

AGENDA

Date: July 23, 2020
Time: 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Andrew Friedman MD, Chair
Kirk Harmon MD, Vice-chair

Location: ZOOM MEETING

Please contact Kelly Miller at mike235@lni.wa.gov to obtain Zoom information

*Denotes an action item

<u>Min</u>	<u>Time & Lead</u>	<u>Topic</u>
15	1:00 - 1:15 Andrew Friedman	Welcome and Introductions Welcome to new member of IIMAC: Dr. Jiho Bryson Safety Tip Approve minutes from 1/23/20 meeting* and 4/23/20*
10	1:15-1:25 Chris Howe	IIMAC Subcommittee Update: Lumbar Spine Surgery
60	1:25 - 2:25 Chris Howe, Andrew Friedman, Lee Glass, Jason Fodeman	Update on Lumbar Spine Surgery Subcommittee Feasibility of Multidisciplinary Review for fusion surgery <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro to the topic • Bree bundle • Department issues • Potential methods
30	2:25 – 2:55 Zach Gray	Action item* Vote on language clarification in CTS guideline
15	2:55 – 3:10 Dr. Malcolm Butler	Update on Violence against the Healthcare Worker
15	3:10-3:25	BREAK
15	3:25 – 3:40 Morgan Young Andrew Friedman	Work Rehabilitation Subcommittee
5	3:40 –3:45 Andrew Friedman	Nomination of a new alternate for ACHIEV to replace Malcolm Butler*
25	3:45 – 4:10 Kim Wallace	COVID-19 Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Claims • Telehealth policy update • Telehealth evaluation



15	4:10 – 4:25 Gary Franklin	Updates: - Bree Collaborative - PCORI Update
30	Susan Pierini (AAG) 4:25 – 4:55	OPMA Training
5	4:55-5:00 Andrew Friedman	Wrap up

Note: All times are approximate and subject to change.

Upcoming 2020 Meetings: October 22nd

Background

The Industrial Insurance Medical Advisory Committee (IIMAC) was formed by the Washington State Legislature in 2007. [Chapter 51.36 RCW](#) (app.leg.wa.gov) authorizes the IIMAC to:

"Advise the department on matters related to the provision of safe, effective, and cost-effective treatments for injured workers, including but not limited to the development of practice guidelines and coverage criteria, review of coverage decisions and technology assessments, review of medical programs, and review of rules pertaining to health care issues."

Membership

The Industrial Insurance Medical Advisory Committee (IIMAC) has 14 members. Members are nominated by statewide clinical groups, specialty societies, and/or associations and are appointed by the director of L&I. The current IIMAC members are the following:

Andrew Friedman, MD (Chair)

Kirk Harmon, MD (Vice-chair)

Jiho Bryson, MD

Malcolm Butler, MD

Greg Carter, MD MS

Michael Codosi, MD

Laurie Gwerder, ARNP

Monica Haines, DO

Chris Howe, MD

Robert G.R. Lang, MD

Louis Lim MD MPH

JC Leveque, MD

Linda Seaman, MD

Stephen Thielke, MD

