

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

FISCAL YEAR (FY)
WCS WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS ACTIVITY REPORT

DEFINITIONS

Fiscal Year (FY): The period July 1 through June 30.

I.E.: Injured Employee.

Medical Only Claim (Activity Rpt., Part 1, Lines C, H & M): A claim in which the benefits received by the injured employee or his dependents for the duration of the claim do **NOT** include benefits for a temporary total disability (TTD), temporary partial disability (TPD), or permanent total disability (PTD). "Medical Only" claims, however, could have included a Permanent Partial Disability Award.

Lost Time Claim (Activity Rpt., Part 1, lines D, I & N): A claim in which the benefits received by the injured employee or his dependents for the duration of the claim included benefits for a temporary total disability, temporary partial disability, or permanent total disability. (The injured employee was incapacitated from earning full wages for five or more days in a 20-day period as a result of the on-the-job injury/disease.)

Electronic: Forms and/or reports that are prepared for electronic (email) submission to the WCS and have been provided on the WCS website as described in Attachment #3 Instructions for Filing Electronically. (Report forms provided on the WCS website are ready for electronic submission and may not be mailed or faxed.) The *electronic form* of the **Activity Report**, when printed, is a 6-page report and should NOT be sent as a hard copy.

Nevada Certificate of Authority No.: The number issued to an insurer by the Nevada Commissioner of Insurance on the Certificate of Authority authorizing the insurer to provide coverage including industrial insurance (workers' compensation).

NCCI Carrier Code: The five-digit number assigned by National Council on Compensation Insurance (NCCI) to each private carrier.

NCCI Group Code: The five-digit number assigned by the National Council on Compensation Insurance (NCCI) to a private carrier that identifies the group of affiliated private carriers to which the carrier belongs.

Third-Party Administrator (TPA): A person (or persons) or management company licensed by the Nevada Insurance Commissioner specifically authorizing administration of workers' compensation claims and who is contracted by one or more insurers to provide such services.

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Insurer:

- **Self-Insured Employer (SIE):** Any employer who meets the requirements set forth by Nevada Revised Statutes and is certified and issued a Certificate of Authority by the Nevada Commissioner of Insurance.
- **Association of private or public self-insured employers (ASSN):** A nonprofit, unincorporated association composed of five or more private or public employers that have been certified by and issued a Certificate of Authority by the Nevada Commissioner of Insurance.
- **Private Carrier (PC):** Any individual insurer (not an SIE or ASSN) authorized to provide industrial insurance pursuant to chapters 616A to 617, inclusive, of NRS, who has been issued a Certificate of Authority by the Nevada Commissioner of Insurance. A Carrier Group is NOT a Private Carrier.

Active Insurer: An insurer who holds an active Certificate of Authority for workers' compensation in Nevada at any time during the fiscal year. An "Active Insurer" may or may not have claims activity to report during the fiscal year.

Inactive Insurer: Any insurer who held a Certificate of Authority for workers' compensation in Nevada which was active prior to the fiscal year, however, was not active at any time during the fiscal year. The reporting by inactive insurers is particularly important for entities that retain the responsibility for claims (open or closed), which were incurred while the certificate was active. An "Inactive Insurer" may or may not have claims activity to report during the fiscal year. An inactive insurer that has transferred its liabilities to another insurer via a transfer agreement is not required to report.