

## Agenda: Workers' Compensation Advisory Council

Date: Wednesday, Dec. 14, 2022

Time: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

**Panelist (WCAC members or alternates and speakers):** Registration is not required; join from your panelist invitation. **Please note, there is now a password required to join.** To ensure your ability to connect, attempt to login at least five minutes before the start of the meeting. If you are unable to connect, contact Carey Wagner at [carey.wagner@state.mn.us](mailto:carey.wagner@state.mn.us) or 651-284-5018.

**Attendees:** Registration is required. Passwords are also now required.

- To join by computing device, register at <https://minnesota.webex.com/minnesota/j.php?MTID=mac59cb7f1d89dfb1df379aff623e24e> and enter the password **2iS35C6KDxn** or visit the Workers' Compensation Advisory Council webpage for registration, Webex attendee instructions and meeting materials at [dli.mn.gov/about-department/boards-and-councils/workers-compensation-advisory-council](https://dli.mn.gov/about-department/boards-and-councils/workers-compensation-advisory-council).
- To join by telephone, call 415-655-0003 or 855-282-6330 and enter the access code **249 324 63463** and the password **24735265**.

### Announcements – Nicole Blissenbach, DLI temporary commissioner

- Member introductions
- MAJ/MDLA negotiations update – Kate Daly, DLI assistant commissioner

### Meeting minutes and agenda – Nicole Blissenbach, DLI temporary commissioner

- Approval of April 12, June 8, Aug. 10 and Nov. 9, 2022 minutes

### Agenda items

1. Minnesota Statutes 79A.04, Discretionary authority proposal – Jon Kelly, Minnesota Department of Commerce, director of government affairs
2. Post-traumatic stress disorder presumption – Mary Turner, Minnesota Nurses Association
3. DLI housekeeping – Ethan Landy, DLI Office of General Counsel

4. HOFS timeliness and updated calculations – Lisa Wichterman, DLI medical policy specialist; Hared Mah, DLI Research and Statistics; and Ethan Landy, DLI Office of General Counsel
5. COVID-19 workers’ compensation claims update – Brian Zaidman, senior research analyst, DLI Research and Statistics

## **Adjournment**

## **Next meetings**

The next Workers’ Compensation Advisory Council meetings are tentatively scheduled for Jan. 11, Jan. 25, Feb. 8 and March 1, 2023.

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