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PRACTICES

Workers' Compensation Law

EDUCATION

Hope College (B.A., 1971)
University of Toledo (J.D., 1975)

ADMITTED

1975, State Bar of Michigan

ATTORNEY OF COUNSEL

Bill has represented large and small employers, insurance companies, and third-party administrators in the defense of workers' compensation claims for over 40 years. As a seasoned litigator, he has successfully handled thousands of cases before the Michigan Workers' Compensation Agency and court of appeals. Particularly, Bill has significant experience guiding self-insured employers, including several of the largest employers in Michigan, through all phases of workers' compensation claims. Bill also counsels businesses on how to avoid litigation. He advises them on the interplay between workers' compensation and other employment law issues and assists with the development and implementation of personnel and workers' compensation policies and procedures, ensuring effective employment relations and compliance with state and Federal laws.

Areas of experience include: medical treatment, types of benefits appropriate, extended disability, timeliness, fraud, third-party claims, occupational disease, vocational and occupational rehabilitation, choice of physician, medicare set-asides, reimbursement of wages, expenses, social security offsets.

A Grand Rapids native, Bill is active in his church and has served for years as a volunteer football coach. His other interests include golf, boating, music and theatre. He is married to Suzanne, and they have two adult sons and two grandchildren.

NOTEWORTHY

AV Peer Review Rated, Martindale-Hubbell

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Bar Association (Member, Section on: Tort and Insurance Practice)
State Bar of Michigan (Member, Section on: Workers' Compensation Law)
Grand Rapids Bar Association