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DWC Opens Registration for 25th Annual Educational Conference

The Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) is pleased to announce that registration for its 25th annual <u>educational conference</u> is now open. The conference will take place February 12-13, 2018 at the Los Angeles Airport Marriott and March 1-2, 2018 at the Oakland Marriott City Center Hotel.

Attendee, exhibitor, and sponsor registration forms may be downloaded from the conference website.

Registration flyers were recently mailed to the names on our conference mailing list. These forms are also available at this website and at DWC district offices.

This annual event is the largest workers' compensation training in the state and allows claims administrators, attorneys, medical providers, return-to-work specialists, employers, and others to learn firsthand about the most recent developments in the system. Attendees will be interested in learning about current topics from a variety of workers' compensation experts from DWC, other state and public agencies, and the private sector.

DWC has applied for continuing educational credits by attorney, rehabilitation counselor, case manager, disability management, human resource and qualified medical examiner certifying organizations among others.

Organizations who would like to become sponsors of the DWC conference can do so by going to the website.

The 2017 conference had 1,993 attendees and 157 exhibitors, so early registration is encouraged.

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