



TELEPHONIC NCM CHALLENGES IN WORKERS' COMPENSATION



Limited Information

Telephonic nurses may not have access to all the necessary medical records and information related to the injured worker's condition, which can make it difficult to provide accurate assessments and recommendations.

Communication **Barriers**



Telephonic nurses may have difficulty communicating with injured workers, employers, and healthcare providers due to language barriers or technical issues. This can lead to misunderstandings and miscommunications, which can impact the quality of care provided.



Time Constraints

Telephonic nurses may be required to handle a high volume of cases, which can make it challenging to spend enough time with each injured worker to fully understand their condition and provide appropriate care.

Toll



Telephonic nurses may be exposed to traumatic or emotionally charged situations, such as dealing with injured workers who are in pain or distress. This can take an emotional toll on the nurse and impact their ability to provide effective care.



Legal & Regulatory Requirements

Telephonic nurses in workers' compensation must adhere to strict legal and regulatory requirements, such as maintaining accurate records and ensuring compliance with state and federal laws. Failure to do so can result in legal and financial consequences.