

State of Nevada  
Department of Business & Industry  
**Division of Industrial Relations**  
*Workers ' Compensation Section*

ALTERNATIVE CHOICE OF PHYSICIAN or CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN

A list of the Panel of Treating Physicians or Chiropractic Physicians, or those health care providers, with whom your insurer has contracted, can be obtained from your insurer or third-party administrator upon written request. Your insurer or third-party administrator has within **3** working days to provide you the list pursuant to [NAC 616C.030](#).

Per [NRS 616C.090](#), if within the first 90 days after the date of injury, you are not satisfied with the first treating physician or chiropractic physician and

Your insurer has entered into a contract with a managed care organization or with health care providers, you must select an alternative physician or chiropractic physician according to the terms of the contract. This selection may be made without the prior approval of the insurer. If after choosing your physician or chiropractic physician, you move to a county not serviced by the contracted managed care organization or health care providers and the insurer deems it impractical for you to continue treating with the physician or chiropractic physician, you must choose a treating physician or chiropractic physician who has agreed to the terms of the contract unless the insurer authorizes you to choose another physician or chiropractic physician.

or

Your insurer has not entered into a contract with an organization for managed care, or with health care providers, you may select an alternative physician or chiropractic physician from the Panel of Treating Physicians and Chiropractic Physicians.

**NOTICE:** Any further changes in your treating physician or chiropractic physician must be in writing and approved by the insurer. If, at any time, you are dissatisfied with a physician or chiropractic physician selected by yourself, the insurer, managed care organization, or health care provider, a change may be made by submitting a written request to the insurer indicating the name of the alternate physician or chiropractic physician. The insurer shall approve or deny this request within ten (10) days after receipt of the written request, or it shall be deemed approved. You will receive written notification if the insurer denies this request which will include the reason for the denial and appeal rights.