

EMPLOYEE PREDESIGNATED TREATING PHYSICIAN NOTIFICATION FORM

Pursuant to Labor Code Section 4600, an employee has the right to designate a "Personal Physician" to treat immediately following an industrial injury. This right enables to employee to select a physician, who meets the following guidelines listed below, to direct their treatment in lieu of the Employer Designated Facilities.

On _____, I, _____
(Date) (Employee Name)

Designate _____ to direct treatment of any industrial injury
(Name of Doctor)

immediately following the occurrence. This doctor will remain on file as my "Personal Physician" until I submit any changes in writing to my employer.

(Physician's Street Address)

(Physician's Phone Number)

(Physician's City, State, Zip)

(Employee's Signature)

(Date)

TO BE COMPLETED BY "PERSONAL PHYSICIAN"

Labor Code Section 4600 lists the requirements for a "Personal Physician". Please review the following and sign in acknowledgement that you meet all of these requirements.

1. The "Personal Physician" must be a "physician or surgeon" who is licensed pursuant to Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 2000) of Division 2 of the Business and Professions Code. Sections 2041 and 2051 define a physician and surgeon as a licensee, holder of a physician's, surgeon's, or podiatrist certificate which authorizes the use of drugs and devices as well as to sever and penetrate human tissue for the purposes of treating injuries, diseases, deformities, etc.
2. The physician must be the employee's primary care physician and has previously directed the medical treatment of the employee and retains the employee's records including the employee's medical history.
3. The physician must agree to be pre-designated.

(Physician's Signature)

(Date)

Return completed form to: _____