NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation will hold a public hearing on Thursday, June 3, 2021, at 10:00 a.m., to consider the following rules as summarized below.

This Public Hearing will take place via conference call as a precaution to the spread of the coronavirus (COVIT-19), in accordance with Section 12 of emergency legislation Am. Sub. H.B. 197 as signed by Governor Mike DeWine effective March 27, 2020. To access this hearing, please dial the following phone number and enter the pin code at the prompt to connect:

Phone number: 614-721-2972 Pin code: 161 567 319#

Amend the following rules, due to proposed changes as the result of recommendations from the BWC Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee:

4123-6-21 Payment for Outpatient Medication.

BWC now proposes to revise this rule to modify reimbursement criteria for non-sterile compounded prescriptions.

4123-6-21.3 Outpatient Medication Formulary.

The Bureau proposes to revise the formulary appendix to this rule by amending coverage to the drug products listed in the formulary.

The Bureau proposes to file this rule to add an appendix to the rule.

The full and complete text of the proposed rules is available at the Register of Ohio (http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us) and is on file in the office of the Secretary of State (180 East Broad Street, 15th Floor, Columbus, Ohio), the Legislative Service Commission (77 South High Street, 9th Floor, Columbus, Ohio), the office of the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (77 South High Street, Concourse Level, Columbus, Ohio), the Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Legal Operations (30 West Spring Street, 26th Floor, Columbus, Ohio), the Bureau of Workers' Compensation (30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio), 1st Floor, Hearing Rooms), and all service offices of the Bureau.

All interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard. Any interested party unable to attend the public hearing may submit written comments to the undersigned prior to the public hearing at <u>enotification@bwc.state.oh.us</u>.

THE OHIO BUREAU OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

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