

BOARD POLICIES

CLAIMS

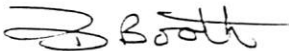
At the Workers' Compensation Advisory Board meeting of February 15, 1977, the following policy was agreed upon and adopted:

No. 7

Hernia Claims

This section should be interpreted in a reasonable and liberal way in dealing with hernia claims.

Where a worker remains off work prior to operation, the worker is to be paid a maximum of one week prior to the date of surgery and a maximum of eight weeks following surgery, except when a Medical Consultant expresses the opinion that a longer period, either prior to or following surgery is justified.



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