

Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission (OK WCC) Announcement

OKWCC EDI Reporting Changes

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This correspondence is to provide an update on the implementation of OKWCC EDI Claims Release 3.0 for First Report of Injury (FROI) and Subsequent Report of Injury (SROI). Reporting is currently scheduled for a Mandatory Reporting Period Start Date of January 1, 2018 and a Voluntary Reporting Period Start Date of October 16, 2017.

OKWCC is changing the Mandatory and Voluntary Reporting Period Start Dates which are pending finalization. These date changes will allow OKWCC to pursue necessary legislative changes to sections of its statute, which require a written declaration for each submission. OKWCC determined that it is in the best interest of the Trading Partners to complete an amendment to its statute rather than impacting the Trading Partners in the short term by requiring them to submit an additional Trading Partner Agreement unique to Oklahoma.

Due to the implementation delay, OKWCC has determined it is in the best interest of the Commission to utilize and implement IAIABC Claims Release 3.1, as the timeframe for the change of these Mandatory and Voluntary dates fall close in time with the ability to utilize IAIABC Claims Release 3.1. In addition, OKWCC has a need for the enhancements that are available in Release 3.1. By implementing IAIABC Claims Release 3.1, OKWCC will eliminate the need for an additional implementation from IAIABC Claims Release 3.0 to IAIABC Claims Release 3.1 in the future.

OKWCC will post IAIABC Claims Release 3.1 requirements a minimum of six (6) months in advance of any voluntary or mandatory reporting period start dates. The dates will also be in line with the IAIABC implementation date allowed for IAIABC Claims Release 3.1 of one year from publication of Release 3.1 Guide published on August 15, 2017, and implementation allowed on or after August 15, 2018. The revisions made to IAIABC Claims Release 3.1 will be implemented into the current OKWCC Claims Release 3.0 requirements to allow Trading Partners to utilize their current implementation efforts.

OKWCC will distribute an announcement when a final determination has been made regarding the applicable Reporting Period Start Date. Updated information will continue to be available on the OKWCC EDI Claims Services Website https://OKWCCedi.info.

If you have any questions, please email OKWCCedi@iso.com.

Thank you,

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