

# Illinois Workers' Compensation Manual

## Are You Good to Go?

It may not be easy to foster a safe workplace, prevent injuries, and manage workers' compensation claims, but it's the law. Our **Workers' Compensation Manual** can help you lower the costs associated with workers' comp by showing you how to establish safety practices and manage claims correctly. It also helps you:

- Understand workers' compensation in depth
- Get injured workers back on the job faster
- Know exactly what to do when an injury occurs
- Take preventative measures to keep the workplace safe
- Streamline and simplify claims management

This manual features expert advice from our authors, a team of attorneys and workers' compensation specialists as it covers the most sweeping changes in workers' compensation in nearly 30 years. Many of the provisions of PA 94-0277 took effect July 20, 2005, while other provisions became effective February 1, 2006. Published in 2008, this manual contains 207 pages including a detailed table of contents and a full index. Cost is \$125 plus shipping and handling.

Topics covered:

- Coverage and Notice Provisions
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- Medical Provisions and Medical Fee Schedule, Utilization Review and Managed Care
- Temporary Disability (TTD), Permanent Partial Disability (PPD) and Permanent Total Disability (PTD) Benefits
- Death Benefits
- Claims Investigation
- Practical Considerations for Employers
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- Creating an Environment Where an Employee Need Not File a Claim
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