

The Integration of Behavioral Health and Disability Management

“Strategies for Improving Productivity in the Workplace”

Hosted By:



Thursday, November 10, 2011

8:00 a.m. - Noon

Michigan Chamber of Commerce Board Room
600 South Walnut Street | Lansing, MI 48933
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8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Registration and Networking

8:30 a.m. - 9:20 a.m.

The Impact of Behavioral Health on Productivity Management

Janiece Nichols | Account Executive | HelpNet EAP

9:20 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Break and Networking

9:30 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.

Integrated Disability & Absence Management

Holly Moyer, M.ED, CRC | Senior Absence Management Consultant | CareWorks USA

10:20 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Break and Networking

10:30 a.m. - 11:20 a.m.

Behavioral Health and the Aging Workforce:

What Employers Need to Know to Remain Competitive

Wendy Coduti, Ph.D., CDMS | Assistant Professor/Clinical Coordinator

Office of Rehabilitation and Disability Studies Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Special Education, Michigan State University

11:20 a.m. - Noon

Panel Discussion and Question/Answer Session.

Reserve a Seat

Please contact CareWorks USA's Leslie Samuelson by November 1, 2011.

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About the Presenters

Janiece Nichols

Account Executive

HelpNet EAP

Ms. Nichols will look at the impact stress and depression are having on the workforce and talk about ways employers can decrease claim and productivity loss, increase profitability and improve the quality of life for their employees.

Holly Moyer, M.ED, CRC

Senior Absence Management Consultant

CareWorks USA

Ms. Moyer will discuss FMLA and the impact it can have on employers. She will explain what qualifies as FMLA, and the importance of coordinating FMLA with other benefits, specifically focusing on EAP. She will also demonstrate how handling FMLA claims in a specific way can affect outcomes and talk about the integration of return to work and FMLA.

Wendy Coduti, Ph.D., CDMS

Assistant Professor/Clinical Coordinator

Office of Rehabilitation and Disability Studies

Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Special Education

Michigan State University

Ms. Coduti's presentation will look at the aging demographic of the workforce and common myths associated with older workers, and workers with behavioral health conditions in general. Behavioral health issues and accommodations will be discussed including reasons why employers need to address these issues in order to remain competitive.