

NEW IOWA LAWS AFFECTS YOUR RIGHTS TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION

The Iowa Legislature recently passed new laws that apply to all injuries that occur after July 1, 2017.

You need to know how these new laws can affect you. At a minimum, every employee should know the following basic rules.

1. Report all injuries immediately.
2. Return to work following an injury.
3. Current injury claims, and for all injuries that occur and are reported before July 1, 2017:
4. Shoulder injuries that occur on or after July 1, 2017:
5. Lesson learned. Report all injuries, all aches and pains, immediately. Do not wait. Report all injuries that you are currently experiencing before July 1, 2017.
6. Finally, you should seek legal counsel immediately

If you do not know how to report an injury, or if you are afraid to report an injury, call the Union office today.

