



2025

***The New Jersey Self Insurers' Association
Spring 2025 Workers' Compensation
Conference and Vendor Fair***

May 14-16, 2025



**GOLDEN NUGGET ATLANTIC CITY
HOTEL, CASINO & MARINA
ATLANTIC CITY, NJ**



**NEW JERSEY
SELF INSURERS'
ASSOCIATION**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 2025

3:00 – 5:00 pm - Early Registration

5:00 – 6:00 pm - Welcome Reception

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 2025

8:00 am

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:45 am

Welcome – The Grand

- Honora C. McGinn, AIC, AVP Risk Management - Princeton University
- Regina K. Lamptey, Workers' Compensation Claims Supervisor, Cannon Cochran Management Services, Inc. (CCMSI) – Program Chairperson

9:00 – 10:00 am

“Cost Containment in Workers’ Compensation – A Panel Discussion”

- Megan Bartelle, Team Lead - Sedgwick
- Jeff Newby, Esq. - Weber Gallagher
- Stephanie Wehrman, AIC, Account Executive - PMA Management Corp.

Moderator: Brittany L. Patterson, J.D., CWCP - Corporate Director, Integrated Disability - AtlantiCare

10:00 – 11:00 am

“Causation & Treatment of Shoulder and Knee Injuries”

- Fred McAlpin III, DO, FAOAO – Premier Orthopaedic and Sports Medicine Associates of Southern New Jersey

11:00 – 11:30 am

Break – Networking and Vendor Exhibits

11:30 – 12:30 pm

“When & How to Use Investigations in Workers’ Compensation”

- Cari Burhenne, AVP - RWJ Barnabas
- Giovanni Ramundo, MD – Pain Management Physicians (PMP)
- Mike Bileci, Esq. – Capehart Scatchard

Moderator: Nate Reber - CFE, Vice President of Operations - Prime Source Investigations

12:30 – 1:30 pm

LUNCH - Networking and Vendor Exhibits

1:30 - 2:00 pm

“State of Workers’ Compensation - New Jersey” – An Update

- The Honorable Maria Del Valle-Koch, Director & Chief Judge – New Jersey Division Workers' Compensation
- Jon R. Bombardieri, Partner – CLB Partners, LLC

2:00 - 2:45 pm

“Around The Horn” – A Spirited Discussion regarding Hot Topics in WC.

- Penelope Caamano, Esq. - Capehart Scatchard

2:45 - 3:00 pm

Break – Networking and Vendor Exhibits

3:00 - 4:00 pm

“Creative Settlements in Workers’ Compensation” – A Panel Discussion

- Jared D. Nguyen, CPCU, WC Specialist - Delta
- Sherwin Archibald, MBA/HCM, Claims Manager - New Jersey Schools Insurance Group

Moderator: Christina Diana, Esq. - Jones Jones

5:00 - 6:30 pm

President’s Reception - Bayview

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 2025

7:30 – 9:30 am

Full Breakfast – The Grand

8:45 am

Welcome

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9:00 - 9:30 am

“Litigation & Case Law Update”

- Matt Gitterman, Esq. - Biancomano & DiStefano

9:30 - 10:15 am

“Psychiatric Medical Management” – The Case Management Perspective

- Jackie Anderson, MD APN – WCPN

10:15 - 11:00 am

“MSA Updates”

- Mark Popolizio, JD - Verisk Casualty Solutions

11:00 - 11:15 am

Break – Networking and Vendor Exhibits

11:15 - 12:30 pm

“Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Workers’ Compensation – Panel Discussion”

Moderator: Robert O'Brien, President - Atlantic Security International Investigation, Inc.

12:30 pm

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SEMINAR REGISTRATION

Company Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Contact Person _____

Name of 1st Attendee _____

Name of 2nd Attendee _____

FEE FOR TWO-DAY SEMINAR

NJSIA Member: \$350 (membership dues must be paid for the current year.)

Non-Member: \$500

NJSIA Member Exhibitor: \$850

Non-Member Exhibitor: \$1300

CHECK ENCLOSED \$ _____

PARKING

Self-Parking: Complimentary in a garage physically connected to the hotel

Valet Parking: \$10 Sunday-Thursday; \$15 Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Holidays

HOTEL RESERVATION INFORMATION

Rooms at Golden Nugget for Wednesday and Thursday at \$69 plus tax and fees.

