

Employee Benefits Workers' Compensation

- ▶ Self Funded Plan
- ▶ Its sole purpose is for Medical Benefits & Loss Time Wages due to work related injury/illness.

- ▶ Overview:
 - ▶ Employees Role
 - ▶ Supervisors Role
 - ▶ Witnesses Role
 - ▶ Restrictions

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- ▶ **EMPLOYEE-What to do in the event of a work-related illness or injury:**
 - ▶ Notify Supervisor immediately
 - ▶ Fill out a Workers' Compensation Forms
 - ▶ 1. Complete the Employee Incident Report
 - ▶ Forms are available online (MISD Benefits webpage)
 - ▶ If medical treatment is required, report to the Employee Benefits Office for Authorization Form to seek treatment.
 - ▶ Exception- Emergency situations requiring immediate medical attention. Employee may seek treatment directly but contact the Employee Benefits Office by phone immediately with details of the incident.



EMPLOYEE BENEFITS DEPARTMENT

EMPLOYEE INCIDENT REPORT

Name of Employee: _____ Employee ID#: _____

Employee Address: _____

Campus: _____ Location: _____

Job Title: _____

Time of Incident: _____ Date of Incident: _____ Date reported if different: _____

Describe the details of the accident (How/What/Where/Why) **BE VERY SPECIFIC:** _____

Body Location(s) affected by incident: _____

What special protective equipment was provided or required? (Ex. Goggles, Special Shoes, Gloves, Safety Belt, Back Belt, etc.) YES NO If yes, describe type: _____

Was such equipment being used or worn at the time of incident? YES NO If yes, describe: _____

Was equipment the source or cause of the incident? (Ex. Guards missing, equipment faulty, etc.) YES NO If yes, describe: _____

Were there any witnesses to the incident? YES NO If yes, please list names and department: _____

I, the undersigned, herewith certify that the above is true and correct statement of fact, and that I made such statement of my own free will.

Employee Signature: _____ Date: _____

**This form is due in the Employee Benefits Department within 24 hours from date of accident.*

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▶ DEPARTMENT SUPERVISORS

- ▶ Fill out the First Report of Injury (DWC1) (Employer/Department Information, **Signature is required**)

- ▶ Complete section 1 thru 29 and Section 51
- ▶ Forward copies of Forms to Employee Benefits Office
- ▶ Form can be given to the employee to turn in along with the First Incident Report.

SAMPLE

Send the specified copies to your Workers' Compensation Insurance Carrier and the injured employee.

*Employees... Do not send this form to the Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation, Unless the Division specifically requests a direct filing.

