

4123-6-46 Standardized or negotiated payment rates for services or supplies.

- (A) The bureau or self-insuring employer may negotiate payment rates with health care providers for services and supplies provided in the treatment of workers' compensation claims.
- (B) The bureau or self-insuring employer may enter into volume-based or optional-use contracts with medical providers for services including, but not limited to, the purchase or rental of durable medical equipment and supplies and catastrophic claim services.
- (C) The bureau or self-insuring employer may inform injured workers of the availability of services, supplies, or equipment from particular health care providers with whom a contract for services or supplies, a negotiated payment rate for services or supplies, or a contract for cost-effective payment levels or rates has been entered into, so long as access to quality and convenient medical services or supplies for injured workers is maintained.

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