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Dear Injured Employee:

Your employer's insurance carrier is providing this information to you on behalf of the Employee Assistance Office of the Division of Workers' Compensation.

The Employee Assistance Office of the Division of Workers' Compensation is a state bureau within the Florida Department of Financial Services. We provide the following services:

- Serves as a resource for injured workers and employers by providing information about the workers' compensation system.
- Educates and informs injured workers, employers, carriers, health care providers, and managed care arrangements about their responsibilities under the law.
- Provides assistance in avoiding any problems or disputes regarding your claim.

Within three (3) days after receiving notice that you have been injured, the workers' compensation insurance carrier will mail you an informational brochure explaining your rights and responsibilities as well as the carrier's obligations. It contains valuable information you need to know about the workers' compensation system. You may have received the informational brochure along with this letter. You can also obtain the brochure by calling us at 1-800-342-1741 or e-mailing us at: wceao@myfloridacfo.com.

You can also visit one of our local Employee Assistance Offices to receive personal, one-on-one service. To locate the office nearest you, call the toll free 1-800 number above or visit the Division's website at: www.myfloridacfo.com/wc/organization/eao_offices.html.

Sincerely,

Employee Assistance Office Division of Workers' Compensation Florida Department of Financial Services