MEDICAL FEE DISPUTE RESOLUTION FINDINGS AND DECISION

GENERAL INFORMATION

Requestor Name Respondent Name

MAYORGA, GILBERT JR TEXAS MUNICIPAL LEAGUE INTERGOVERNMENTAL RISK

MFDR Tracking Number Carrier's Austin Representative

M4-21-0570-01 Box Number 19

MFDR Date Received

November 30, 2020

REQUESTOR'S POSITION SUMMARY

"In brief, we were not paid for line item 99456 SP, which was required in order to prepare the report."

Amount in Dispute: \$50.00

RESPONDENT'S POSITION SUMMARY

"Following the sef-insured's receipt of the request for medical fee dispute resolution, the self-insured rereviewed the file. On December 9, 2020, the self-insured issued a check to the provider. That check number is 5756348."

Response Submitted by: Flahive, Ogden & Latson

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Dates of Service	Disputed Services	Amount In Dispute	Amount Due
December 10, 2019	Specialist Report (99456-SP)	\$50.00	\$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.

Issues

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

Findings

Dr. Mayorga is seeking additional reimbursement for incorporating a specialist's report into the designated doctor examination performed on December 10, 2019. Per explanation of benefits dated December 3, 2020, the insurance carrier reimbursed the requested 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

		February 26, 2021	
Signature	Medical Fee Dispute Resolution Officer	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.