

2019 Workers' Compensation Educational Conference

Agenda

Thursday, Oct. 17

Exhibits	7 a.m. - 6 p.m.			
Registration	7:00 - 8:00 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast		
Opening Session	8- 9 a.m.	Opening Session - The Current State of the Workers' Compensation System		
Breakouts	9:15 - 10:15 a.m.	WC101: From Injury to Closure Pt. 1 - <i>Jaylee Hlad-Mosgrove, Office of the Ombudsman for Injured Workers; Dan Schmelling, SAIF Corporation; Tarren Melton, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Opioids and Workers' Compensation - <i>Susan Schulte , NCCI Representative</i>	When Sick Time, Family Leave, and the ADA Collide - <i>Nicole Elgin, Barran Liebman LLP</i>
Breakouts	10:30 - 11:30 a.m.	WC101: From Injury to Closure Pt. 2 - <i>Jaylee Hlad-Mosgrove, Office of the Ombudsman for Injured Workers; Dan Schmelling, SAIF Corporation; Tarren Melton, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Non-opioid Strategies in Pain Management - <i>David Harris, D.O., Providence Medical Center</i>	Marijuana Legalization Update Across the US - <i>Susan Schulte, NCCI Representative</i>
Lunch	11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.	Networking lunch		
Breakouts	1 - 2 p.m.	Oregon's Return-to-work Programs: Not Too Good to Be True, Pt. 1 - <i>Tim Kessel, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	An Approach to Workplace Concussions - <i>Danielle Erb, MD, Brain Rehabilitation Medicine</i>	Emergency Preparedness and Business Continuity Planning - <i>Steve Norman, CIS Administrative Officer</i>
Breakouts	2:15 - 3:15 p.m.	Oregon's Return-to-work Programs: Not Too Good to Be True, Pt. 2 - <i>Tim Kessel, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Disputes, Disagreements, and Dogs - <i>Jessica Lowman, Tasha Fisher, and Steven Tacy, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Common Pitfalls and Emerging Trends for Oregon Employers - <i>Bob Hamre, Workers' Compensation Division; David Waki, Small Business Ombudsman</i>
Breakouts	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.	Return-to-work Success Stories - <i>Brian Nease, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Who is an Independent Contractor? - <i>Larry Husky, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Appellate Update - <i>Greig Lowell, Workers' Compensation Board</i>
Exhibitor Reception	4:45 - 6 p.m.			

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Breakfast	7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast		
Keynote	8:30 - 9:30 a.m.	Keynote session - <i>Mark McMullen, Oregon State Economist</i>		
Breakouts	9:45 - 10:45 a.m.	Total Worker Health 101, Pt. 1 - <i>Dede Montgomery, Oregon Institute of Occupational Health Sciences</i>	Protecting Our Most Valuable Asset - <i>Cliff Butler, Environmental Health and Safety Manager</i>	Building Bridges to Gap Language Chasm - <i>Veronica Murray, Dept. of Consumer and Business Services; Erick Kountz, Dept. of Consumer and Business Services</i>
Breakouts	11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Total Worker Health 101, Pt. 2 - <i>Dede Montgomery, Oregon Institute of Occupational Health Sciences</i>	Avoiding 873s and Claims Penalties/ Supplemental Disability Benefits - <i>Garilee Brown, Tawny Bish, and Jill Westerberg, Workers' Compensation Division</i>	Using DCBS Data for Analysis and Research - <i>Donald Gallogly, Dept. of Consumer and Business Services; Hannah Osinga, SAIF Corporation</i>