CALL-INS:

Room Reservations: 800-777-8477 Option 2

Group name: New Jersey Self Insurers' Association

Group code: ANJSI25

All callers will be asked for the above code but can also book by saying: New Jersey Self-Insurers' Association

PAYMENT NOTES

PAYMENT:

Checks: Make payable to NJSIA

Send to P.O. Box 5720, Clark, NJ 07066

Credit Cards: Please pay through the NJSIA Web address below.

REGISTRATION, PAYMENT & REFUND DEADLINE:

MAY 1, 2025

Inquiries: 908-902-2468

E-mail - dwrobel1026@outlook.com

Web Address: <https://www.njselfinsurers.com>

NOTE: CLE, CCM AND ADDITIONAL CREDITS ARE AVAILABLE AND INCLUDED IN THE REGISTRATION FEE.

EXHIBIT TABLES

Member Fee of \$850 for one vendor table including two persons for Seminar, meals & President's Reception. Each additional attendee must remit the regular member conference fee.

Non-member Fee of \$1,300 for one vendor table including two persons for Seminar, meals & President's Reception. Each additional attendee must remit the regular non-member conference fee.

Set-up for vendors from 1:00 - 8:00 pm on Wednesday, May 14 and prior to 8:30 am on Thursday, May 15.

VENDOR REGISTRATION

Company Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Contact Person _____

Name of 1st Attendee _____

Name of 2nd Attendee _____

SPONSORSHIPS

GOLD SPONSOR (NJSIA MEMBERS ONLY) \$1,799:

Includes Exhibiting Cost, Three (3) Attendees and Full-Page Ad in Program booklet.

A poster identifying your company as a Gold sponsor will be displayed at the President's Reception as well as all breakfasts, breaks and lunch during the conference. As a Gold sponsor, your company banner can be displayed in the conference meeting room; banners must be pop up, not the hanging type of banner. In addition, promotional items can be distributed to attendees if provided to NJSIA by May 1, 2025.

SILVER SPONSOR (NJSIA MEMBERS ONLY) \$1,299:

Includes Exhibiting Cost, Two (2) Attendees and Half-page Ad in the Program booklet.

A poster identifying your company as a Silver sponsor will be displayed at the President's reception as well as all breakfasts, breaks and lunch during the conference.

AD BOOK: Company advertisement in the program:

Full page (8" x 11") – **\$300.00**

Half page (8" x 5") – **\$200.00**

Quarter-page (3.5" x 5") – **\$100.00**

Print specifications: PDF or JPG file submitted via email to cwright@capehart.com by May 1, 2025.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS (CEUS)

CLE, CCM AND additional credits are available and included in the registration fee. Please contact Donna Wrobel at dwrobel1026@outlook.com for additional information and to register for credits.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND THIS SEMINAR:

- ▶ Workers' Compensation Professionals
- ▶ Attorneys, Claims/Case Management
- ▶ Risk Management
- ▶ Human Resources Professionals
- ▶ Health and Safety Professionals
- ▶ Occupational Health Nurses
- ▶ Benefit Analysis
- ▶ Disability Management Professionals
- ▶ Third Party Administrators
- ▶ Rehabilitation Specialists
- ▶ Medical and Pharmacy Management
- ▶ Investigators
- ▶ Carriers
- ▶ Brokers/Consultants
- ▶ Insurance Professionals

ABOUT NJSIA – www.njsselfinsurers.com

The New Jersey Self Insurers' Association is a coalition of major employers in the State who have taken direct responsibility for the safety and well being of their employees by choosing to self insure their workers' compensation programs.



Our primary mission is to promote and protect the interests of our members. We fulfill this mission by:

- ▶ Keeping members informed of pending legislation and developments within the workers' compensation court system through the publication of timely bulletins and member updates.
- ▶ Pro-actively working with state legislators and regulators in support of sound workers' compensation policy, law and regulations.
- ▶ Hosting seminars featuring prominent speakers whose actions shape the workers' compensation landscape in New Jersey.
- ▶ Conducting vendor fairs where members can learn about services offered by various third party claim administrators, managed care providers, investigative services and other companies serving the workers' compensation community.
- ▶ Providing educational and networking opportunities for risk managers, safety managers, claim managers, human resource professionals, legal professionals and medical professionals.
- ▶ Assisting companies desiring to obtain self-insurance status in New Jersey.



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