

Workers' Compensation: Monopolistic vs. Competitive

A Look at Ohio vs. Kentucky

Tuesday November 9th, 2021

09:00am to 11:30am

3.0 Credits Virtual Live via Zoom

Course Description:

Learning Objectives:

- Explore a brief history of the origins of work comp laws in OH & KY
- Learn about NCCI, experience modifiers, and common practices charging premium, and payroll reporting process
- Review a summary of how BWC dividend credits were sent back through the pandemic
- Examine competition in Ohio by understanding the roles of MCO's, TPA', and the BWC
- Find out about free services and programs available to your clients through Ohio BWC
- Understand the contrast of a competitive market in Kentucky, the competitive state fund KEMI, and other KY programs
- Contrast the hearing process in both states
- Participate in Zoom breakout sessions to discuss the advantages and disadvantages of both states

Presenters:



Rob Walker

Interim Commissioner
Department of Workers'
Claims at Commonwealth
of Kentucky

Rob has over 20 years' experience in Kentucky Worker's Compensation law with the majority of that being in private practice with his previous firm Walker Wallace. On top of his role with the Commonwealth, Rob also serves on the board of KEMI.



Andrew Thaler

Associate Attorney
Taft Stetinius & Hollister

Andrew handles all aspects of workers' compensation claims, from the initial filing of the claim to hearings before the Industrial Commission, to the Courts of Common Pleas, Court of Appeals, and Supreme Court. As a seasoned litigator, Andrew has extensive trial experience successfully defending employers in numerous jury and bench trials. He routinely defends workers' compensation death claims, VSSR matters, and claims involving additional conditions and requests for disability benefits.



Bob Braun

Regional Business
Development Manager
Ohio Bureau of Workers'
Compensation

Bob has 34 years' experience in the insurance industry. Before his current role of helping Ohio employers take advantage of BWC's safety services, he was a VP at State Auto Insurance Company and president of the Cincinnati CPCU Society Chapter.



Andrea Kiener

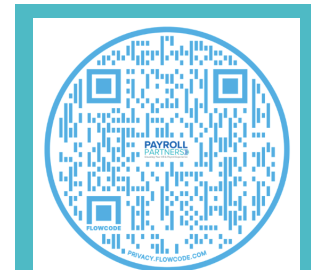
Director of Client Programs
Sheakley Unicomp

Andrea has nearly 27 years of experience in the Ohio workers compensation system on both the TPA and MCO side. For 13 of those years, she has managed Sheakley Unicomp's team of Client Relations Managers assisting those clients with all aspects of managing their Ohio claims. Andrea started her career as a paralegal with a claimant attorney

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