



Get inspired in 2020 at one of the nation's largest workers' compensation conferences.



This year's focus is on the one constant in workers' compensation: **The Human Element.**



Join us as we explore person-centered approaches to workplace safety, claims handling, dispute resolution, and medical treatment. Our app will help you make connections and navigate the conference, with presenter bios, exhibitors, and conference presentations all in one place. Follow us on social media for updates.

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REGISTRATION FEES:

- \$375 per person on or before April 15, 2020, and \$425 per person after that date. Includes conference materials, reception, breakfasts, lunch, and refreshments. Hotel accommodations are not included.

EXHIBITOR FEES:

- \$825, includes six-foot draped table and two chairs, registration for two exhibitor representatives, and 24-hour security.

SPONSORSHIP FEES:

- \$1,000 Gold Sponsorship: Includes one complimentary attendee registration and contact information included on conference handouts, in the conference app, and in the opening conference video each day. Company name and logo are displayed on a large "Thank You Sponsor" poster in the exhibit area.
- \$500 Silver Sponsorship: Includes contact information in the conference app and in the opening conference video each day. Company name and logo will also be displayed on a large "Thank You Sponsor" poster in the exhibit area.

REGISTER TODAY!

To register and for more details, visit www.tdi.texas.gov/wc/events/wcconference.html or www.iwcf.us.





2020 TEXAS WORKERS' COMPENSATION CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, MAY 19

10 a.m. – Exhibitor Set-up
 11 a.m. – Registration
 12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. – Sessions
 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. – Conference Reception

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

8 a.m. – Continental Breakfast
 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. – Sessions
 (luncheon included)

THURSDAY, MAY 21

8:30 a.m. – Continental Breakfast
 9 a.m. - 12:40 p.m. – Sessions
 12:40 p.m. – Adjournment



GENERAL SESSIONS

15 Nuggets in 60 Minutes
 The Impact of Social Determinants of Health on Your Workforce
 Stop the Bleed
 Kid's Chance: Stories of Loss, Stories of Hope

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

The Role of Human Factors in Workplace Safety and Health
 OSHA Update
 Use of Injury and Illness Data Requested by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)
 Augmented and Virtual Reality Triage Training
 Talk, Text, Crash
 Administrative Enforcement vs. Criminal Prosecution
 Fraud Schemes in the Workers' Compensation System
 Adding the Personal Element to Utilization Review
 Psychology of a Dispute: Conflicts in Communication
 Beyond Biomedical:
 Identifying Those at Risk for Delayed Recovery
 Better Outcomes with the Claims Advocacy Model
 Psychosocial Care:
 How Childhood Trauma Impacts Recovery

Opioid Prescribing and Dispensing:
 Trends in Texas and Nationwide
 Mind & Body:
 How the Individual Can Eliminate Chronic Pain
 Claims Management - An Inside Out Perspective
 Health Care Advanced Billing and Reimbursement Workshop
 Mental Health in the Workplace
 How Workers Think About Recovery and Return to Work:
 A Work-Centric Model
 How Employee Engagement Improves Workplace Safety
 Safety Management: Two Vastly Different Approaches
 Return to Work Panel: It Takes a Team
 Dispute Resolution:
 Ask DWC Staff

NOTE: This agenda is not final. Sessions and times may change.



For complete conference details, visit

<http://www.tdi.texas.gov/wc/events/wconference.html> or <http://www.iwcf.us>.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Conference registration includes all sessions, conference materials, reception, breakfast, lunch, and refreshments. Hotel accommodations are not included. Contact [IWCF at 386-677-0041](mailto:iwcf@bellsouth.net) or iwcf@bellsouth.net for additional conference registration information. Please submit a separate registration for each conference participant or attendee. Conference registration is limited and on a first-come, first-served basis.

CANCELLATION: Cancellation without notice is subject to full forfeiture of registration fee. Cancellation with notice after May 5 is subject to a \$50 administrative fee.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Room blocks and group rates are limited. Participants should make hotel reservations as soon as possible. Contact the hotel for early departure and cancellation fees. The code for reservations is **Texas Workers' Compensation Conference 2020**.

Renaissance Austin Hotel: 9721 Arboretum Blvd. • Austin, TX 78759

Phone: 800-HOTELS1 [800-468-3571]

<https://tinyurl.com/TDIWCCConf20>

Conference Room Rate: \$179

Conference Room Rate Deadline: April 28, 2020

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

Applications will be made for Texas CLE credit for attorneys, TDI continuing education credit for insurance adjusters and producers, general continuing education credits for safety professionals - UT Arlington, SHRM credit for human resources professionals, and CRC, CDMS, and CCM credits for rehabilitation providers. Adjusters and producers must provide insurance-related license number at the conference. **Insurance adjusters must attend all sessions each day to receive credit for that day; no partial credit will be given.** CPE credits will also be offered for fraud investigators. A certificate of attendance is provided for other professional disciplines.



