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Construction Nurse Line Can Help to Lower Your Costs!

COCA asked WorkSafeBC for a special team to assist the Construction Industry with Stay at Work and Return to Work activities.

The intent is to facilitate safe, prompt and durable Return to Work or even Stay at Work (no wage loss) for injured workers.

WorkSafeBC responded with the Construction Nurse Advisors (CNAs). They work with Construction Industry employers, workers, health care providers and physicians to reduce or eliminate time lost from work related injuries. There is no extra charge for this service (you already pay for the WorkSafeBC system with your assessments).

The CNAs are registered nurses with expertise in occupational injury and Return to Work planning.

The CNAs:

- have access to ALL available WorkSafeBC claim file information
- will do job site visits to your worksite to facilitate Return to Work planning
- will assist employers to develop Injury/Disability Management Programs

The Construction Nurse Line is open Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm:

CALL: 604-279-8155 or Toll Free: 1-877-633-6233

For full information, go to the main page of the WorkSafeBC website:

<http://www.worksafebc.com/default.asp> and click on Construction Nurse Line.