

The Cardinal Orthopaedic Institute Web Site

Bureau of Workers' Compensation Policy

If you have been injured at work, and have filed a claim under the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC), we will be happy to see you. However, to make the process work most easily, we ask that you follow a couple of simple steps:

1. At the time you call to make the appointment, please provide us with the following information:
 - Your claim number (if one has been established)
 - The date of injury
 - The name of the company that your employer uses for its workers' compensation coverage (for example, CareWorks, Gates McDonald, CompManagement, Sheakley UniComp, etc.)

2. Upon arriving for your visit, we will need to obtain:
 - A copy of your BWC ID card, if possible
 - Any updates to your claim number or other information
 - We will ask you to describe how the injury occurred

A couple reminders:

- Your claim status must be ACTIVE or PENDING. If your claim has been made INACTIVE, that must be changed.

- If your claim is rejected for any reason, we must be able to submit the claim to your medical insurance carrier, or you will be responsible for the bill.