



Workers' Compensation Coverage for State University of New York Employees

The State University of New York (SUNY) is a division of the State of New York, and each SUNY campus is a New York State Agency.

Please be advised that Section 88-C of the Workers' Compensation Law, as amended by Chapter 103 of the laws of 1981, provides for workers' compensation coverage of New York State employees. It states in pertinent part:

“Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, to the contrary, the liability of the State for the payment of compensation under this chapter heretofore existing or hereinafter arising shall be secured by an insuring agreement to be entered into between the Department of Civil Service and the State Insurance Fund wherein the State, from monies appropriated therefore, shall pay in to the fund on a periodic basis the actual costs to the fund for the meeting and paying, as the same become due and payable, all obligations incurred under this chapter by the State as an employer.”

The New York State Department of Civil Service has entered into said insuring agreement with the State Insurance Fund, contract number C177594, securing the State's liability for the payment of workers' compensation in accordance with the Workers' Compensation Law. This policy is in effect until revised upon the mutual agreement of both parties.

Please contact Michael Consorte, Director, University-Wide Benefits, at (518) 445-4094, or via email at benefits@suny.edu with additional questions about Workers' Compensation coverage for employees of the State University of New York.