

Rehabilitation Review Panel agenda

Thurs., Oct. 4, 2012

- Call to order** Chairman Joseph Sweere
- Approval of meeting minutes** Dr. Sweere and panel
Decide: Approval/revision of July 26, 2012, meeting minutes
- Approval of meeting agenda** Dr. Sweere and panel
Decide: Agenda items – Oct. 4, 2012
- Deputy commissioner's update**
- Inform/clarify:* DLI's website revised August 2012 Kris Eiden
www.dli.mn.gov and www.dli.mn.gov/WorkComp.asp
- Inform/clarify:* New benefit and provider fee levels effective Oct. 1, 2012
www.dli.mn.gov/WC/RehabProv.asp
- Inform/clarify:* Member term expirations – January 2013
- Rehabilitation related**
- Inform/clarify:* Additional data regarding injured workers – not returning to work following plan closure Brian Zaidman
- Inform/clarify:* Ratio of vocational rehabilitation to indemnity benefits Brian Zaidman
- Inform/clarify:* 5217 rule revision with the Medical Services Review Board (10 to 15 mins.) Laura Zajac
- Debate:* Education focus group – Should the RRP design educational materials for stakeholders to better understand the workers' compensation system? Dr. Sweere and panel
- Decide:* Schedule RRP's 2013 quarterly meeting dates Dr. Sweere and panel
(traditional dates would be: Jan. 3, April 4, **July 4** and Oct. 3)
- Other business**
- Create:* Agenda items for next meeting Dr. Sweere and panel
- Adjournment** Dr. Sweere and panel

Tentative next meeting date: Jan. 3, 2013, from **1 to 3 p.m.**

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Agenda key

Anticipated interactions to assist panel members with meeting preparation

Debate

Item on agenda may be contentious and/or additional time may be required for panel members to express their ideas

Decide

Board members to make a decision today

Inform/clarify

An opportunity to receive the latest information or gain additional information about an item; may ask questions to increase panel's knowledge for future panel related discussion and/or decisions

Create

Design item, project, program, etc. from scratch, which may take more than one meeting to accomplish

Develop

Take an established idea/item and expand upon or improve it; may take more than one meeting to accomplish