OFFICIAL NOTICE

This business operates under the Georgia Workers' Compensation Law

WORKERS MUST REPORT ALL ACCIDENTS IMMEDIATELY TO THE EMPLOYER BY ADVISING THE EMPLOYER PERSONALLY, AN AGENT, REPRESENTATIVE, BOSS, SUPERVISOR, OR FOREMAN.

If a worker is injured at work, the employer shall pay medical and rehabilitation expenses within the limits of the law. In some cases the employer will also pay a part of the worker's lost wages.

Work injuries and occupational diseases should be reported in writing whenever possible. The worker may lose the right to receive compensation if an accident is not reported within 30 days (see O.C.G.A. § 34-9-80).

The employer will supply free of charge, upon request, a form for reporting accidents and will also furnish, free of charge, information about workers' compensation. The employer will also furnish to the employee, upon request, copies of board forms on file with the employer pertaining to an employee's claim.

A worker injured on the job must select a doctor from the list below. The minimum panel shall consist of at least six physicians, including an orthopedic surgeon with no more than two physicians from industrial clinics (see O.C.G.A. § 34-9-201). Further, this panel shall include one minority physician, whenever feasible (see Rule 201 for definition of minority physician). The Board may grant exceptions to the required size of the panel where it is demonstrated that more than four physicians are not reasonably accessible. One change to another doctor from the list may be made without permission. Further changes require the permission of the employer or the State Board of Workers' Compensation.

State Board of Workers' Compensation

270 Peachtree Street, N.W. Atlanta, Georgia 30303-1299 404-656-3818 or 1-800-533-0682 http://www.sbwc.georgia.gov

NOVA Medical Center

Dr. Jerome Howell

3205 Deans Bridge Road Walmart Shopping Center Augusta, GA 30906 Phone: 762-222-1123 • Fax: 762-222-1124 Hours: Mon - Fri: 8:30 am - 6:00 pm Free Transportation Available

Authorization form required

Southern Family Medical Center

Dr. Sean Lynch

3736-A Mike Padgett Highway Food Lion Shopping Center Augusta, GA 30906 Phone: 706-560-2273 Hours: Mon-Fri: 9am - 5pm **Closed 12-1**

Authorization form required

Pain Management Dr. Shahnaz Bari

1367 Interstate Parkway Augusta, Georgia 30909 Phone: 706-863-3135 Hours: Mon - Fri: 8am - 5pm **Authorization form required**

Family Medicine Associates Dr. David Parler

1417 Pendleton Road Augusta, Georgia 30904 Phone: 706-738-9824 Hours: Mon - Fri: 8am - 4pm **Authorization form required**

Orthopedics Associates of Augusta

811 13th Street, Suite 20 Augusta, Georgia 30901 Hours: Mon - Fri: 9am - 5pm Phone: 706-722-3401 or 706-823-3812 **Authorization form required**

<u>Augusta Orthopedics</u> <u>& Sports Medicine</u> *Dr. David Gallagher*

3650 J. Dewey Gray Circle Augusta, Georgia 30909 Phone: 706-863-9797 Hours: Mon - Fri: 8am - 5pm **Authorization form required**

Southern Eye Clinic Dr. William Tillery - Ophthalmologist

1306 Troupe Street • Augusta, Georgia 30904 Phone: 706-736-1437 Hours: Mon, Wed, & Thurs: 8am - 4pm • Tues & Fri: 8am - 12pm **Authorization form required**

(Additional doctors may be added on a seperate sheet)

The third party administrator for this business which is Self-Insured under the Worker's Compensation Law is:

Underwriters Safety & Claims, Inc. 5105 Paulsen Street, Suite 241 • Savannah, GA 31405 Fax: 912-355-8929

Richmond County School System Workers' Compensation Office: 706-826-1305 or 826-1278; Fax:706-826-4622

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT THE STATE BOARD OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION AT 404-656-3818 OR 1-800-533-0682 OR VISIT: http://www.sbwc.georgia.gov.

Willfully making a false statement for the purpose of obtaining or denying benefits is a crime subject to penalties of up to \$10,000.00 per violation (O.C.G.A.§34-9-18 and §34-9-19).