

BULLETIN 9-25-00

TO: WC Insurance Carriers, Third Party Administrators, Self-Insured Employers

FROM: Joyce A. Sewell, Director, Industrial Accidents

RE: Mileage Rates and Medical Fee Schedule

MILEAGE:

The mileage rate paid to injured workers attending medical appointments is based on the rate the State of Utah reimburses state employees.

The new rate for mileage reimbursement effective September 1, 2000, is 32.5 cents (Thirty Two and one half cent) per mile. The rate will need to be paid for all medical appointments occurring on or after September 1, 2000.

MEDICAL FEE SCHEDULE:

Reminder that the new Medical Fee Schedule will become effective on January 1, 2001. The new fee schedule adopted by the Utah Labor Commission is the federal RBRVS using the 2001 CPT codes along with the Labor Commissions specific conversion factors. You will need to purchase the 2001 RBRVS and the Utah Labor Commission Medical Fee Schedule Guidelines. Please contact Rich Lunde for additional information at (801) 530-6844.