CLAIM # _____

CARRIER'S CLAIM # _____

Complete Section 1 thru 29

EMPLOYER'S FIRST REPORT OF INJURY OR ILLNESS

1) Name (Last, First, M.I.)		2) Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> M		10) Date of Injury (m-d-y)		11) Time of Injury (m-d-y)		12) (Date Lost Time Began) (m-d-y)	
3) Social Security Number		4) Home Phone		5) Date of Birth (m-d-y)		13) am <input type="checkbox"/> pm <input type="checkbox"/>		14) Part of Body Injured or Exposed	
6) Does the Employee Speak English? If No, Specify Language									
YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>									
7) Race: <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/>		8) Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>		15) (Was employee working for this employer on the date of injury?) YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		16) Worksite Location of Injury (stairs, dock, etc.)		17) Address Where Injury or Exposure Occurred Name of business if incident occurred on a business site	
9) Mailing Address Street or P.O. Box				18) City		19) State		20) Zip Code	
10) Marital Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>									
11) Number of Dependent Children				12) Spouse's Name					
13) Doctor's Name									
14) Doctor's Mailing Address (Street or P.O. Box)									
15) City				16) State		17) Zip Code			
18) List Witnesses									
19) Return to work (date reported) (m-d-y)		20) Did employee (date) (m-d-y)		21) Supervisor's Name		22) Date Reported (m-d-y)		23) Cause of Injury (fall, tool, machine, etc.)	
YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		Name		Name		Name	
30) Date of Hire (m-d-y)		31) Was employee hired or recruited in Texas? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		32) Length of Service in Current Position		33) Length of Service in Occupation		34) Employee Payroll Classification Code	
Months		Years		Months		Years		35) Occupation of Injured Worker	
36) Rate of Pay at this job		37) Full Work Week is:		38) Last Paycheck was:		39) Is employee an Owner, Partner, or Corporate Officer?		40) Signature and Title (PRINT AND INCLUDE TITLE IN RED INK. SIGN IN RED INK BEFORE SIGNING)	
\$ _____ Hourly <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/>		Hours _____ Days _____		\$ _____ for _____ Hours or _____ Days		YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		X Signature required by Supervisor	
41) Name and Title of Person Completing Form				42) Name of Business					
43) Business Mailing Address and Telephone Number (Street or P.O. Box)				44) Business Location (if different from mailing address) (Number and street)					
City				State		Zip Code			
45) Federal Tax Identification Number		46) Primary North American Industry Classification System Code (6 digit)		47) Specific NAICS Code (8 digit)		48) Texas Comptroller Taxpayer No.		49) Workers' Compensation Insurance Company	
Code (9 digit)		Code (8 digit)		Code (8 digit)		Code (8 digit)		Policy Number	
50) Did you request accident prevention services in past 12 months? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, did you receive them? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>									
51) Signature and Title (PRINT AND INCLUDE TITLE IN RED INK. SIGN IN RED INK BEFORE SIGNING)									
X Signature required by Supervisor								Date	

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DIVISION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

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▶ WITNESSES

- ▶ Complete the Witness Report
- ▶ Forward the Witness Report to Employee Benefits Office
- ▶ All forms are available in Spanish as well.



EMPLOYEE BENEFITS DEPARTMENT

WITNESS REPORT

Name of Injured Employee: _____

Witness Employee Name: _____ Title: _____

Department: _____ Witness Phone Number: _____

How long have you known the injured employee: Years _____ Months _____ NA

What is your relationship to the injured employee: _____

Did you actually see the accident occur? YES NO If no, how did you hear about it?: _____

PLEASE DESCRIBE IN DETAIL WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT THE INCIDENT. BE ADVISED, IF FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED, YOU MAY BE CONTACTED FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

Date of Incident: _____ Time of Incident: _____

Location where incident occurred: _____

Describe in your own words the details of how this accident occurred: _____

To your knowledge, was a safety procedure not followed or violated: _____

What could the employee have done to have avoided this incident: _____

List the names of anyone else who might know about this incident: _____

Additional Comments: _____

I have read the above and it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Employee Signature: _____ Date: _____

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- ▶ Before Returning to Work:
 - ▶ Provide the Work Status Report Form
(Given to you by the doctor)
 - ▶ Doctor's release with restriction:
 - ▶ Light Duty - May or May NOT be approved depending on the job position.
 - ▶ Must be approved by immediate supervisor if not released to full duty and submitted to Employee Benefits prior to returning



Employee - You are required to report your injury to your employer within 30 days if your employer has workers' compensation insurance. You have the right to free assistance from the Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) and may be entitled to certain medical and income benefits. For further information call DWC at 800-252-7031.

Empleado - Es requerido que usted reporte su lesión a su empleador dentro de los 30 días si es que su empleador cuenta con un seguro de compensación para trabajadores. Usted tiene derecho a recibir asistencia gratuita por parte del Departamento de Seguros de Texas, División de Compensación para Trabajadores (DWC), y es posible que tenga derecho a recibir ciertos beneficios médicos y de ingresos. Para obtener más información llame a DWC al 800-252-7031.

