

Workers' Compensation Advisory Council
Meeting Agenda
Kneip Building, Conference Room #3
700 Governors Drive, Pierre
August 21, 2008
1:00 P.M., CDT

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of May 27, 2008, Meeting Minutes
4. Opening Remarks
5. Scott Brener, Vice President, SFM Mutual Insurance Company – Presentation on medical escalation
6. Workers' Compensation Employer Fraud – Presentation by Department of Revenue and Regulation, Division of Insurance. Issues from May public meeting:
 - Employer Fraud – employers misclassifying to avoid payment
 - Classification – classification of employee vs independent contractor
 - Process/Penalty for no insurance
7. Workers' Compensation Advisory Council E-lets – Dawn Dovre, DOL
8. Time frame/process to remediate a workers' compensation case – James Marsh, DOL
9. Public Hearing
 - a. Pavel issues from May public hearing:
 1. General treatment of nondependents
 2. Training for insurance representatives
 3. Reimbursement/compensation for nondependent family members
 4. Burial expenses
 - b. AMA Guideline – move to 5th edition from 4th edition
 - c. Firefighter issue – Mitch Richter