



April 3, 2019

Dear State Employee,

We are pleased to announce that the State of Rhode Island has selected The Beacon Mutual Insurance Company to be the third-party administrator (TPA) for the State's workers' compensation program effective May 1, 2019.

Beacon is the leading provider of workers' compensation insurance within the State of Rhode Island and currently insures 12,000 Rhode Island businesses. Beacon has the largest team of professionals dedicated to creating safer workplaces and an experienced team of claim representatives, nurses, and case managers to assist Rhode Island workers.

Through this partnership, Beacon will utilize its state of the art systems and seasoned, local adjusters, nurse case managers, disability managers, and other claims professionals to assume the management of the State employee workers' compensation claims. In order to reduce the risk of workplace injuries and afford State workers a safer working environment, Beacon will also provide extensive loss prevention and training services to each department of the State.

**All employees who presently have an open workers' compensation claim with the State will receive a letter with detailed information. Please contact the State of Rhode Island Division of State Employees Workers' Compensation at (401) 574-8500 with any questions or concerns.**

Sincerely,

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