

CMI is city's new workers comp claims processor

The City of Detroit has contracted CMI, for all its Workers Compensation Claims. I received several calls from Detroit Police Officers Association members in regards to letters they received from this new company.

After speaking with Civilian Shanae Edmond of Police Medical, it is my understanding that, effective Sep. 1, 2014, the responsibility for handling duty-related injuries will no longer be handled by the City of Detroit Risk Management. CMI, the new provider, will handle all workers' compensation claims.

All members who have a duty-related injury or illness and have received some type of workers' compensation claim through the City of Detroit should have received a letter from this company (CMI).

All members still are required to continue to forward their injury reports to Police Medical. The injury reports will be forwarded to Risk Management, which will forward the reports to CMI. Be advised you also are required to report to Police Medical every 30 days, with your duty status you received from CMI.

These changes became effective Oct. 1, 2014. Members should have been assigned a new claim number, the name of their adjuster and the contract number. CMI will handle all claims for Police and Firefighters, (authorizations, evaluations, therapy, etc). These changes only affect duty-related injuries/illnesses.

CMI/YORK RISK SERVICES is located at 645 W. Grand River, Suite 100, Howell, MI, 48843; office phone number (517) 338-3309. Should you have any questions pertaining to this matter you may contact me at the Association office.