

## **LINKS TO FORMULARY AND OPIOID RESEARCH -**

### **NCCI Medical Data Report for Montana 2015 -**

<http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/Publications/dli-erd-wcca-pub006.pdf>

National Prescription Audit -

<http://www.imshealth.com/en?vnextoid=d58b8b5776165410VgnVCM10000076192ca2RCRD&vnextchannel=5ec1e590cb4dc310VgnVCM100000a48d2ca2RCRD>

### **Science Direct article April 2009, University of Utah study**

“Findings included the following: compared with the (no opioid) reference group, odds of chronic work loss were six times greater for claimants with schedule II (“strong”) opioids; compared with the reference group, odds of chronic work loss were 11–14 times greater for claimants with opioid prescriptions of any type during a period of  $\geq 90$  days; and three years after injury, costs of claimants with schedule II opioids averaged \$19,453 higher than costs of claimants in the reference group.”

<http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0304395908007355>

### **Rehabilitation Medicine - Study just concluded and published 10/2015 shows closure with/without opioids**

<http://bmjopen.bmj.com/content/5/8/e007836.full?sid=2934fde8-468c-493c-9b9c-06914e1f0003>

### **New York Times – Profiting from Pain June 22, 2013**

[http://www.nytimes.com/2013/06/23/sunday-review/profitting-from-pain.html?\\_r=0](http://www.nytimes.com/2013/06/23/sunday-review/profitting-from-pain.html?_r=0)

### **California Workers’ Compensation Institute (CWCI) – Are Formularies a Viable Solution for Controlling Prescription Drug Utilization and Cost in California Workers’ Compensation?**

10/06/2014

<https://www.cwci.org/research.html>

CWCI presentation to MT LMAC - <http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/LMAC/dli-erd-lmac187.pdf>

### **Workers Compensation Research Institute (WCRI) – to MT LMAC on the Impact of a Texas-Like Formulary in Other States – May 11, 2016**

<http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/LMAC/dli-erd-lmac209.pdf>

### **Work Loss Data Presentation – May 11, 2016**

<http://erd.dli.mt.gov/labor-management-advisory-council/advisory-council-meetings>

### **Formulary Background presented by ERD – May 11, 2016**

[http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/LMAC/6-15-2016/5-11-2016/Formulary%20Background\\_0511-2016.pdf](http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/LMAC/6-15-2016/5-11-2016/Formulary%20Background_0511-2016.pdf)

**Reed Group Formulary Public Comment – May 11, 2016**

[http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/LMAC/Reed%20Group\\_public%20comment\\_0511-2016.pdf](http://erd.dli.mt.gov/Portals/54/Documents/LMAC/Reed%20Group_public%20comment_0511-2016.pdf)

**National Compensation on Compensation Insurance (NCCI) – Workers Compensation and Prescription Drugs 2016 Update – May 5, 2016**

[https://www.ncci.com/Articles/Documents/II\\_AIS-2016-Workers-Comp-prescrip-2016-update.pdf](https://www.ncci.com/Articles/Documents/II_AIS-2016-Workers-Comp-prescrip-2016-update.pdf)

**Opioid Drug Therapy: Relieving Pain But Increasing the Duration of Disability** (Summary from 2016 WCI conference session)

<https://www.safetynational.com/conferencechronicles/kill-pain-kill-claim-opioid-drug-therapy-aiming-relieve-pain-increasing-duration-disability/>