COVID-19 WORKERS COMP FRAUD
5 things to consider

1. Remote

Fraud Investigations
Global work from home orders are redefining what a work injury may mean. What may be new?

2. Quarantine Injury Claims

Are work from home injuries covered?

Should I use telemedicine?
Are all insurers treating home injuries the same?

Is all or some of my home considered my "workplace"?

3. Telemedicine

How do I find a qualified and reputable professional?

Do I need pre-approval from my employer or insurer?

Am I safe sharing my personal data on a call or the internet?

4. Be Honest

COVID-19 is teaching us to work better together.

Report your injury promptly and truthfully.

Employers and insurers need to share information with employees on what is covered and how to report a claim.

5. Stop the Fraud

Verify injuries, conduct remote interviews and provide information for reputable treatment.

If you are thinking of committing fraud to make a quick buck... don't! You will ruin your career and your life.

Report all suspected insurance fraud to your state department of insurance or at:

What You Can Do

Advice to Employees
- In you have questions about potential remote site work injury, contact your employer or insurer promptly.
- Be 100% honest in reporting all facts and information so your injury claim may be assessed properly.
- Seek treatment if needed, but be wary of scams...especially those which may involve telemedicine and requests for credit card information.

Employers and Insurers
- Tell employees how to report claims in a COVID-19 environment.
- Communicate and educate employees to not commit fraud.
- Keep your SIU team informed with the latest anti-fraud information.
- Watch for suspicious injury claims - while ensuring all claims are fairly reviewed despite the crisis.

Coalition Against Insurance Fraud

Protect-Preserve-Prevent