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Workers' Compensation Commission

Medical Services Provider Manual Notification January 15, 2020

At the Business Meeting on January 13, 2020, the Commissioners received the preliminary analysis of the Medical Services Provider Manual in preparation of considering changes prior to the effective date of April 1, 2020. The Commission also received an analysis of the Anesthesia rates contained within the Medical Services Provider Manual. The following link provides access to these documents <u>https://wcc.sc.gov/sites/default/files/Documents/Header/Medical_Fee_Schedules/Memo%20GM</u> C%20re%20Fair%20Health%20Analysis%20MSPM%20w%20att%201-8-2020%20gmc.pdf

The Commission will receive written comments from interested parties until the close of business, February 5, 2020. The Commission will allow public comment at the Commission's Business Meeting, on Monday, February 10, 2020, in Hearing Room A at the Commission's office, 1333 Main Street, Suite 500, Columbia, SC 29201.

Comments will be accepted by US Postal Service to SC Workers' Compensation Commission, P.O. Box 1715, Columbia, SC 29202 or electronically by email to Amy Proveaux at aproveaux@wcc.sc.gov no later than February 5.

The Commission will consider final approval of the amendments to the Fee Schedule at the Business Meeting on March 16, 2020. The effective date of the 2020 Medical Services Provider Manual is April 1, 2020.

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