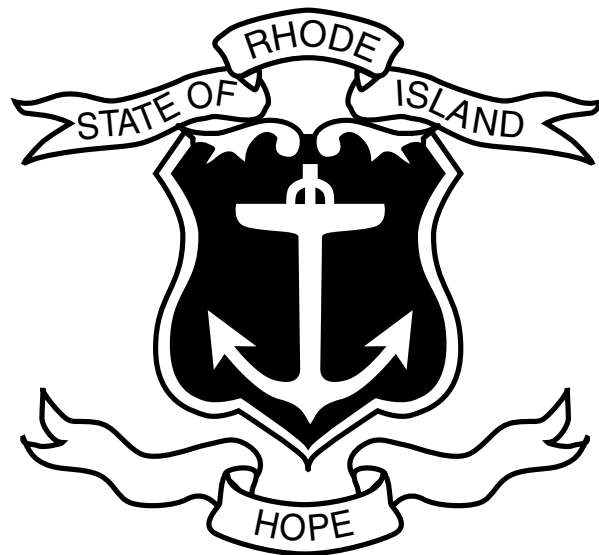


The Fourteenth Annual New England Workers' Compensation Educational Conference

Sponsored By

The International Workers' Compensation Foundation
and
The Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court



September 21 - 22, 2011

OceanCliff Hotel
Newport, Rhode Island

The International Workers' Compensation Foundation is a non-profit corporation dedicated to workers' compensation research and education.

Who Should Attend?

All employers, employees, insurance companies, agents, healthcare organizations, third party administrators, managed care organizations, attorneys, researchers and students will receive valuable workers' compensation information at this conference.

Registration Fee

The fees for attending this informative conference are:

\$325 Early bird registration before September 1st

\$375 Registration thereafter

Registration fee includes conference materials and special functions, including one continental breakfast, one evening reception and one luncheon. Casual attire is appropriate for all functions.

Location

OceanCliff Hotel

65 Ridge Road • Newport, RI 02840

(401) 841-8868

A block of rooms has been reserved at the conference hotel starting at a rate of \$269. **The rooms will be held through September 5, 2011**, unless this block becomes fully reserved prior to this date. Register early! Indicate you are attending the 14th Annual New England Workers' Compensation Educational Conference when making your reservations.

Continuing Education Credits

Participants may be eligible for continuing education credits for conference attendance. CEU applications are pending for approval in the following disciplines: CLE for attorneys and rehabilitation providers (CEU for CRC, CDMS, CCM).

EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION FORM
NEW ENGLAND WORKERS' COMPENSATION EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE
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Fee of \$800.00 includes two (2) complimentary registrations for exhibitor representatives. Two (2) additional registrants will be accepted at the rate of \$225.00 each. A separate registration form should be completed for each additional registrant. Checks (Credit Cards Not Accepted) should be made payable to the IWCF and mailed to: IWCF, 570 Memorial Circle, Suite 320, Ormond Beach, FL 32174 (Forms may be faxed to 386-677-0155).

Space is offered on a first come, first serve basis. Upon receipt of your registration form (which may be faxed or emailed), you will receive booth selection and shipping information. For additional information regarding exhibit area, contact the International Workers' Compensation Foundation office at (386) 677-0041.

BOOTH SETUP AND TEAR-DOWN

Booth setup will be in the exhibitor area on Wednesday, September 21st, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Tear-down will be on Thursday, September 22nd, 5:45 p.m.

Company Name: _____

Specialty: _____

Contact Person: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Complimentary Registrant #1: _____ Title: _____

Complimentary Registrant #2: _____ Title: _____

(Please print names as you wish them to appear on name tags)

REGISTRATION FEE OF \$800.00 INCLUDES:

(Full fee forfeiture if unable to attend)

- ◆ 6' DRAPED TABLE & 2 CHAIRS
- ◆ REGISTRATION FOR TWO REPRESENTATIVES
- ◆ 24 HOUR SECURITY

EXHIBITOR INSURANCE/HOLD HARMLESS CLAUSE

Exhibitor assumes entire responsibility and hereby agrees to protect, indemnify, defend, save and hold harmless the International Workers' Compensation Foundation (IWCF), its members, employees and agents, Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court, its employees and agents, Chelsea Place Meetings, its employees and agents, and the OceanCliff Hotel and its employees and agents against all claims, losses and damages to persons or property, governmental charges or fines and attorney fees arising out of or caused by exhibitor's installation, removal, maintenance, occupancy or use of the exhibition premises or part thereof, excluding any such liability caused by the sole negligence or concurrent comparative negligence of the OceanCliff Hotel and their employees and agents, Chelsea Place Meetings and its employees and agents, Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court, its employees and agents, as well as the IWCF, its members, employees and agents.

