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To All Member Carriers:

RE: ACCCT ANNOUNCEMENTS

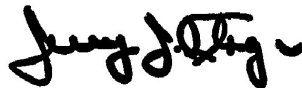
- 1. ENHANCEMENTS TO EXR**
- 2. UPDATE TO PEEP**

As a member of the American Cooperative Council on Compensation Technology (ACCCT), CAOM is pleased to announce an update to the EXR (Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup) product which can be accessed through CDX and an update to PEEP (Policy Entry & Editing Program). ACCCT is an industry group which facilitates cooperative development of products related to workers compensation insurance.

The attached announcements provide information about the update and outlines some of the functions.

Please distribute this circular and announcement to the appropriate staff.

Sincerely,



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**Enhancements To EXR
Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup
Effective August 6, 2007**

This announcement is intended for customers using EXR, the Experience Rating Worksheet Lookup product. Enhancements have been made to EXR that will allow the user to use this product more effectively. These enhancements include:

- A print feature which will create a PDF file of selected ratings, which can be printed or saved.
- The File Number, Rating Type, and Modification Factor have been added to the search results screen.
- The search results screen can now be downloaded in an Excel format.
- Merit Rating information will be added for participating DCOs.
- Rating Type has been added to the search criteria.
- Results Page Size has been added to the search criteria, which allows the user to choose the number of ratings that will be returned on one page. All ratings selected for the Print PDF feature must be included on the same page to be included in the same file.

You will also find this update on the ACCCT Web site at www.accct.org. Enhancements to any of the ACCCT products can be found on the ACCCT home page under the section titled "What's New".

If you are interested in reviewing the EXR product please visit <https://www.accct.org/Docs/EXR%20User%20Guide%20Completed.pdf>. This link to the EXR User Guide, will provide additional information about the product. You will also find contact information for each of the ACCCT participants. If you have questions, please contact your ACCCT representative.

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UPDATE TO PEEP
Policy Entry and Edit Package
August 6, 2007

This announcement is intended for customers using PEEP, the Policy Entry and Edit Package.

Modifications have been made to PEEP that will allow the user to use this product more effectively. The changes correct various reported issues pertaining to the functions of PEEP and include needed updates. Some modifications include:

- User Requested Enhancements
 - The Create Submission File function includes a Date Sent field and the Transmission Version ID is incrementing per WCPOLS specification.
 - The order of policies found in a Submission file now matches the order of policies as they are being selected to be added to a submission file. This allows for User verification.
- Clarification on Error Reports to provide the User with English descriptions of record types, where errors can be found, and elimination of unnecessary edit failure reports.
- WCPOLS Updates – includes new endorsement and recently added fields.
- Modifications to state specific edits.

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