

ATHENS EMPLOYEE AND VOLUNTEER NOTIFICATION (English)

Workers' Compensation Medical Provider Network: Athens MPN

California Law requires your employer to provide and pay for medical treatment if you are injured at work. Your District/Charter School is pleased to provide this medical care through a Workers' Compensation Medical Provider Network – Athens MPN. A Medical Provider Network (MPN) is a group of health care providers set up by an employer and approved by California's Division of Workers' Compensation to treat workers injured on the job. The enclosed pamphlet contains important information regarding Athens and your workers' compensation medical benefits. Please read it carefully.

Your medical treatment for a work-related injury or illness will be provided through the Athens Medical Provider Network if your injury or illness occurred on or after October 1, 2005. You still have the option of treating with your personal physician (pursuant to Labor Code Section 4600) if you have properly notified your district's or charter school's personnel department of your desire to treat with your personal physician prior to your injury or illness and your personal physician agrees to treat you for your work-related injury or illness. If you already have a work-related injury or illness that occurred prior to the implementation of the Athens Medical Provider Network and your treating physician is or becomes a participating physician in Athens then you are automatically covered, or, alternatively, you may request to have your treatment transferred to a Athens participating physician.

For additional information, please review the enclosed pamphlet carefully or you may contact Athens Patient Services Department directly via phone (866) 482-3535 or through the Athens web-site: www.athensadmin.com/vcssfa/ For a list of medical providers who are participating in the Athens network go to www.viidad.com/anthemcompass/KBATHENSI000