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WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

October 23, 2014
9:30 am – 12:00 pm
LABI – 3113 Valley Creek Dr.
Baton Rouge, LA
Meeting Minutes

Members Present:

Chair Hataway
Greg Hubachek
Ray Peters
Troy Prevot
Joe Jollisaint
Joe Shine
Julie Cherry

Members Absent:

Dr. Jim Quillin
Eddie Crawford
Clark Cosse
Bob Israel
Chuck Davoli
Denis Juge
Michael Morris
Mark Kruse

9:46 a.m. Meeting Started

Agency update

CVS (Coverage Verification System) Upgrade

NCCI portal on LAWORKS.NET. Enter employer information or date to look up and verify insurance coverage.

MICS (Mandatory Insurance Compliance System) Update

Kaye Fournet discussed numbers. As of 8-1-14 there were 62 cases. Out of those 10 had insurance and were closed. 26 cases are pending before W. C. judge. 1 hearing was a no show and judge assessed fine.

Agency Response to Tacit Denials

Majority are working. Council has discussion of the lack of understanding the rules.

No Public Comment

Inpatient Reimbursement for Severe Burns – LAC 40:2519

Notice of Intent will be submitted to the La. Register on 11-10 and published on 11-20-14. Public hearing is scheduled for 12-29-14 at the LWC Training Center.

No Public Comment

UR Rules – LAC 40:2715

Limitation on records submission

Imaging films shall not be submitted –only reports with results.

Record on appeal

Introduction of new evidence

OWCA Annual Conference – January 22-23, 2015

Other Business

Adjourn