

## WCB Update September 2021

Policy consultation is open until October 4, 2021, on the following topics:

- Policy Project Plan
- Reimbursement of housekeeping expenses prior to December 1, 2013
- Third party recoveries - cost relief – unknown or uninsured third parties

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## Upcoming Employer psychological health courses

**University of Fredericton:** WCB has partnered with UFred to offer online courses that cover topics in psychological health and safety and enhancing workplace resilience.

**WCB Psychological injuries in the workplace course:** An online seminar that covers WCB policy and legislation related to psychological injuries, the claims decision making process, psychological injury treatment and how to successfully support workers through recovery.

Visit our employer seminars and workshops webpage for more details and to register.

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**Pacific Coast University, Effective Disability Management Program:**



You know your business and we know return to work.

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**An effective disability management program is key to reducing the human and financial costs associated with an injury.**

In addition to our free online seminars, we're partnering with Pacific Coast University for Workplace Health Sciences to offer their Effective Disability Management Programs course.

We know that 2021 will continue to challenge employers, so we're pleased to offer this course to small and mid-sized WCB account holders (Alberta accounts) at a 50% discounted rate of \$125 (total value \$250).

**Space is limited so save your spot today!**

**October 20**

Register today by contacting  
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## COVID-19 Updates

- The COVID-19 at work employer fact sheet explains how we manage work-related COVID-19 claims. Please visit our website to see the updated version.
- An adverse reaction to a COVID-19 vaccination that is required by an employer may be accepted as a WCB claim. Read our COVID-19 vaccine reaction fact sheet on our website for more details.

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## Questions for Industry Support?

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