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BUREAU CIRCULAR NO. 1425

To All Members of the Bureau:

Re: ANNOUNCEMENT OF WCIO WEB SITE

The Bureau is pleased to announce a new web site of the Workers Compensation Insurance Organizations (WCIO), an organization of which the Bureau is a member. We are confident this web site, including the links to related web sites and organizations, will be of assistance to our membership. More specific information is shown on the attached WCIO announcement.

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Remember to visit our web site at www.pcrb.com for more information about this and other topics.



WORKERS COMPENSATION INSURANCE ORGANIZATIONS

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Workers Compensation Insurance Organizations (WCIO) Web Site Announcement

The WCIO is pleased to announce the introduction of their web site. **To visit the site, go to www.wcio.org**.

The WCIO is a voluntary association of entities statutorily authorized or licensed in one or more states as rating, advisory or data service organizations for workers compensation insurance. The association provides a forum to facilitate the lawful exchange of ideas and information for the purpose of enhancing the services provided by its members.

Access to information on available products and service is critical in today's business. The WCIO's goal is to increase the amount and quality of information available to the workers compensation community through this web site, so that it will ultimately become a primary resource for workers compensation related information. The site will be continually enhanced to improve communication and accessibility.

The WCIO web site currently provides:

- Information about the WCIO and its activities.
- On-line access to the WCIO Workers Compensation Data Specifications Manual.*
- Links to related web sites.

*The WCIO has developed standards for the electronic transmission of information between insurers and rating/advisory organizations. These specifications are available for policy information, unit statistical reporting, experience modifications, detailed claim information, and individual case reports. The specifications are found in the WCIO Workers Compensation Data Specifications Manual.

Thank you for visiting www.wcio.org .
We welcome any feedback or questions you may have.

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