DWC073

Texas Workers' Compensation Work Status Report

Date Sent (for transmission purposes only): _____

I. GENERAL INFORMATION		
1. Injured Employee's Name	2a. Doctor's/Delegating Doctor's Name and Degree	2b. PA / APRN Name (if completing form)
2. Date of Injury	3. Social Security Number (last four) XXX-XX-	4. Facility Name
4. Employee's Description of Injury/Accident		5. Employer's Name
7. Facility/Doctor Phone and Fax Numbers		10. Employee's Fax Number or Email Address (if known)
9. Facility/Doctor Address (Street, City, State, ZIP Code)		11. Insurance Carrier
		12. Carrier's Fax Number or Email Address (if known)

II. WORK STATUS INFORMATION (Fully complete one box including estimated dates, and a description in 13c, if applicable)

13. The injured employee's medical condition resulting from the workers' compensation injury:

a) will allow the employee to return to work as of ___/___/___ without restrictions OR

b) will allow the employee to return to work as of ___/___/___ with the restrictions identified in PART III, which are expected to last through ___/___/___; OR

c) has prevented and still prevents the employee from returning to work as of ___/___/___ and is expected to continue through ___/___/___

The following describes how this injury prevents the employee from returning to work:

III. ACTIVITY RESTRICTIONS (Only complete if box 13b is checked)

14. Posture Restrictions (if any):	17. Motion Restrictions (if any):	19. Misc. Restrictions (if any):
Max hours per day: 0 2 4 6 8 Other: _____	Max hours per day: 0 2 4 6 8 Other: _____	Max hours per day of work: _____
Standing: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Walking: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Sit/stretch breaks of _____ per _____
Sitting: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Climbing stairs/ladders: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Must wear splint/cast at work: <input type="checkbox"/>
Kneeling/squatting: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Grasping/squeezing: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Must use crutches at all times: <input type="checkbox"/>
Bending/sloping: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Wrist flexion/extension: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	No diving/operating heavy equipment: <input type="checkbox"/>
Pushing/pulling: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Reaching: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Can only drive automatic transmission: <input type="checkbox"/>
Twisting: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Overhead reaching: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	No skin contact with: _____
Other: _____	Keyboarding: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	No running: <input type="checkbox"/>
15. Restrictions Specific To (if applicable):		Dressing changes necessary at work: <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Left hand/wrist <input type="checkbox"/> Left leg		18. Lift/Carry Restrictions (if any):
<input type="checkbox"/> Right hand/wrist <input type="checkbox"/> Right leg		<input type="checkbox"/> May not lift/carry objects more than _____ lbs. for more than _____ hours per day.
<input type="checkbox"/> Left arm <input type="checkbox"/> Back		<input type="checkbox"/> May not perform any lifting/carrying.
<input type="checkbox"/> Right arm <input type="checkbox"/> Left foot/ankle		Other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Neck <input type="checkbox"/> Right foot/ankle		19. No work / _____ hours/day work: <input type="checkbox"/>
Other: _____		<input type="checkbox"/> in extreme hot/cold environments <input type="checkbox"/> at heights or on scaffolding
16. Other Restrictions (if any)		Must keep _____ elevated <input type="checkbox"/> clean & dry
		20. Medication Restrictions (if any):
		<input type="checkbox"/> Must take prescription medication(s)
		<input type="checkbox"/> Advised to take over-the-counter meds
		<input type="checkbox"/> Medication may make drowsy (possible safety/driving issues)

IV. TREATMENT/FOLLOW-UP APPOINTMENT INFORMATION

21. Work Injury Diagnosis Information:	22. Expected Follow-up Services Include:
	<input type="checkbox"/> Evaluation by the treating doctor on ___/___/___ at _____ a.m./p.m.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Referral to/consult with _____ on ___/___/___ at _____ a.m./p.m.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical medicine _____ X per week for _____ weeks starting on ___/___/___ at _____ a.m./p.m.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Special studies (list): _____ on ___/___/___ at _____ a.m./p.m.
	<input type="checkbox"/> None. This is the last scheduled visit for this problem. At this time, no further medical care is anticipated.
Date / Time of Visit:	Employee's Signature: _____
Discharge Time:	Health Care Practitioner's Signature / License # _____
	Visit Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial <input type="checkbox"/> Follow-up
	Role of Health Care Practitioner: <input type="checkbox"/> Treating doctor <input type="checkbox"/> Referral doctor <input type="checkbox"/> RME doctor <input type="checkbox"/> Consulting doctor <input type="checkbox"/> PA <input type="checkbox"/> APRN <input type="checkbox"/> Designated doctor <input type="checkbox"/> Other doctor

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CONTACT:

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email at benefits@mcallenisd.net