



Workers' Compensation

Urban Myths

URBAN MYTH: I cannot obtain medical care for my injury after I separate from the City.

URBAN FACT: You are entitled to ongoing medical care for accepted work injuries—even after you separate from City employment.

Separation means leaving City employment due to retirement, resignation, or other reasons. While Separation may impact wage-replacement benefits, it **does not affect your right to medical treatment** for approved Workers' Compensation claims.



Have Questions?

Contact DHR Workers'
Compensation Division!



(628) 652-0880



Care Continues

Medical care is available for the life of your claim, as determined by your treating physician, no matter your employment status.



Move Forward

There is no need for you to wait until treatment concludes before making important life decisions.



DHR Can Help

DHR can help you understand how separation may affect other benefits (for example, disability pay).