In addition, exhibitor acknowledges that the OceanCliff Hotel, the IWCF, Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court and Chelsea Place Meetings do not maintain insurance covering exhibitor's property or potential liabilities and that it is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to obtain business interruption insurance, property damage insurance and liability insurance covering such losses by exhibitor. Exhibitor shall obtain and keep in force during the term of the installation and use of the exhibit premises, policies of comprehensive general liability insurance and contractual liability insurance and specifically referring to contractual liability set forth in the foregoing paragraphs hereof, in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 combined single limit for personal injury and property damage. The OceanCliff Hotel, the IWCF, Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court and Chelsea Place Meetings shall be included in such policies as additionally named insureds for this event only.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Program Schedule*

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2011

11:00 am – 1:00 pm Registration

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Inside the O.R.: Doctors at Work

Join Dr. Buonanno and Dr. Moss in the operating room as they perform reconstructive surgeries on two separate patients and discuss protocols and procedures.

A. Robert Buonanno, MD

David A. Moss, MD

*The Center for Orthopaedics, Inc.
Johnston, RI*

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Streaming Depositions: Trials in the Digital Age

Until now, litigators presented medical evidence live or by a deposition. See how technology may change that practice and how the law must adapt to accommodate it.

Tim Kenny, President

*Power Showz, Inc.
Lincoln, RI*

3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Social Networking in Workers' Compensation Trials: Evidence and Ethics

You see it on FACEBOOK. Can you use it? The legal and ethical problems adjusters and attorneys will face from the social networking sites.

Staci Meyer, Esq., Commissioner
*North Carolina Industrial Commission
Raleigh, NC*

5:00 pm Cocktail Reception

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2011

8:00 am – 9:00 am

Continental Breakfast and Registration

9:00 am – 10:00 am

Emerging Issues in Workers' Compensation

The aging workforce, the reinsurance market and other challenges the compensation system must face in the near future.

Larry Holt, Executive Director
*National Council of Self-Insurers
New Providence, NJ*

10:00 am – 11:00 am

A Guide to High-Value Physician Services in Workers' Compensation

Employers and employees share common goals when dealing with healthcare providers in a compensation case. What criteria are available to rate a treating physician and what can the parties expect from the relationship?

Jacob Lazarovic, MD, Chief Medical Officer
Broadspire, Plantation, FL

11:00 am – 11:15 am Break

11:15 am – 12:30 pm

When Injured Workers Don't Claim

Does anyone really benefit if the employee decides not to file a claim even though the injury is compensable?

Peter Rousmaniere, Columnist
*Risk Insurance Magazine
Woodstock, VT*

12:30 pm – 1:45 pm Lunch

Now You See Me, Soon You Won't

Keynote Speaker:

The Honorable Bruce Q. Morin
Rhode Island Workers' Compensation Court

1:45 pm – 2:45 pm

Personnel Issues in

Workers' Compensation Stress Claims

How can the human resource manager defuse or precipitate a potential stress claim? A practical panel discussion on developing claims and defenses.

Albert M. Drukteinis, MD, JD
*Director, New England Psychodiagnostics
Manchester, NH*

Andrew Caslowitz, Esq.
Michael Wallor, Esq.

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

Prosthetics and Orthotics

Rehabilitation is more than just training. This session will focus on the latest products and technology to assist injured workers who need prosthetics or orthotics.

Stephen V. Marfia, RTP, BOCPO, CP
*Ally Orthotics and Prosthetics Fabrication
Manville, RI*

3:45 pm – 5:00 pm (Morning Room)

How Medicare Has Changed the Claims Process

"I'm three weeks late!" does not mean what it used to.

It's even scarier.

Peter R. Foley, CPCU, CIC
*Vice-President Claims Administration
American Insurance Association
Washington, DC*

3:45 pm – 5:45 pm (Ballroom)

Legal Ethics in Workers' Compensation

David Curtin, Esq.
R.I. Chief Disciplinary Counsel

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Hotel Conference Rate Deadline 9/5/11

Early Bird Conference Registration Deadline 9/1/11

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