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## **RATING REQUEST**

Referred by:							
Billing Information:							
Company/Firm				Rating Requested For:			
Address				Email			
City/State/Zip				Phone			
Injured Worker Information:							
Worker's Name				Birth Date			
Claim Number				Injury Date			
Occupation/Group #				Age at DOI			
Employer's Name							
Return Rating via: ☐ e-mail ☐ fax number:							
Service – standard turnaround is 5-7 business days							
	RATING ONL	Y: Rating based on the do	ctor's WPI ass	sessments. Apporti	onment applied.		
	Corrections applied consistent with DEU practices: errors reading values from Figures and Tables						
	in the Guides; math errors; combining errors.						
	1 rating string, up to 20 pages = \$125						
	2 or more	re rating strings, and/or more than 20 pages to review = \$350/hour					
	RATING WITH ANNOTATION: Rating based on the doctor's WPI assessments. Corrections applied consistent with DEU practice: errors reading values from Figures and Tables in the Guides; math errors; combining errors. Apportionment applied.						
	ANNOTATION: a brief discussion of potential issues with the doctor's assessment of WPI, based on our review of documented clinical findings from the doctor's report. This Annotation service reports potential areas of WPI inflation (or potential understatement of WPI) without the time and expense of a full analysis.						
	(e.g. "the documentation in the report does not appear to support the use of the ROM Method for the lumbar spine"; "the use of Gait Derangement for the knee would not apply if the instructions on page 529 of the Guides are followed".						
	FULL ANALYSIS: Review of doctors' reports, DEU Ratings, Deposition preparation, Almaraz/Guzman Analysis, etc. Full, in-depth analysis of reporting; critical review of the Guides instructions and the doctor's report documentation.						
	Detailed review and discussion of each impairment assessment offered by the doctor. Medical report supporting documentation of clinical findings correlated with instructions, Figures, and Tables in the Guides; applicable instructions from the Guides referenced.						
	TWO Sets of Ratings Provided: 1) based on the doctor's recommendations; 2) our recommendations based on our critical review.						
	Lifetime Ben Projections ( Or Commutation Specify in 'spe	COLA)	AWE/TTD: PD%: Date PD Beg Applicant's G	ins: Jender (for life expe	ectancy):	\$350/hr	

Prior rating done?	yes 🗌 no 🔲		
Rush Service? (1-2 business days) add 50% to fee)	yes 🗌 no 🔲	Priority Service (3 business days) add 25% to fee)	yes 🗌 no 🔲
When is return needed:			
Special notes:			
* Sample document(s) to submit with y question, ratings from DEU/Claims/AA	0 1	est: job description, medical reports fro	m the doctor ir
question, rainigs from DLO/Ciaims/14	1, риумсан схан	indition report, etc	