

Workers' Comp. Association of New Mexico 38th Annual Conference, Hyatt

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15TH, 2019

7:30 AM - 5:00 PM	25TH ANNUAL WCA OF NM GOLF TOURNAMENT BENEFITTING THE G.C. TOBY WRIGHT SCHOLARSHIP AT SANDIA GOLF CLUB
10:00 AM - 4:30 PM	Registration: Second Floor Landing / Exhibitor Set Up: Pavillion 4-6
5:30 PM	WELCOME RECEPTION IN Lobby Atrium

THURSDAY, MAY 16TH, 2019

		SPEAKER	TITLE	Conference Room
7:00 AM	REGISTRATION/BREAKFAST & EXHIBITORS			Second Floor Landing / Pavilion 4-6
8:00 AM	WELCOME & CONFERENCE KICK-OFF	Lisa Romero, WCA of NM President	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Pavilion 1-3
8:30 AM	KEYNOTE SPEAKER	Steve Harper	The Ripple Effect	Pavilion 1-3
9:30 AM	EXHIBITOR BREAK			Pavilion 4-6
10:00 AM	LEGAL/CLAIMS	Chris Elmore, Esq. & Jeff Stradling	Exciting Ethics! (Really, We're Going to Try)	Fiesta
11:00 AM	MEDICAL	Michelle Despres, PT	Turning the Tide on Diabesity Epidemic: Tactics for your Workplace	Enchantment E-F
10:00 AM	HR/Safety	Victoria Wagner, BSN, RN, Bureau Chief & Doreen Hamlin, Bill Dispute Specialist	Navigating All Aspects of the Admin's Medical Cost Containment Bureau	Enchantment A-D
11:00- 11:15	Networking Break	Head to Lunch		
11:15 AM	LUNCH	Lisa Romero & Brock Carter	Scholarship Recipient Introduction & Outstanding Service Award	Pavilion 1-3
1:00 PM	GENERAL SESSION	Elisha Krempez, Vice President Strategic Initiatives	Why Employers Should Leverage Telemedicine to Enhance Their WC	Pavilion 1-3
2:30 PM	EXHIBITOR BREAK			Pavilion 4-6
3:00 PM	MEDICAL	Anthony Ricciardone	Opioid Addiction Theory & Utilization Trends in WC	Enchantment A-D
3:00 PM	HR/Safety	James Vautier	Active Shooter / Violent Threat Response Training	Enchantment E-F
4:00 PM	LEGAL/CLAIMS	Brian Shelley, MD, Derek Weems & Scott Owen	The Imperfections of the AMA Guides (6th Edition)	Fiesta
4:00 PM	GENERAL SESSION	Tim Hale, Paul Maestas, Gerry Hanrahan, Judge Tony Couture	Case Law Update	Pavilion 1-3
5:30PM	EVENING RECEPTION	PROM: A Walk Through Central Park		wHYTE Room
8:30PM				

FRIDAY, MAY 17TH, 2019

7:30 AM	REGISTRATION/BREAKFAST & EXHIBITORS			Second Floor Landing / Pavilion 4-6
9:00 AM	GENERAL SESSION	Dr. Scott Primack, Joe Van Winkle & Spencer French, RN, MSN, CCM	Addressing Expectations & Outcomes utilizing a biopsychosocial model in WC	Pavilion 1-3
10:00 AM	EXHIBITOR BREAK			Pavilion 4-6
11:00 AM	LEGAL/CLAIMS	Victor Titus, Rick Parmley	How Have Molinar & Gold Changed Claims?	Enchantment A-D
12:00 PM	MEDICAL	Kenneth Yaw, MD	Impairment Ratings De-Mystified	Fiesta
11:00 AM	HR/Safety	William Brady, M.D., MPH, MBA, MSc	Behavioral Health Economics for Case Managers & Adjusters	Enchantment E-F
12:00- 12:15	Networking Break	Head to Lunch		
12:15 PM	LUNCH	Lisa Romero & Aurelia Barajas	Board Elections & Exhibitor Door Prizes	Pavilion 1-3
2:00 PM	GENERAL SESSION	Patricia Strang	Navigating the Medicare Compliance Maze in WC	Pavilion 1-3
3:00 PM	CONFERENCE WRAP-UP 50/50 & GRAND PRIZE GIVEAWAY	Lisa Romero & WCA Foundation	Grand Prize & 50/50 Drawings Closing Remarks & Farewell!	Pavilion 1-3
4:00 PM				