

# The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual DWC



# Educational Conference

Oakland Marriott  
1001 Broadway • Oakland, CA 94607  
March 5-6, 2020

Los Angeles Airport Marriott  
5855 W. Century Blvd. • Los Angeles, CA 90045  
March 26-27, 2020

## Day 1: March 5, 2020 (Oakland) / March 26, 2020 (Los Angeles)

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| 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. | Registration            |
| 12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.  | Welcome/General Session |
| 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.   | Breakout Sessions       |
| 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.   | Reception - No Host Bar |

## Day 2: March 6, 2020 (Oakland) / March 27, 2020 (Los Angeles)

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|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.  | Continental Breakfast |
| 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | Breakout Sessions     |
| 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. | Lunch                 |
| 1:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  | Breakout Sessions     |

## TENTATIVE TOPICS

- DWC Update
- Rating
- Audit Unit
- Case Law Update I/II
- UR Rules
- MTUS Formulary & Trends
- Effect of AB 5
- Medical Technology in Workers' Compensation
- Apportionment
- Top Ten Litigation Tips
- Legal Ethics
- Medical Director Panel
- View from the 9th Floor
- Violence in the Workplace
- Medical School for Claims Examiners and Attorneys
- Jeopardy
- Women in Law and Business
- Chronic Pain/Opioids
- Effective Use of the MTUS via Reed Group
- DOSH: Injury Prevention
- A Claimant's Perspective
- OSIP

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Employers, attorneys, claims professionals, return to work specialists, medical providers, human resources professionals, and anyone with a professional interest in the California workers' compensation system will find valuable information at the 2020 DWC Educational Conference. The conference features a variety of workers' compensation experts from the DWC, other state and public agencies, and the private sector.

## DRESS CODE

Business Casual



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## HOTEL REGISTRATION

Non-refundable deposit of 1 night room and tax required at time of registration. (Conference registration not included.)

**Oakland Marriott City Center:** For reservations, call 888-228-9290 or book online at <https://book.passkey.com/go/DWC2020> (ask for \$229 CA DWC Conference rate). Hotel cut-off date February 12, 2020.

**Los Angeles Airport Marriott Hotel:** For reservations, call 888-228-9290 or book online at <https://tinyurl.com/DWC-LA20> (use code WCA for \$194 Conference rate). Hotel cut-off date March 3, 2020.

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Includes all sessions, reception, lunch, and continental breakfast.

- \$400 Earlybird registration before January 1, 2020
- \$425 Registration before February 1, 2020
- \$450 Late registration on or after February 1, 2020

Contact IWCF at (386) 677-0041 or  
[IWCF@bellsouth.net](mailto:IWCF@bellsouth.net)  
for conference registration information.  
Call (510) 286-7073  
for general conference information.

Cancellation without notice (no-show) subject to full forfeiture of registration fee. Cancellation with notice after February 15, 2020, subject to \$50 administrative fee. NO GROUP RATES. Conference registration is limited. First come, first serve.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS

CEU applications are pending for approval before these organizations:

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|-----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CCM      | <input type="checkbox"/> CDMS                 | <input type="checkbox"/> CRC  | <input type="checkbox"/> DWC Medical Unit (QME) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IEA CPDM | <input type="checkbox"/> LEGAL SPECIALIZATION | <input type="checkbox"/> MCLE | <input type="checkbox"/> SHRM                   |

*Certificate of completion available for other professional disciplines.*

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

Two Registration options are available:

1. **Payment by Credit Card** (Mastercard, VISA or American Express) go to <https://www.compevent.com/california>. *(Credit Cards Only)*

2. **Payment by Check** Complete, copy and return this form for each attendee, along with a check made payable to the IWCF (International Workers' Compensation Foundation, Inc.) and mail to IWCF, 570 Memorial Circle, Suite 320, Ormond Beach, FL 32174. (386) 677-0041

Please designate the conference you will attend:  OAKLAND  LOS ANGELES

FIRST NAME:

(Please PRINT your name as you wish it to appear on your name tag)

FULL NAME:

TITLE:

COMPANY:

STREET ADDRESS:

CITY, STATE, ZIP:

PHONE / EMAIL:

Individuals attending the conference who may need auxiliary aids or specialized services are requested to provide notice of their needs when registering so that appropriate arrangements can be made. (Arrangements should be requested no later than 20 days before the conference.)

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## ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

Fee of \$1,400 per location includes two (2) complimentary registrations for exhibitor representatives. Additional registrants will be accepted at the early bird rate of \$400 each. A separate registration form should be completed for each additional registrant.

Space is offered on a first come, first served basis and will only be reserved upon our receipt of registration. Register online at <https://www.compevent.com/california>, or email [IWCF@bellsouth.net](mailto:IWCF@bellsouth.net) or fax (386) 677-0155 the form to reserve a space. Once your registration is received we will send additional hotel details and layout(s) for booth selection. For additional information, contact the International Workers' Compensation Foundation office at (386) 677-0041. Booth setup will be in the exhibitor area on Day 1 of the conference, 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., and teardown will be on Day 2 of the conference at 3:30 p.m.

Registration fee includes 6" draped table and two chairs, identification sign, and twenty-four hour security. Full fee forfeiture if unable to attend.

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### 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, Chelsea Place Meetings and its employees and agents, and the L.A. Airport Marriott/Oakland Marriott City Center against all claims, losses and damages to persons or property, governmental charges or fines and attorney fees arising out of or cause 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 L.A. Airport Marriott/Oakland Marriott City Center and their employees and agents, Chelsea Place Meetings and its employees and agents, as well as the IWCF, its members, employees and agents. In addition, exhibitor acknowledges that the L.A. Marriott/Oakland Marriott City Center, Chelsea Place Meetings, and the IWCF do not maintain insurance covering exhibitors' 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. Insurance insuring and specifically referring to contractual liability set forth in the foregoing paragraphs hereof, in an amount not less than \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit for personal injury and property damage. The L.A. Airport Marriott/Oakland Marriott City Center, Chelsea Place Meetings, and the IWCF shall be included in such policies as additionally named insureds for this convention only.

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Authorized Signature

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Date

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Specialty \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

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**Los Angeles Airport Marriott**

Complimentary

Registrant #1 \_\_\_\_\_

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Registrant #2 \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

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**Oakland Marriott City Center**

Complimentary

Registrant #1 \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Complimentary

Registrant #2 \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Two registration options are available for gold and silver sponsors and exhibitors:

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**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY:**

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You are invited to register as a sponsor for the 27th Annual Division of Workers' Compensation Educational Conference. This conference is held in cooperation with the International Workers' Compensation Foundation, a non-profit organization (FEIN 35-1737364). The following sponsorship levels are available (*check one please*):

**Silver: \$500 Contribution**

• Company name will appear on a large "Thank You Sponsor" sign in registration and exhibit areas at both Los Angeles and Oakland locations.

**Gold: \$1,000 Contribution**

• One complimentary attendee registration (*choice of Los Angeles or Oakland*). Additional representatives may register at a rate of \$400 per person. • Company name and contact information will appear in the conference program. • Company name will appear on a large "Thank You Sponsor" sign in registration and exhibit areas at both Los Angeles and Oakland locations.

**SPONSORSHIP REGISTRATION INFORMATION:**

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

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**GOLD SPONSORS ONLY:**

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(*Select one*)     Los Angeles     Oakland