

## BULLETIN

To: Workers' Compensation Insurance Carriers  
Self Insured Employers  
Third Party Administrators

From: Joyce A. Sewell, Director  
Industrial Accident Division

Date: May 14, 2004

Re: 2004 Average Weekly Wage  
2004 Medical Fee Schedule

On July 1, 2004, the following become effective:

1. The Average Weekly Wage will increase to \$589 per week. This is the maximum weekly compensation rate to be paid for Temporary Total and Temporary Partial Disability for the time period of July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005. A Quick Reference Guide for the maximum weekly rates for the various types of disabilities accompany this bulletin. Also included is the mileage rate, meal and lodging rates as well as burial costs.
2. 2004 RBRVS, 2004 CPT Codes, and the Commission's Medical Fee Guidelines, on which to base maximum fees for physician services. The conversion rates will remain the same as established for 2003. The rule R612-2-5, adopting the medical fee schedule, along with the conversion rates can be found at the Commission's Web site [www.laborcommission.utah.gov](http://www.laborcommission.utah.gov) under the Industrial Accidents Division. The RBRVS is available through Ingenix and can be ordered by calling 1-800-464-3649. The Commission's Medical Fee Guidelines are available through the Commission. An order form for the Guidelines is available on our Web site.

For additional information please call the Labor Commission at 1-801-530-6800.