

**MEDICAL EXAMS****Resolution R19-01-01****IC Medical Exam Fee Schedule****February 22, 2024**

WHEREAS, R.C. 4121.03(E)(1) provides that the Industrial Commission is responsible for the establishment of the overall adjudicatory policy of the Industrial Commission; and

WHEREAS, R.C.4121.38(A)(1) provides that the Industrial Commission shall implement a program of impairment evaluation; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Adm. Code 4121-3-34(C)(5) requires the Industrial Commission to schedule appropriate medical examinations by physicians selected by the Industrial Commission for the processing of applications for permanent total disability; and

WHEREAS, the Industrial Commission seeks to establish reasonable fees for permanent total disability examinations.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following fee schedule shall be adopted by the Industrial Commission:

- A. For an examination, including record review, of one to three body part(s)/organ system(s), the fee shall be \$1080.00.
- B. For an examination of a mental or behavioral condition, including record review, the fee shall be \$1080.00.
- C. For an examination, including record review, of four or more body part(s)/organ system(s), the fee shall be \$1320.00.
- D. The fee for a no-show or cancellation shall be \$360.00.
- E. The fee for an addendum report shall be \$360.00 an hour, prorated per fifteen minutes with a maximum of \$720.00.
- F. The fee for completing an interrogatory shall be \$360.00 an hour, prorated per fifteen minutes, with a maximum fee of \$720.00.
- G. The fee for a deposition shall be \$1080.00 for the first hour, and \$550.00 for each additional hour, prorated per fifteen minutes.
- H. The fee for a file review shall be \$360.00 an hour, prorated per fifteen minutes with a maximum fee of \$1080.00.
- I. All diagnostic testing requires prior authorization.
  - a. The fee for neuropsychological testing shall be \$120 an hour with a maximum fee of \$480.00.
  - b. All other testing shall be reimbursed per the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation fee schedule.
- J. Examinations and file reviews which require extensive medical record review (over 90 pages), shall be additionally reimbursed at a rate of \$2.00 per page for each page over 90.
- K. Fees for an examination occurring outside of the State of Ohio shall be negotiated by the Medical Services department. The fees shall be a reasonable and customary fee for the cost of the examination.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the provisions of this resolution shall be implemented effective July 1, 2024