

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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MEDICAL FEE DISPUTE RESOLUTION FINDINGS AND DECISION

GENERAL INFORMATION

<u>Requestor Name</u> MAYORGA, GILBERT JR Respondent Name

STATE NATIONAL INSURANCE CO

MFDR Tracking Number

M4-20-2103-01

Carrier's Austin Representative

Box Number 19

MFDR Date Received

May 1, 2020

REQUESTOR'S POSITION SUMMARY

"In brief, we have not been paid to date for the service provided."

Amount in Dispute: \$950.00

RESPONDENT'S POSITION SUMMARY

The Austin carrier representative for State National Insurance Company is Flahive Ogden & Latson. The representative was notified of this medical fee dispute on May 5, 2020. If the DWC does not receive the response within 14 calendar days of the dispute notification, then the DWC may base its decision on the available information.¹

As of today, no response has been received from the insurance carrier or its representative. We will base this decision on the information available.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Dates of Service	Disputed Services	Amount In Dispute	Amount Due
May 23, 2019	Designated Doctor Examination 99456-W5-WP	\$950.00	\$0.00

FINDINGS AND DECISION

This medical fee dispute is decided pursuant to Texas Labor Code §413.031 and applicable rules of the Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC). 28 Texas Administrative Code §133.307 sets out the procedures for resolving medical fee disputes.

¹ 28 TAC §133.307(d)(1)

Issues

Is Gilbert Mayorga, Jr., M.D. entitled to additional reimbursement?

Findings

Dr. Mayorga is seeking reimbursement of \$950.00 for a designated doctor examination performed on May 23, 2019. Per submitted explanation of benefits dated June 11, 2019, the insurance carrier reimbursed this amount in full. No further reimbursement is recommended.

Conclusion

For the reasons stated above, the DWC finds that the requestor has not established that additional reimbursement is due. As a result, the amount ordered is \$0.00.

ORDER

Based on the submitted information, pursuant to Texas Labor Code Section 413.031, the DWC hereby determines the requestor is entitled to \$0.00 additional reimbursement for the services in dispute.

Authorized Signature

Signature

Medical Fee Dispute Resolution Officer

July 23, 2020 Date

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

Either party to this medical fee dispute has a right to seek review of this decision in accordance with Rule §133.307, effective May 31, 2012, *37 Texas Register 3833*, applicable to disputes filed on or after June 1, 2012.

A party seeking review must submit a **Request to Schedule a Benefit Review Conference to Appeal a Medical Fee Dispute Decision** (form **DWC045M**) in accordance with the instructions on the form. The request must be received by the DWC within **twenty** days of your receipt of this decision. The request may be faxed, mailed or personally delivered to the DWC using the contact information listed on the form or to the field office handling the claim.

The party seeking review of the MFDR decision shall deliver a copy of the request to all other parties involved in the dispute at the same time the request is filed. **Please include a copy of the** *Medical Fee Dispute Resolution Findings and Decision* together with any other required information specified in 28 Texas Administrative Code §141.1(d).

Si prefiere hablar con una persona en español acerca de ésta correspondencia, favor de llamar a 512-804-4812.