



*Virtual Meeting*

*(in lieu of meeting at the 2023 Spring National Meeting)*

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION (C) TASK FORCE**

Monday, March 6, 2023

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. ET / 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. CT / 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. MT / 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. PT

**Meeting Summary Report**

The Workers' Compensation (C) Task Force met March 6, 2023. During this meeting, the Task Force:

1. Adopted its 2022 Fall National Meeting minutes.
2. Heard a presentation regarding telework and how it is affecting workers' compensation. The International Association of Industrial Accident Boards (IAIABC) indicated there is not much available data regarding telework in workers' compensation.
3. Heard a presentation from the National Council on Compensation Insurance (NCCI) regarding presumptive workers' compensation benefits for firefighters and first responders. Many states have enacted presumption laws for firefighters and emergency medical personnel. Presumption laws include things like cancer, chronic respiratory conditions, blood and infectious diseases, and heart and vascular conditions. Additionally, the most recent discussions regarding presumptions include mental injuries like post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).