CONFERENCE EXHIBITOR & SPONSOR REGISTRATION FORM

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

Fee of \$825 includes two complimentary registrations for exhibitor representatives. Additional registrants will be accepted at \$375 each. A separate registration should be completed for each additional registrant.

You will be able to view the exhibitor space layout and select your space on a first-come, first-served basis once your registration has been received. For more information about the exhibit area, contact the International Workers' Compensation Foundation (IWCF) at 386-677-0041 or iwcf@bellsouth.net.
EXHIBIT SET UP: 10:00 a.m., May 19. **TEARDOWN:** 11:30 a.m., May 21.

Registration fee includes one 6' draped table and two chairs, registration for two representatives, and 24-hour security. Full fee forfeiture if unable to attend.

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), employees and agents, Chelsea Place Meetings and its employees and agents, the State of Texas, and the Renaissance Austin Hotel 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 Renaissance Austin Hotel and their employees and agents, Chelsea Place Meetings and its employees and agents, as well as IWCF, its members, employees, agents and the State of Texas.

In addition, exhibitor acknowledges that the State of Texas, the Renaissance Austin Hotel, Chelsea Place Meetings, and 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 and specifically referring to contractual liability set forth in the foregoing paragraphs hereof, in an amount not less than \$1 million combined single limit for personal injury and property damage. The State of Texas, the Renaissance Austin Hotel, Chelsea Place Meetings, and IWCF shall be included in such policies as additionally named insureds for this convention only.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

Net proceeds from this event, if any, go to the International Workers' Compensation Foundation (FEIN# 35-1737364), a non-profit organization, to further its work in workers' compensation education and outreach.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY

You are invited to register as a sponsor for the Texas Workers' Compensation Conference. The following sponsorship levels are available:

Gold: \$1,000 Contribution

- Sponsors will be featured in the conference app and on the opening conference video.
- Organization name, logo, and contact information will appear in conference handouts.
- Organization name will appear on a large "Thank You Sponsor" sign in exhibit area.
- One complimentary attendee registration.

Silver: \$500 Contribution

- Organization name will appear on a large "Thank You Sponsor" sign in exhibit area.
- Sponsors will be featured in the conference app and on the opening conference video.

CHECK CATEGORY WHICH APPLIES:

- EXHIBITOR
 SPONSORSHIP: Gold Silver

Company Name: _____
 Specialty: _____
 Contact Person: _____
 Title: _____
 Address: _____

 City: _____
 State: _____ ZIP: _____
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 Email Address: _____

EXHIBITORS

Comp Registration #1: _____
Name & Title
 Email: _____
 Comp Registration #2: _____
Name & Title
 Email: _____

GOLD SPONSORS

Comp Registration: _____
Name & Title
 Email: _____

Two registration options are available:

1. **Payment by Credit Card** (MasterCard, VISA, or American Express) - go to <https://www.compevent.com/texas>.
2. **Payment by Check** - Complete, copy, and return this form, along with a check made payable to IWCF (International Workers' Compensation Foundation, Inc.) and mail to IWCF, 570 Memorial Circle, Suite 320, Ormond Beach, FL 32174.



The International Workers' Compensation Foundation (IWCF, FEIN #35-1737364) is a non-profit corporation dedicated to workers' compensation education and outreach.



The Texas Workers' Compensation Conference addresses the most current topics and issues facing employers, health care providers, insurance carriers, and attorneys who participate in the system, as well as resources to prevent workplace injuries for safety and health professionals.

CONFERENCE ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM

\$375 • Registration ON or BEFORE April 15
\$425 • Registration AFTER April 15



First Name: _____
(print as you wish to appear on name tag)

Full Name: _____

Title: _____

Company: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

(Area Code) Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

There are two ways to register:

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Go to <https://www.compevent.com/texas>.

2. Payment by Check: Complete, copy, and return this form, along with a check made payable to IWCF, and mail to:

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SPECIAL NEEDS: Please request auxiliary aids or specialized services needed when registering so that appropriate arrangements can be made. Arrangements should be requested no later than 20 working days before the conference.

DRESS CODE: Business casual is appropriate for all events.

**For additional information contact IWCF at:
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