

The Colorado Division of Workers' Compensation Medical Policy Unit Presents:

2015 Workers' Compensation Educational and Listening Seminar

Rule 16 "Utilization Standards" and Rule 18 "Medical Fee Schedule"
Changes Effective January 1, 2016.

*Seminars will be held in Colorado Springs, Denver, Grand Junction and Loveland.
See registration form for details.*

Purpose:

1. To update the Workers' Compensation billing and payer communities on changes to Rule 16, Utilization Standards and Rule 18, Medical Fee Schedule, that will be effective January 1, 2016
2. Meet with the public to address any billing and payment specifics that are brought to the seminars (Please bring your current issues with documentation – bill, EOB or EOR and medical records – that justifies billed codes for a one-on-one discussion)
3. Listen to and take back to the DWC's management the Colorado workers' compensation constituents' issues that affect an injured worker's access to health care provider(s), and workers' compensation provider and payer billing and payment concerns.
4. Those attending the Grand Junction training will have the opportunity to make this a two day event by attending our Medical Treatment Guideline seminar on September 11th. For more information, please visit www.colorado.gov/cdle > Workers' Compensation > What's New - 2015 Medical Treatment Seminars.

The **Agenda** will focus on significant Rule 16 & 18 changes including, but not limited to:

1. Use of NP and PA in Colorado Workers' Compensation Claims
2. Use of the UB04 or the CMS1500 billing form
3. ICD-10 CM and PCS
4. Division Medical Bill or Prior Authorization Dispute Resolution Program Updates
5. Professional and facility fee schedule changes:
 - a. Conversion to Medicare's Resource Based Relative Value Scale (RBRVS) and related field(s)
 - b. Conversion factor change(s)
 - c. Place of Service Codes
 - d. Fee adjustments for NP and PA provided services
 - e. Criteria for Radiology Consultation Reports
 - f. PRP and Stem Cell Injection Fees and Requirements
 - g. Clinical Drug Screening requirements, codes, and fees
 - h. Biofeedback requirement(s) and fee(s)
 - i. Recognized and non-recognized Special Services, Procedures and Reports as identified in CPT's Medicine Section.
 - j. Clarifications concerning billing psychological/psychiatric testing and services
 - k. PM&R requirements – time, treatment plans with functional goals and fees and new "Z" codes
 - l. Urine drug testing changes
 - m. Requirement for various Division Reports – Functional Assessments and Chronic Opioid
 - n. Fees for hospital and freestanding diagnostic testing facilities
 - o. New out of state pharmacy requirements
 - p. Updates to the ambulance fee schedule
6. Opportunity for the public to exchange information with each other and with a Division representative.

Registration Form

This form is fillable. Use the tab key to navigate each field, or type your response directly onto the form (point and click to fill in each line). When finished, save the form and email to nina.fresquez@state.co.us. For questions, contact Nina D. Fresquez, Program Assistant, Medical Policy, at (303) 318-8766.

Complete one registration form per person attending.

Because space is limited, you will receive a confirmation or a notification that your name has been placed on the waiting list for the next workshop.

Name _____
Business Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
E-mail _____
Daytime Phone # _____ Daytime Fax # _____

Medical Fee Schedule Seminar

Dates and Locations:

Thursday, September 10, 2015; 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Clarion Inn, 755 Horizon Dr., Grand Junction, CO 81506

Monday, September 14, 2015; 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Medical Center of the Rockies, Long Peak Room, 2500 Rocky Mountain Ave., Loveland CO 80538

Thursday, September 24, 2015; 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Memorial Administrative Center, Class Room B, 2420 E. Pikes Peak, Colorado Springs, CO 80909

Friday, October 9, 2015; 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Department of Labor & Employment, 12th Floor Executive Conference Room, 633 17th Street, Denver, CO 80202

Thursday, October 15, 2015; 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Department of Labor & Employment, 12th Floor Executive Conference Room, 633 17th Street, Denver, CO 80202

Profession:

Employer

Self-Insured Employer

Insurance Company

Provider Office

Hospital

ASC

PPO

Third-Party Administrator (TPA)

Bill Review Company

Computer Programmer for Medical Fee

Schedule changes

Other: _____