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DWC Issues Revisions to WCIS Regulations for an Additional 15-Day Public Comment Period

The Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) has made further changes to its California EDI Implementation Guide, Version 2.0, pursuant to revision of the Workers' Compensation Information System (WCIS) regulations, for an additional public comment period of 15 days. The comment period will close on November 28, 2014.

The DWC incorporated the primarily technical changes to the California EDI Implementation Guide, Version 2.0 proposed by members of the workers' compensation community, including:

- Adding a table showing California-adopted IK4 error codes for 999 acknowledgements
- Editing the California Edit Matrix table to correspond to entries in the IK4 error code for 999 acknowledgements table
- Further clarifying procedures for reporting lump-sum lien settlement payment data.

The DWC believes that these updates will allow WCIS to collect more robust and useful data that will assist with research regarding workers' compensation issues.

The notice and text of the regulations can be found on the proposed regulations [page](#).

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