

CALIFORNIA WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS ADMINISTRATION CERTIFICATE

Course Details

Your Path To A Better Career



CA 10: Workers' Compensation Claims

This course provides an in-depth study of workers' compensation, including its history and evolution, up to the present system. A basic understanding of insurance vs. self-insurance, definitions of employer and employee, criteria of industrial injury (AOE/COE) benefits provided, medical control of claims, including discussion of Utilization Review and Medical Provider Networks, and overview of the WCAB.



CA 11: Workers' Compensation Claims Advanced

An Advanced course providing current case law covering employment, injury, earnings, compensation benefits and medical control. Present practices and procedures of WCAB are discussed, along with strategies on administering litigation. The California Unit Statistical Plan, function and purpose of the California workers' compensation insurance rating bureau and the components of premiums are discussed.



CA 12: Medical Coordination of WC Claims

This course concentrates on medical management and control of the claim. Medical-legal reports, bills and liens, as well as current trends in medical rehabilitation are discussed. Medical specialties identified with emphasis on how they might relate to a workers' compensation case. Medical terminology is reviewed in self-study and class-lecture formats based on the knowledge level of the class.



CA 14: Return to Work and Disability Management in the WC

Overview of return-to-work requirements, strategies, and processes within the workers' compensation system. The procedures in accordance with the Labor Code, rules and regulations, time lines and method of completion for notices and forms are addressed. The basics of early return-to-work programs, the parameters of related disability discrimination laws, ADA, FEHA, and FMLA are discussed.



CA 16A: Permanent Disability Rating and the AMA Guides- Basic

Course is designed to cover permanent disability rating of scheduled disabilities. Beginning with the rating process, contents and use of the schedule, the course includes relevant terminology, anatomical terms, and medical descriptions and measurements in conjunction with the mechanics of rating disabilities per the AMA Guides. Emphasis is placed on definitions, footnotes and appendix in the guides.