



State of West Virginia Workers' Compensation Program

Quarterly Update – October 2012

The West Virginia Offices of the Insurance Commissioner is providing this quarterly update highlighting the status and key points of the SAWC workers' compensation program.

-  The Zurich policy has been renewed for the period of July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013.
-  The second (2nd) premium invoice for FY2013 will be sent on or around November 15, 2012. Payment will be due by December 14, 2012.
-  New Posting Notices have been distributed to agency contacts. Please replace the outdated notices immediately. The notice is available on our webpage: (<http://www.wvinsurance.gov/SAWC.aspx>).
-  In addition to the Zurich and Gallagher safety professionals, the SAWC program manager has been making contact with several agencies and providing safety services as a part of the SAWC program. To date, Tom has made 25 site visits to participating members in the program. Tom is available to all agencies for safety assessments and evaluations as well as claims management processes to help all participants reduce loss experience. To contact Tom please call 304-558-6279 ext. 1127 or email at Thomas.Judy@wvinsurance.gov.
-  The WVOIC has developed a webpage that includes claims manuals, policy information and important notices. The webpage is: <http://www.wvinsurance.gov/SAWC.aspx>
-  Zurich Insurance has begun conducting agency audits for the time period of October 2011 through June 2012. If you have not yet scheduled an appointment or provided the requested information, please do so immediately.

-  The WVOIC maintains and updates contact and location information. If any changes are made, please notify us as soon as possible to ensure coverage is provided.
-  Reminder: Please report all claims within **24 hours** of notification but no later than 5 business days. Please encourage injured employees to use a provider within our CompNet managed health plan.

If you have any policy questions, please contact Tom Judy at 304-558-6279 ext. 1127 or via email at Thomas.Judy@wvinsurance.gov.