were eligible voters during the 2016 – 17 academic year.

Committee appointments are now posted to the senate website.

More information about these and other topics can be found in the Faculty Senate <u>minutes</u> posted on the Faculty Senate <u>website</u>, or by contacting your Faculty <u>Senator</u> or Senate <u>Liaison</u>. The Faculty Senate encourages you to voice your concerns and comments on any faculty and shared governance topics to these representatives or directly to the senate via email: <u>FacultySenate@txstate.edu</u>.

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